

MINUTE ENTRY
BARBIER, J.
JUNE 17, 2010
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

SHANE ROSHTO, ET AL
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN, LTD, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
NUMBER: 10-1156
SECTION: J

JONES
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN, LTD, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
NUMBER: 10-1196
SECTION: J

WETZEL, ET AL
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN, LTD., ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
NUMBER: 10-1222
SECTION: J

IVIC
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
NUMBER: 10-1249
SECTION: J

ALEXIE, F.
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

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NUMBER: 10-1250
SECTION: J

ROBIN, ET AL
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

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NUMBER: 10-1295
SECTION: J

BARASICH, ET AL
VERSUS
BP, PLC ET AL

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FISH COMMANDER, LLC
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

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CREPPEL
VERSUS
BP, PLC ET AL

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GREGOIRE
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN, ET AL

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VERSUS
BP, PLC ET AL

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PARKER
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
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MILES
VERSUS
HAYWARD, ET AL

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SCHMALZ, ET AL
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN LTD, ET AL

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HB13, LLC
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

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MITCHELL, ET AL
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

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GARNER
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

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SCHAFF
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
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A BAR & GRILL WITH A BITE, INC, ET AL
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
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SECTION: J

RHODES
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN OFFSHORE DRILLING INC, ET AL

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DUDENHEFER'S FISHING CHARTERS, INC.
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

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SECTION: J

GRIFFITS INVESTMENTS LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

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ELMER
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

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CRAWFORD
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

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DARDER, J
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN LTD, ET AL

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DARDAR, P
VERSUS
TRANSOCEAN LTD, ET AL

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THERIOT
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HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES INC, ET AL

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HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES INC, ET AL

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BP PLC, ET AL

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P & S RESTAURANT GROUP, LOUISIANA, LLC, ET AL
VERSUS
BP, PLC, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
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SECTION: J

BRONDUM, ET AL
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

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SECTION: J

DINET
VERSUS
BP PLC, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
NUMBER: 10-1615
SECTION: J

GULF RESTORATION NETWORK INC., ET AL
VERSUS
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, ET AL

CIVIL ACTION
NUMBER: 10-1630
SECTION: J

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**THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 2010 9:30 A.M.
JUDGE CARL J. BARBIER PRESIDING**

STATUS CONFERENCE

Court begins at 9:40 a.m.

All present and ready.

Cameron International Corporation, BP PLC, LLC and Halliburton's motion for recusal under 28 U.S.C. 455(B) (C.A. 10-1250, doc #65, 70, 71): Argued; ORDERED DENIED.

Halliburton & Cameron International Corporation's counsel object to the Court's temporary appointment of an interim defendant liaison counsel: ORDERED that Donald Haycraft remain interim defendant liaison counsel at this time.

Ubaldo Cossio's motion for Temporary Restraining Order (C.A. 10-1222, #107): Withdrawn as moot.

Ubaldo Cossio's motion to intervene (C.A. 10-1222, #117): ORDERED GRANTED as unopposed.

The proposed Case Management Order is discussed.

BP PLC is to produce documents by July 6, 2010, and Transocean by July 14, 2010, into the interim document repositories.

Counsel for Weatherford discusses the necessity of an interim Case Management Order.

Halliburton counsel reads into the record the defendants' plan for access to sealed/confidential documents; plaintiffs assure the court that an agreement can be reached on this issue.

A reciprocal access to documents statement will be added to the proposed Case Management Order.

BP Products North America Inc., BP America Inc, Halliburton Energy Services Inc., and M-I, LLC'S motions to stay (C.A. 10-1506, #5 & #20; C.A. 10-1446, #33, C.A. 10-1156, #128): ORDERED DENIED.

Issues relating to the OPA Claims Process are discussed. Counsel for BP informs the court that an independent claims mediator has been appointed in an attempt to speed up payment claims.

Worker health and safety concerns are discussed. BP LLC's amended policy as to workers' safety is read into the record by plaintiffs' counsel. This document will be filed into the record shortly. Samples of new oil and weathered oil are to be produced in a coordinated fashion by liaison counsel.

Counsel report on the status of the derivative cases, and inform the court that an order to consolidate these cases will be filed once all claims have been made.

The court orders all Section J cases related to C.A. 10-1156, Shane Roshto, et al vs Transocean, Ltd, et al, to be consolidated with this case. All Section J Oil Spill cases are to be reassigned to Magistrate Judge Sally Shushan.

The court will issue an interim Case Management Order No. 1.

The status of other federal and state court litigation is discussed.

A further status conference will be held on JULY 8, 2010 at 9:30 a.m.

A brief status report is to be filed with the court on JULY 7, 2010, by 12 noon.

Court adjourns at 11:30 a.m.

ATTORNEYS: See attached list