## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

FRANCO RIBEIRO and DEANNA	)	
RIBEIRO, as individuals and as next	)	
friends and biological parents of	)	
Lucas Ribeiro, an infant,	)	
	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	
	)	
BABY TREND, INC., a corporation,	8:12	CV204
MARK SEDLACK, MILLENIUM	)	
DEVELOPMENT CORP., INDIANA	) OR	RDER
MILLS & MANUFACTURING INC.,	)	
LERADO GROUP CO., LTD.,	)	
LERADO GROUP (HOLDING)	)	
COMPANY, LTD., LERADO	)	
(ZHONG SHAN) INDUSTRIAL CO.,	)	
LTD., LERADO CHINA LIMITED,	)	
LERADO H.K. LIMITED,	)	
HOLMBERGS SAFETY SYSTEM	)	
HOLDING AB, GNOSJOGRUPPEN	)	
AB, HOLMBERGS CHILDSAFETY	)	
AB, MAXI MILIAAN B.V., and	)	
DOREL INDUSTRIES, INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

This matter is before the court on Defendants' Joint Motion for Continuance and Joint Motion for Expedited Ruling (Filing No. 550). The defendants jointly request an extension of the dates set forth in the court's December 7, 2016, Order Amending Final Progression of the Case (Filing No. 544). Plaintiffs oppose the motion. (Filing No. 551).

In the court's December 7, 2016, Order, the court informed the parties that further motions to change deadlines "shall not be considered in the absence of a showing by counsel

of due diligence in the timely development of this case for trial and the recent development of

circumstances, unanticipated prior to the filing of the motion, which require that additional

time be allowed." (Filing No. 544 at p. 5). The court finds there has been no showing of

due diligence or recent exceptional developments necessitating the defendants' requested

extensions of time. Therefore, the court is not inclined to extend the dispositive motion

deadline, currently set for January 23, 2017, or the trial date, set to commence the week of

April 24, 2017. However, the court has no objection to the parties' agreeing to extend the

time for defendants to conclude depositions, including expert depositions. The parties are

instructed to meet and confer, per Plaintiffs' response (Filing No. 551 at p. 7), to mutually

consent and jointly agree to additional time to conclude depositions. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED: Defendants' Joint Motion for Continuance and Joint Motion for

Expedited Ruling (Filing No. 550) is denied.

**DATED:** January 12, 2017

**BY THE COURT:** 

s/ F.A. Gossett

**United States Magistrate Judge** 

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