
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES – GENERAL

Case No. SACV 17-00746-JLS (JDE)

Date: December 19, 2017

Title: Steven Rupp et al v. Xavier Becerra et al

Present: **HONORABLE JOSEPHINE L. STATON, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Terry Guerrero
Deputy Clerk

N/A
Court Reporter

Attorneys Present for Plaintiff:

Attorneys Present for Defendant:

Not Present

Not Present

Proceedings: (In Chambers) SCHEDULING ORDER

On the Court's own motion, the Scheduling Conference set for hearing December 22, 2017, is VACATED and taken off calendar, and the following dates are set. The parties requested a dispositive motions deadline after the close of expert discovery, and the Court has accommodated this request.

Counsel's attention is directed to the Court's Civil Trial Order filed concurrently with this Minute Order. Generally, motions should be set for hearing on the Court's first available date.

The dates below will not be continued absent a showing of good cause. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(b)(4).

Consistent with the Court's anticipated change in its trial setting procedures to be implemented in 2018, the Court will defer setting a trial date and an exhibit conference date until the final pretrial conference. The parties must be prepared to address trial scheduling issues at the final pretrial conference.

Last Day to File a Motion to Add Parties and Amend Pleadings: February 6, 2018

Fact Discovery Cut-off: May 15, 2018

Last Day to Serve Initial Expert Reports: May 29, 2018

Last Day to Serve Rebuttal Expert Reports: June 26, 2018

Expert Discovery Cut-off: July 24, 2018

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Last Day to File Motions (excluding *Daubert* Motions
and all other Motions in Limine):

September 4, 2018

Last Day to Conduct Settlement Proceedings:

October 23, 2018

Last Day to File *Daubert* Motions:

November 6, 2018

Last Day to File Motions in Limine (excluding *Daubert* motions):

November 23, 2018

Final Pretrial Conference (1:30 p.m.):

December 21, 2018

Trial Estimate:¹

7 days

Initials of Preparer: tg

¹ This is the parties' estimate. The Court may allot fewer days for trial.