

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

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**IN RE: PRADAXA (DABIGATRAN  
ETEXILATE) PRODUCTS LIABILITY  
LITIGATION**

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) **MDL No. 2385**  
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**This Document Relates to:**

**ALL CASES**

**MINUTES OF STATUS CONFERENCE**

**PRESIDING:** CHIEF JUDGE DAVID R. HERNDON

**DATE:** May 2, 2014                      **COURT REPORTER:** Laura Esposito

**PLACE:** East St. Louis, Illinois      **COURTROOM DEPUTY:** Caitlin Fischer

**APPEARING FOR PLAINTIFFS:** Michael A. London, Mikal C. Watts, Roger C. Denton, Seth A. Katz, Tor A. Hoerman, Mark R. Niemeyer, Steve Davis

**APPEARING FOR DEFENDANTS:** Beth S. Rose, Dan H. Ball, Paul W. Schmidt, W. Jason Rankin, Tom Della Croce

**TIME:** 4:30 PM – 5:00 PM

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Court met with lead and liaison counsel prior to the hearing today.

Mr. Katz discusses discovery requests from Michelle Kliever. Motions regarding the timing of RE-LY review results were discussed by Mr. Schmidt. Mr. Katz states plaintiffs will produce expert reports. Mr. Katz and Mr. Ball discuss resolution of some issues relating to Higgins Discovery, and other issues were addressed. Mr. Ball states a motion will be filed by defendants regarding some of these issues. Mr. Ball states the parties have resolved a CMO 50 issue and the parties will submit a minute order regarding the same. Mr. Katz and Mr. Della Croce state an agreement has been made regarding the BIPI Starter Kits. Mr. Katz updates the Court about the report on sales representative files.

Mr. Hudson updates the Court about the issues surrounding the Plaintiff Fact Sheets (PFS). Court recognizes the importance of the PFS. Defendants' have filed a motion regarding the Plaintiffs' motion not being filed under seal and the plaintiffs will respond. Mr. Katz updates the Court on the BII Custodians who have revoked their consent. Mr. Ball states there have been attempts at resolving the expert deposition schedule.

Next status conference set for **June 3, 2014** at **3:30 PM**.