

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION

IN RE: DAVOL, INC./C.R. BARD,  
INC., POLYPROPYLENE HERNIA  
MESH PRODUCTS LIABILITY  
LITIGATION

Case No. 2:18-md-2846

JUDGE EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.  
Magistrate Judge Kimberly A. Jolson

This document relates to:  
ALL ACTIONS.

**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 47**

On August 29, 2023, a Case Management Conference was held in this multidistrict litigation. This order memorializes developments in the third and fourth bellwether cases, Case No. 18-cv-1022, *Stinson v. Davol, Inc. et al.* and Case No. 18-cv-1440, *Bryan v. C.R. Bard, Inc. et al.*

As noted previously, the Court shall hold trial in *Bryan v. C.R. Bard* on April 8, 2024. The trial of *Stinson v. Davol* shall begin the week of October 16, 2023. The first week of trial shall last **Five Days (5)**. All subsequent weeks of trial shall last **FOUR DAYS (4)**, beginning on Monday and ending on Thursday.

During the conference, the parties noted a dispute over Plaintiff's interrogatories. Specifically, Plaintiff contends that Defendant's responses were inadequate. The Court **ORDERS** the parties to meet and confer regarding Plaintiff's Fourth Set of Interrogatories. The parties shall have **SEVEN DAYS (7)** to resolve the issue between themselves. If the parties are unable to do so in the time period allotted, the Court **ORDERS** them to brief this issue for the Court. Plaintiff shall have **SEVEN DAYS (7)** to submit their filings. Upon submission of Plaintiff's briefing, Defendant shall have **SEVEN DAYS (7)** to submit their response. Neither submission shall

exceed **FIVE PAGES (5)**.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

8/31/2023  
DATE

s/Edmund A. Sargus, Jr.  
EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE