UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

IN RE: PROTON-PUMP INHIBITOR PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

2:17-MD-2789 (CCC)(MF) (MDL 2789) and all member and related cases

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Judge Claire C. Cecchi

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 37

The Court, after having held a case management conference on February 20, 2020 and having heard from the parties, enters the following ORDER:

1. The parties shall meet and confer on the framing of categorization for groups of plaintiffs still subject to motions to dismiss related to the tolling agreement and report back to the Court at the April 2, 2020 case management conference.

2. The Court shall hear oral argument on the pending motion to quash the third party subpoena of Lucy Business at the April 2, 2020 case management conference. The PSC and Defendants shall notify Lucy Business that a date for oral argument has been set as April 2, 2020.

3. The parties shall meet and confer on Defendants' proposed CMO concerning plaintiffs who have not produced a Plaintiff Fact Sheet and will provide an update to the Court on March 5, 2020. In advance of the meet and confer, Defendants shall provide the PSC with a list of those plaintiffs who would be subject to this CMO and who they allege have not produced a Plaintiff Fact Sheet, as well as the names of their counsel.

4. With respect to the open motions challenging AstraZeneca's privilege claims, the Court shall rule on the papers.

5. The PSC shall send Defendants their proposal for a deposition scheduling procedure and the parties will discuss the proposal after that time.

6. AstraZeneca shall provide a status report to the Court by March 5 on the scheduling of the pending deposition notices, and the Court expects that most of the witnesses who are current AstraZeneca employees will have dates proposed to the PSC by that time.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: Newark, New Jersey

March 2, 2020

CLAIRE C. CECCHI United States District Judge