

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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 IN RE: ZIMMER M/L TAPER HIP :  
 PROSTHESIS OR M/L TAPER : MDL NO. 2859  
 HIP PROSTHESIS WITH KINECTIV :  
 TECHNOLOGY AND :  
 VERSYS FEMORAL HEAD PRODUCTS : 18-md-2859-PAC  
 LIABILITY LITIGATION : 18-mc-2859-PAC  
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*This Document Relates to All Cases* : **ORDER NO. 61**  
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**EIGHTH AMENDED SCHEDULE**

Upon consideration of the parties' agreed-to proposed amended schedule, the Court adopts the following future deadlines:

<b>Event</b>	<b>Current Date</b>	<b>New Date</b>
Closure of expert discovery for MDL Bellwether Trial #1	April 23, 2021	April 30, 2021
Dispositive and <i>Daubert</i> motion deadline for MDL Bellwether Trial #1	May 14, 2021	May 21, 2021
Deadline for motions <i>in limine</i> for MDL Bellwether Trial #1	May 21, 2021	August 18, 2021
Response to Dispositive and <i>Daubert</i> motions due	June 14, 2021	June 21, 2021
Reply to Dispositive and <i>Daubert</i> motions due	July 1, 2021	July 8, 2021
Response to motions <i>in limine</i> due	June 21, 2021	September 1, 2021

<b>Event</b>	<b>Current Date</b>	<b>New Date</b>
Reply to motions <i>in limine</i> due	July 9, 2021	September 10, 2021
Deadline for Parties' Affirmative Deposition Designations for Bellwether Trial #1 <sup>2</sup>	N/A	June 18, 2021
Deadline for Responsive Deposition Designations and Objections to Affirmative Designations for Bellwether Trial #1	N/A	July 12, 2021
Deadline for Objections to Responsive Deposition Designations, Responses to Objections to Affirmative Designations for Bellwether Trial #1	N/A	July 30, 2021
Deadline for Responses to Objections to Responsive Deposition Designations for Bellwether Trial #1	N/A	August 13, 2021
Deadline for simultaneous verdict forms and <i>voir dire</i> questions.	N/A	September 14, 2021
Deadline for proposed Jury Instructions	N/A	September 21, 2021
Deadline for Exchange of Witness and Exhibit Lists	N/A	July 23, 2021
Deadline for Exchange of Objections to Witness and Exhibit Lists	N/A	August 18, 2021

<sup>2</sup> If a party wishes to designate additional testimony later, the parties shall meet and confer. Failure to meet this deadline alone will not be grounds for denying additional designation.

Event	Current Date	New Date
Deadline for PEC's response and objections to proposed jury instructions, verdict forms and <i>voir dire</i> questions.	N/A	N/A
Deadline for exchange of objections to witness and exhibit lists	N/A	N/A
Deadline for Defendants' objections to PEC's proposed jury instructions, verdict forms and <i>voir dire</i> questions	N/A	N/A
Final Pretrial Conference	September 21, 2021 @ 2PM	
MDL Bellwether Trial #1 start date	September 28, 2021	
Bellwether Mediation Start Date	November 25, 2021	

APPROVED the 11th day of June, 2021.




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Honorable Judge Paul A. Crotty  
U.S. District Court Southern District of New York