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

PATRICK J. FITZGERALD,

Plaintiff, ORDER

v. 07-C-061-C

JAMES GREER, et al.,

Defendants.

On December 14, 2007, this court held a recorded telephonic conference. Plaintiff did not participate personally, but was represented by his attorneys Daniel Prince and Stephen J. Turanchik. Defendants were represented by Assistant Attorney General Francix X. Sullivan.

The parties outlined several discovery problems that have eluded solution, despite amicable best efforts to resolve them. After discussing matters thoroughly with both sides – and several times commending plaintiff's attorneys for going above and beyond the call issued by this court – I determined that the most efficient way to resolve the current scheduling dilemmas is to extend the schedule.

Accordingly, the remainder of the current schedule is stricken in favor of these new dates:

1) Plaintiff's expert disclosures: February 29, 2008

2) Defendants' Expert Disclosures: March 21, 2008

3) Deadline to File Summary Judgment or Dismissal Motions: April 4, 2008

4) Discovery Cutoff: July 11, 2008

5) Final Hearing: August 7, 2008 at 4:00 p.m.

6) Jury Selection and Trial: August 11, 2008 at 9:00 a.m.

The parties now are predicting a full three days for trial. Other than these date changes, the remainder of the preliminary pretrial conference order and the attachments to it remain in full effect.

Entered this 14th day of December, 2007.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge