

**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  
CHIEF JUDGE EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR**

**This document relates to:  
ALL ACTIONS.**

**ORDER**

On August 15, 2019, this Court inadvertently moved the dates of the first Bellwether cases in this large MDL. The jointly proposed order moved a number of dates previously scheduled, with the postponement of the first trials referenced at the bottom of page 6.

The Court rescinds the portion of the Order moving the originally scheduled trial dates. The first Bellwether will begin on May 8, 2020, as previously ordered; the second on July 13, 2020 and the third on September 14, 2020.

The Court recognizes that all parties and counsel are moving very diligently and professionally in these cases, which now number in excess of 3,500 civil suits. The Court cannot accommodate the proposed changes in trial dates. Additional, but time-limited staffing has been requested for these cases. Other pending cases cannot be scheduled for trial if MDL Bellwether trials are not firmly given certain dates.

The parties may consult and resubmit new dates for other deadlines, albeit not the trial dates mentioned herein. They must do so by August 23, 2019 or the Court will revise the schedule.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

8-19-2019  
DATE

  
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EDMUND A. SARGUS, JR.  
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE