



CAUSE NO. DC-( 13-09969 )

JO N. HOPPER,

*Plaintiff(s),*

v.

LAURA S. WASSMER, et al,

*Defendant(s).*

In the District Court  
of Dallas County, Texas  
44th Judicial District

### ORDER SETTING SCHEDULING CONFERENCE AND NOTICE OF POLICIES

In accordance with Rule 166, 190 and 192 of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, the parties or their attorneys are ORDERED to appear for a scheduling conference to address those matters stated in those Rules on the following date and time: *May 29, 2015 @9:00 a.m.*, or alternatively **dismissal for want of prosecution** for failure to comply with the Courts order for the submission and entrance of a scheduling order. *The Court prefers that counsel submit an agreed Scheduling Order in lieu of attending the scheduling conference hearing. Upon receipt of the signed order, the hearing will be canceled.*

#### **THE PARTIES ARE ORDERED TO CONFER BEFORE THE CONFERENCE.**

The conference will not be required if the parties file an agreed scheduling order. One of the two Modified Uniform Scheduling Orders is attached. The date by which the case will be ready for trial (the "Initial Trial Setting") as indicated in the forms must be on a Monday not a holiday, and must be in the following range: **PLEASE USE THE ATTACHED MODIFIED UNIFORM SCHEDULING ORDER, LEVELS 1-2 or 3.**

Level 1	6-12 months <u>from the date of initial filing of the case</u>
Level 2	12-18 months <u>from the date of initial filing of the case</u>
Level 3	18-24 months <u>from the date of initial filing of the case</u>

Requests for variations from the attached forms, even if agreed, must be made at the scheduling conference. Failure to attend the scheduling conference may result in the entry of an order of dismissal for want of prosecution or other sanctions:

The parties are directed to take notice of the following court policies:

Service of Papers Filed with the Court. — Other than original petitions and any accompanying applications for temporary restraining order, any documents filed with the Court that relate to requests for expedited relief or to matters set for hearing within seven days of filing must be served upon all opposing parties in a manner that will ensure receipt of the papers by them on the same day the papers are filed with the Court or District Clerk.

Uncontested or Agreed Matters. — The Court does not require a separate motion or hearing on

