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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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KELLY GUERRERO, Plaintiff, vs. VINCE NEIL WHARTON, Defendant.

Case No.: 2:16-cv-01667-GMN-NJK

ORDER

Pending before the Court is Defendant Vince Neil Wharton's ("Defendant"), Motion to Continue Trial, (ECF No. 141). Plaintiff Kelly Guerrero ("Plaintiff") filed a Response, (ECF No. 142), and Defendant did not file a reply.

In his Motion, Defendant indicates that he has newly-retained counsel; that he recently received his file from prior counsel; that the file is voluminous; and that "[u]p until this point, [current] counsel for Defendant has not had an opportunity to review any of the discovery in this case, or to speak to any witness listed by any of the parties in this matter." (*See* Def.'s Mot. to Continue ¶¶ 5–7, ECF No. 141). For these reasons, and others not discussed here, Defendant requests that trial in this matter be continued for a period of 90 days. (*Id.* ¶ 8). Plaintiff responds *inter alia* that "[t]he fact that [Defendant's prior counsel] liened Defendant['s] file in this lawsuit is completely Defendant's own fault," and "[w]hatever time constraints [Defendant] may claim in preparing for trial was his own doing." (Pl.'s Resp. at 6, ECF No. 142).

Upon review and consideration, the Court finds that Defendant has sufficiently shown
the need for a continuance so that Defendant may adequately prepare for trial. However,
Defendant is advised that no additional trial continuances will be granted.

Accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendant's Motion to Continue Trial, (ECF No. 141), is **GRANTED**. Defendant is advised that no further requests to continue trial will be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the jury trial currently scheduled for November 18, 2019, at 8:30 a.m. is vacated and continued to March 23, 2020, at 8:30 a.m. in Courtroom 7D.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that based on the above, the calendar call currently scheduled for November 12, 2019, at 9:00 a.m. is vacated and continued to March 17, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. in Courtroom 7D.

DATED this <u>28</u> day of October, 2019.

Gloria M. Navarro, District Judge United States District Court