

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO  
Judge Robert E. Blackburn

Civil Case No. 09-cv-02894-REB-BNB

GERALD MORRIS, and  
GUNILLA MORRIS,

Plaintiffs,

v.

CONTINENTAL AIRLINES, INC.,

Defendant.

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ORDER OF REFERENCE TO UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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**Blackburn, J.**

This matter comes before the Court, *sua sponte*.

**IT IS ORDERED** that pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(A)-(C), Fed. R. Civ. P. 72 and D.C.COLO.LCivR 72.1C, the United States Magistrate is designated to conduct proceedings in this civil action as follows:

- (X) Convene a scheduling conference under Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b) and enter a scheduling order meeting the requirements of D.C.COLO.LCivR 16.2.
- (X) Conduct such status conferences and issue such orders necessary for compliance with the scheduling order, including amendments or modifications of the scheduling order upon a showing of good cause.
- (X) Convene such settlement conferences and direct related procedures as may facilitate resolution of this case.
- (X) Hear and determine pretrial matters, as referred.
- (X) Conduct a pretrial conference and enter a pretrial order.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that parties and counsel shall be familiar and comply with the undersigned judge's requirements at [www.cod.uscourts.gov](http://www.cod.uscourts.gov).**

Dated December 15, 2009, at Denver, Colorado.

BY THE COURT:

  
Robert E. Blackburn  
United States District Judge