

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
MIAMI DIVISION

CASE NO. 07-21221-CIV-ALTONAGA/Brown

RENEE BLASZKOWSKI,  
AMY HOLLUB and PATRICIA  
DAVIS,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

MARS INC.; PROCTOR & GAMBLE CO.,  
et al.,

Defendants.

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**ORDER**

**THIS CAUSE** came before the Court for a hearing on May 23, 2008 upon Defendant, the Iams Company's ("Iams[']") Motion to Sequence Document Production and to Limit Plaintiffs' Document Requests ("Motion to Sequence") [D.E. 382],<sup>1</sup> and Plaintiffs' Motion to Strike Defendant Manufacturers' Motion to Sequence Document Production and to Limit Document Requests and Request for Attorneys Fee ("Motion to Strike") [D.E. 395]. For the reasons stated in open court, it is

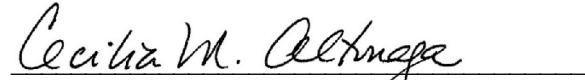
**ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the Motion to Sequence [D.E. 382] is **GRANTED**. Plaintiffs' Motion to Strike [D.E. 395] is **DENIED**. The parties are ordered to meet and confer with the assistance of a special master to determine the manner of the sequenced discovery. The parties shall submit proposed orders appointing a special master agreed by **May 29, 2008**.

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<sup>1</sup> The Court granted Defendants, Mars, Inc.; Mars Petcare US, Inc.; Hill's Pet Nutrition, Inc.; Del Monte Foods, Co.; Nestle Purina Petcare Co.; Nutro Products, Inc.; and Natura Pet Products, Inc.'s (collectively the "Manufacturer Defendants") request to join in Iams' Motion [D.E. 389].

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**DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers at Miami, Florida, this 23rd day of May, 2008.

  
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**CECILIA M. ALTONAGA**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Copies furnished to:

Magistrate Judge Stephen T. Brown  
counsel of record