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SUPERIOR COURT

LAFFERTY, ERICA Et Al
V.
JONES, ALEX EMRIC Et AlJUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WATERBURY
AT WATERBURY

3/30/2022

ORDERORDER REGARDING:
03/30/2022 786.00 MOTION TO REARGUE/RECONSIDER

The foregoing, having been considered by the Court, is hereby:

ORDER: DENIED

It would be inappropriate for the plaintiffs to serve a re-notice of deposition on Mr. Jones, as it is now entirely up to Mr. Jones as to whether and when he will be deposed. Mr. Jones is in contempt of court, and in order to purge the contempt, it is incumbent upon him, if he so desires, to provide, on two occasions, a minimum of 24 hours notice of his attendance at a weekday deposition at the office of plaintiffs' counsel in Bridgeport, and to actually sit for the depositions. Plaintiffs' counsel are expected to conduct the depositions provided that the minimum of 24 hours notice has been given to all parties. As such, the order stands. The court has imposed a \$25,000 per-weekday fine commencing on Friday April 1, 2022, increasing by \$25,000 per-weekday until Mr. Jones sits for two days of depositions, and the fine is stayed on the days that Mr. Jones attends his deposition.

Judicial Notice (JDNO) was sent regarding this order.

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Judge: BARBARA N BELLIS

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