## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS STATE OF MISSOURI

KYLE CHAPLICK, et al.,	)	
Plaintiffs,	) Cause No. 19SL-CC041	15 Ell ——
v.	) Division No. 8	FILED
MONSANTO COMPANY,	)	OCT 0 2 2019
Defendant.	)	JOAN M. GILMER CIRCUIT CLERK, ST. LOUIS COUNTY

## **ORDER**

The Court issues the following Order pursuant to the Court Order of Presiding Judge Gloria C. Reno dated May 6, 2019, concerning pretrial procedures to be used in the Roundup® lawsuits. [Order attached].

Presently before the Court is Plaintiff's Motion for Trial Setting beginning October 15, 2019. Venue was transferred to this Court from the 22<sup>nd</sup> Judicial Circuit on September 18, 2019. Plaintiff(s) filed their trial setting motion six (6) days after this circuit received the change of venue. Defendant filed their opposition to Plaintiff's motion for trial setting on September 26, 2019. Neither party has filed a notice of hearing for the pending motion.

The Court, having reviewed the Division 8 trial schedule finds that it is unable to comply with Plaintiff's request to set a multiple plaintiff, multiple week trial as soon as October 15, 2019, and therefore denies Plaintiff's request for trial setting of October 15, 2019.

The parties are directed to comply with Administrative Rule 13 by contacting the clerk of Division 1, the Honorable Brian May to schedule a hearing on an appropriate Motion for Multiple Plaintiff Trial Settings.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Plaintiff's Motion for Trial Setting beginning October 15, 2019 is **DENIED**.

**DATE:** 

10/2/19

cc: Attorneys of Record

**SO ORDERED:** 

Honorable Dean P. Waldemer

Circuit Judge, Division 8

Honorable Judge Brian H. May Circuit Judge, Division 1

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ST. LOUIS COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER** 

Cases filed or transferred to the 21st Judicial Circuit in which Monsanto is a Defendant shall be

assigned in random order.

Any Motion to Dismiss, Motion Pro Hac Vice Pursuant to Missouri Supreme Court Rule 9.03,

Motion for Multiple Plaintiff Trial Settings, Motion for Leave, Motion to Sever or Change of Venue,

Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings, Motion for Summary Judgment, Scheduling Orders and Daubert

Hearings shall be scheduled for hearing as appropriate with the clerk of Division 1 or Division 18 on all

such cases.

However, the designated trial Judge on the case shall hear Motions in Limine and Motions to

Continue Trial.

This Order applies to product liability cases involving Round-Up or similar products of

Monsanto.

SO ORDERED:

Moria C. Reno, Presiding Judge

Date: May 6, 2019