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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

DONALD R. HUNT,

Plaintiff,

v.

KELLON CUNNINGHAM, VICTOR
OWENS, JERRY WONDERS, CHAD
KROSHUS, RAYDEAN GEORGE,
ED TROWBRIDGE, MIKE
HANRATTY, JOAN ROPER, CHRIS
HICKS, JEFFREY A. UTTECHT,

Defendants.

NO. 4:15-cv-5042 JPH

**ORDER GRANTING
DEFENDANTS' MOTION
FOR PROTECTIVE
ORDER**

Defendants filed a Motion for Protective Order, ECF No. 13, seeking to stay discovery with respect to five named defendants, until the Court rules on defendants' pending motion for judgment on the pleadings, ECF No. 12. Plaintiff agrees discovery with respect to one of the defendants (Kroshus) but not to the other four. ECF No. 13 at 2.

The Court is fully advised and has examined the pleadings.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Defendants' Motion for Protective Order, ECF No. 13, is **GRANTED;**

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2. All discovery propounded to Defendants Uttecht, George, Hanratty, Trowbridge and Kroshus in this matter is hereby **STAYED** pending this Court's ruling on Defendants' Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings, ECF No. 12; and

3. The Clerk is directed to send uncertified copies of this Order to Plaintiff and to counsel for Defendants.

DATED this 21st day of August, 2015.

s/ James P. Hutton
JAMES P. HUTTON
United States Magistrate Judge