IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO SENIOR JUDGE WALKER D. MILLER

Civil Action No. 08-cv-00091-WDM-CBS

WAYNE WATSON and MARY WATSON,

Plaintiffs,

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DILLON COMPANIES, INC., d/b/a/ KING SOOPERS, also d/b/a INTER-AMERICAN PRODUCTS, INC., et al.,

Defendants.1

ORDER REGARDING COMMUNICATION WITH COURT

Miller, J.

This matter is before me on a letter from Plaintiffs' counsel emailed to the court, attached hereto, regarding the *Daubert* hearing set for June 14 - 15, 2011. My January 27, 2011 order, ECF No. 619, requires the presence of any expert witness whose opinion is challenged to be available for live cross-examination. It appears from Plaintiffs' correspondence that Plaintiffs seek some kind of relief from this order. If so,

¹This case includes a number of third-party and other related litigation. However, since the motions addressed here concern only the primary parties, I have not included the related matters in the caption of this order.

they should file a motion pursuant to normal procedures.

DATED at Denver, Colorado, on June 2, 2011.

Y THE COURT:

s/ Walker D. Miller

United States Senior District Judge

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Re.

Watson, et al. v. Dillon Companies, Inc., et al.

Case No. 08-CV-00091-WDM-CBS

Dear Judge Miller:

You have scheduled a Daubert hearing for June 14-15, 2011 in the above referenced case. Yesterday, Plaintiffs filed statements of three experts, treating physician Cecile Rose, M.D. and testifying experts David Egilman, M.D. and Allen Parmet, M.D.

Dr. Rose is a treating physician who was deposed in this matter on April 7, 2010. Plaintiffs have not retained Dr. Rose and she is not under our control. She was deposed, however, by plaintiffs and cross examined by defendants. Her statement filed yesterday was taken verbatim from that deposition. We had planned to present evidence concerning Dr. Rose through her videotaped deposition. We have communicated with counsel for Dr. Rose and have learned that she is out of the state on the dates of the hearing. She does plan to file a motion for protective order if we serve her with a subpoena.

Plaintiffs are certainly willing to move ahead at the scheduled date using Dr. Rose's deposition, however, we do wish to advise the court of this issue now.

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Sincerely,

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