

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA
MARICOPA COUNTY

CV 2008-001893

10/23/2008

HONORABLE BETHANY G. HICKS

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LINDA JONES

SARA J POWELL

v.

SECURITAS SECURITY SERVICES U S A INC, ROBERT MACKENZIE
et al.

WALTER GROCHOWSKI

**PRETRIAL CONFERENCE
STATUS CONFERENCE SET**

1:30 p.m. (In Chambers) This is the time set for a telephonic Pretrial Scheduling Conference. Plaintiff is represented by counsel Sara J. Powell. Defendant Regency House Association is represented by counsel Walter Grochowski. Defendant Securitas Security is represented by counsel Robert Mackenzie.

Court reporter, Michael Babicky, is present.

The case status is discussed.

IT IS ORDERED adopting as the Court's orders the discovery deadlines as set forth in the Joint Pretrial Memorandum filed October 16, 2008.

LET THE RECORD REFLECT that dispositive motions will be due by **July 1, 2009**.

LET THE RECORD FURTHER REFLECT that counsel can expect this matter to go to trial in **October 2009**.

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IT IS ORDERED that mediation be completed by **July 15, 2009**. All parties concerned with this lawsuit, counsel and those with authority on behalf of the parties must **PERSONALLY** appear at the settlement conference and participate in good faith, unless the mediator, in his discretion, allows a telephonic appearance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED setting a telephonic Status Conference for **December 29, 2008 at 9:45 a.m.**, with **Plaintiff to initiate** call to this Division, telephone number 602-506-2139.

Suggestions to conference call attendees calling from outside the court system:

- Do not use a speaker phone.
- Do not use a cell phone. If possible, use a desk phone.
- Avoid noisy areas.
- Mute phone when not speaking.
- State your name every time you address the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **3 days prior** to the Status Conference, the parties shall submit a written **Joint Notice of Statement of the Case** indicating the following:

- The status of the case;
- Compliance with the Court's deadlines,
- Issue(s) that they have resolved; and
- Any problems or motions to address.

Counsel are advised that the Court is available to discuss, by joint telephone call, discovery disputes or any other matter that may impact the parties' ability to resolve this case in a just, speedy, and inexpensive manner. See Rule 1, Ariz.R.Civ.P.

With respect to discovery disputes, counsel are also advised that, as the Court interprets Civil Rule 37(a)(2)(c), an exchange of correspondence between counsel is not sufficient to satisfy the "personal consultation" requirement of the Rule, except in extraordinary circumstances. At a minimum, counsel must speak to each other by telephone to attempt to resolve the dispute in good faith before involving the Court.

1:33 p.m. Conference concludes.

NOTE: The parties are advised that failure to appear at a hearing may result in sanctions, including a Default Judgment.