

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

PATRICK J. JUNEAU,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Respondent.

ORDER

04-C-0620-C

Counsel have written to the court to ask for an adjournment of the trial date to allow additional time to mediate and settle the case. The request is DENIED.

Although the court supports and encourages mediation and settlement efforts, it anticipates that such efforts will not affect previously-scheduled deadlines or the trial date in the case. If counsel are able to settle the case before they have to begin trial preparation, that would be fine. If not, they should prepare for trial on March 28, 2005.

Entered this 15th day of December, 2004.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge