

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE LORAZEPAM & CLORAZEPATE)
ANTITRUST LITIGATION)

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MDL Docket No. 1290
Misc. No. 99ms276

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NANCY MAYER WHITTINGTON, CLERK
U.S. DISTRICT COURT

This Order applies to:

All Actions

MEMORIALIZING ORDER

For the reasons stated from the bench in open court at the September 19, 2002 status hearing, it is hereby

ORDERED that the parties shall meet and confer with each other in order to arrive at a Master Scheduling Order for the Court's approval, using a summer of 2003 trial date and working backward. This proposed Master Scheduling Order shall be filed with the Court no later than October 21, 2002. It is further

ORDERED that the parties shall also meet and confer with each other prior to the next status hearing in order to discuss the possibility of presenting this case to a Magistrate Judge for purposes of settlement discussions. It is further

ORDERED that a status hearing shall be held on Thursday, October 24, 2002 at 1:30 p.m. The Joint Proposed Agenda for this status hearing shall be filed with the Court no later than close of business on October 21, 2002. Failure to file by that time will result in the Court postponing the status hearing.

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SO ORDERED.

September 19, 2002

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas F. Hogan", written over a horizontal line.

Thomas F. Hogan
Chief Judge