IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

IN RE: NEOMEDIC PELVIC REPAIR

SYSTEM PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL 2511

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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO THE CASE

**IDENTIFIED BELOW** 

PRETRIAL ORDER # 36

(Order re: Mandatory Settlement Conference)

Less than ten unresolved cases against Neomedic International, S.L., Desarrollo e

Investigación Médica Aragonesa, S.L. ("DIMA"), Specialties Remeex, International, S.L., and/or

Neomedic, Inc. (collectively, "Neomedic") remain in this MDL and others assigned to me. In

Pretrial Order No. 34, I stated that if the case of plaintiff Donna McDonald, MDL 2511 Civil

Action No. 2:15-cv-05959, was not resolved or dismissed by December 16, 2016, the Court would

conduct a settlement conference in Charleston, West Virginia on January 4, 2017. I also stated

that I would enter an order confirming that the settlement conference would be conducted.

It is **ORDERED** as follows:

1. The Court will conduct a mandatory settlement conference in Charleston, West

Virginia at the Robert C. Byrd United States Courthouse, Room 7800 beginning at

9:00 a.m. on January 4, 2017, and continuing from day-to-day thereafter, in the case

of Donna McDonald v. Neomedic, MDL 2511 Civil Action No. 2:15-cv-05959.

2. Plaintiff Donna McDonald shall appear in person for the settlement conference with

counsel of record as reflected on the docket sheet for her individual case.

3. If Plaintiff Donna McDonald fails to comply with this Pretrial Order, she may be

subject to a substantial sanction, including dismissal with prejudice.

4. If the parties reach a settlement prior to January 4, 2017, submission of an inactive

docket order for that case will relieve plaintiff and her counsel from the obligation

of attending the mandatory settlement conference.

5. Cases or claims against Neomedic not settled during the settlement conference will

be dealt with by further order.

The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in 2:14-md-2511 and in the

*individual case cited above*. It shall be the responsibility of the parties to review and abide by all

pretrial orders previously entered by the Court. The orders may be accessed through the CM/ECF

system or the Court's website at www.wvsd.uscourts.gov.

ENTER: December 21, 2016

JOSEPH R. GOODWIN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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