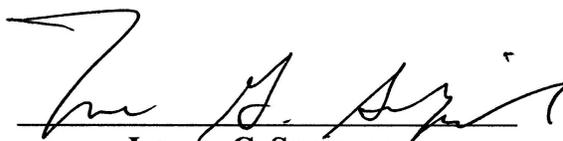


shall prepare and file them. If Plaintiff is not in communication with Defendant, as soon as possible and no later than **noon on April 28, 2021**, Plaintiff shall file a letter (i) summarizing his efforts to contact Defendant; (ii) requesting adjournment of the initial pretrial conference and (iii) explaining why he has failed to timely respond to the Court's orders.

Plaintiff and his counsel are reminded again that compliance with Court-ordered deadlines is not optional. Further non-compliance will result in dismissal of this action for failure to prosecute.

Dated: April 27, 2021
New York, New York



LORNA G. SCHOFIELD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE