

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE: STRYKER LFIT V40 FEMORAL HEAD \*  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION \*

MDL No. 17-md-2768-IT

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This Document Relates To: \*

All Cases \*

MDL Order No. 12  
(August 1, 2017, Status Conference)

July 31, 2017

TALWANI, D.J.

The agenda for the August 1, 2017, status conference is as follows:

1. Pleadings: Timeline for lifting the stay, resolving without motion practice (if possible) any issues relating to naming of proper Defendant, Plaintiffs' filing a master complaint and short-form complaints, and Defendant(s)'s answer or other response to pleadings.
2. Discovery: Timeline for initial disclosures under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(a)(1), case questionnaire to parallel New Jersey state court litigation, and Rule 26(f) conference and discovery plan.
3. Protective Order & ESI Protocol: Counsel's report on proposed protective order and ESI protocol.
4. Direct Filing Order: Counsel's report on the parties' positions regarding a direct filing order.
5. Product Day: Counsel's report on the parties' positions as to timing and substance of proposed "Product Day."
6. Schedule for further Status Conferences.

7. Other matters that counsel seek to have addressed. Counsel seeking to raise additional matters should file a notice setting such matters on the MDL docket before 9:00 a.m. on August 1, 2017.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: July 31, 2017

/s/ Indira Talwani  
United States District Judge