

**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**

This Document Relates to: ALL ACTIONS

Judge Claire C. Cecchi

**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER NO. 12
ON APRIL 10, 2018 STATUS
CONFERENCE**

The Court having held a telephonic case management conference on April 10, 2018, and after reviewing the parties' submissions and having discussed various case management issues with the parties, enters the following ORDER:

1. The Court denied Plaintiffs' proposed order regarding the filing of bundled complaints. The parties shall meet and confer on a tolling agreement and provide the Court with an update at the next conference.

2. Plaintiffs reported that they have reached agreement on a Defense Fact Sheet ("DFS") with the Pfizer/Wyeth Defendants. The remaining Defendants shall meet and confer with Plaintiffs on a DFS and report back to the Court at the next status conference.

3. The AstraZeneca Defendants shall run the search terms listed in Exhibit A to the PSC's April 9, 2018 letter submission to the Court for the first 10 custodians named in Exhibit C of that letter. Productions shall be made on a rolling basis.

4. The parties shall continue to confer on noticed 30(b)(6) depositions and report back to the Court at the next conference.

5. Plaintiffs have requested supplementation of Defendants' Regulatory file

productions through December 31, 2017. AstraZeneca has agreed to this production. The remaining Defendants and Plaintiffs shall meet and confer on the timing of this production and report back to the Court at the next conference.

6. The parties shall submit a case management order governing Science Day as soon as practicable but no later than May 1, 2018.

7. The Plaintiffs Steering Committee shall be prepared to make recommendations to the Court concerning the management of *pro se* litigants at the next case management conference.

8. The parties shall meet and confer on a trial scheduling order. If the parties are unable to agree, they shall each submit a letter that sets forth their respective positions by April 27, 2018.

9. The Court has scheduled an in-person status conference for May 1, 2018 at 11 a.m. The parties shall submit a joint status report and agenda for that conference by April 27, 2018.

10. The Court has scheduled an in-person status conference for June 12, 2018 at 1 p.m. The parties shall submit a joint status report and agenda for that conference by June 8, 2018.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: Newark, New Jersey
April 26, 2018



CLAIRE C. CECCHI
United States District Judge