

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY
TRIAL DIVISION-CIVIL

IN RE:
YAZ/YASMIN LITIGATION

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September Term, 2009
No. 1307

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J. STEWART

ORDER

AND NOW, this 6th day of January, 2012, this court having stayed the case of *Moore v. Bayer*, August 2010, No. 0570, pending decision of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania to exercise its King's Bench Jurisdiction and in an effort to effectuate an amicable resolution to this litigation and with the agreement of all parties, it is hereby **ORDERED** and **DECREED**:

In conjunction with the Honorable David Herndon's December 31, 2011 Case Management Order No. 53, the Court hereby appoints Professor Stephen Saltzburg of George Washington School of Law, Washington, D.C., as Special Master, for purposes of mediation, with all his expenses and fees to be borne equally by plaintiffs and defense sides.

Philadelphia liaison counsel are hereby ordered to coordinate with the MDL leadership teams and to participate in all organizational meetings with Professor Saltzburg. Professor Saltzburg shall consider and utilize every reasonable mediation option available to effectuate settlements in this litigation. Each party is ordered to negotiate in good faith.

It is further ordered since the case of *Bodnar v. Bayer*, March 2010, No. 2173, set for a February 2012 trial, not being subject to said King's Bench Petition, is continued to May, 2012, so the Court can evaluate the mediation's progress and chances for success.

BY THE COURT:



Sandra Mazer Moss, J.
Coordinating Judge
Complex Litigation Center

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