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# U.S. District Court Eastern District of New York (Central Islip) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:03-cv-04860-DLI-VVP

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission v. The Home

Depot

Assigned to: Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry

Referred to: Magistrate-Judge Viktor V. Pohorelsky

Cause: 42:1201 Civil Rights (Disability)

Date Filed: 09/24/2003

Date Terminated: 11/14/2005

Jury Demand: Both

Nature of Suit: 442 Civil Rights: Jobs Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Plaintiff

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text			
09/24/2003	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT Summons Issued against The Home Depot filed by Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet)(Romano, Daniel) Modified on 9/30/2003 (Romano, Daniel). (Entered: 09/30/2003)			
11/21/2003	2	MOTION for Leave to Appear <i>Pro Hac Vice; for an order admitting Paul E. Mirengoff, Esq. and Donald R. Livingston, Esq. pro hac vice, purs. to Local Rule 1.3(c), filed</i> by The Home Depot. (Fagan, Linda) (Entered: 12/09/2003)			
11/21/2003	3	AFFIDAVIT of Michelle A. Burg in Support re [2] MOTION for Leave to Appear <i>Pro Hac Vice; for an order admitting Paul E. Mirengoff, Esq. and Donald R. Livingston, Esq. pro hac vice, purs. to Local Rule 1.3(c), filed</i> by The Home Depot. (Fagan, Linda) (Entered: 12/09/2003)			
11/21/2003	6	ANSWER to Complaint by The Home Depot.(Valle, Christine) (Entered 01/12/2004)			
11/21/2003	7	DISCLOSURE of Interested Parties by The Home Depot.(Valle, Christine) (Entered: 01/12/2004)			
11/24/2003		Filing fee paid: Received \$25.00, receipt number 286162, from: Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld LLP re: Admission Pro Hac Vice. (Faga Linda) (Entered: 12/09/2003)			
12/02/2003	4	ORDER; granting [2] Motion for Leave to Appear. It is ordered that Pau E. Mirengoff, Esq. and Donald R. Livingston, Esq. of Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, LLP are hereby admitted pro hac vice to appear and participate in this case before this Court in accordance with Local			

		Civl Rule 1.3(c) of the United States Court for the Eastern District of New York. (Signed by JudgeJoanna Seybert on 12/2/03.) c/m (Fagan, Linda) (Entered: 12/09/2003)			
01/06/2004	8	AMENDED COMPLAINT <i>and Jury Trial Demand</i> against The Home Depot, filed by Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.(Valle, Christine) (Entered: 01/21/2004)			
01/12/2004	5	Letter dated 1/8/04 from Jorge Guzman to Carol McMahon Re: As per our conversation on 1/6/04, here is a copy of the answer and the corporate disclosure statement which was filed in Court on 11/21/03 but was never docketed. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 01/12/2004)			
01/21/2004	9	ANSWER to Amended Complaint by The Home Depot.(Valle, Christine) (Entered: 02/09/2004)			
02/11/2004	10	Letter dated 2/9/04 from Michelle A. Burg to Judge Seybert Re: To request that Your Honor provide a copy of all orders, notices and other correspondence to Paul E. Mirengoff, Esq as lead counsel at Akin Gum Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 03/08/2004)			
02/24/2004	11	MOTION to Intervene <i>as of Right as Party Plf Pursuant to Federal Ru of Civil Procedure Rule 24(a)</i> by Carolyn Pisani. (Barhome, Sydelle) (Entered: 03/10/2004)			
02/24/2004	12	MEMORANDUM in Support re [11] MOTION to Intervene as of Right as Party Plf Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 24(a) & Carolyn Pisani. (Barhome, Sydelle) (Entered: 03/10/2004)			
02/24/2004	13	NOTICE of Motion by Carolyn Pisani re [11] MOTION to Intervene <i>as of Right as Party Plf Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule</i> 24(a) (Barhome, Sydelle) (Entered: 03/10/2004)			
03/01/2004	15	Letter dated 2/26/04 from Sunu P. Chandy to Clerk of Court Re: This letter serves to inform the Court that EEOC is in support of pltff Intervenor Carolyn Pisani's Motion to Intervene in this matter. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 03/30/2004)			
03/01/2004	16	Letter dated 2/26/04 from Sunu P. Chandy to Clerk of Court Re: This letter serves to inform the Court that EEOC is in support of pltff Intervenor Carolyn Pisani's Motion to Intervene in this matter. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 03/31/2004)			
03/08/2004	17	Letter dated 3/5/04 from Michelle A. Burg to Clerk of Court Re: Enclosed for filing, please find Dft Home Depot's Memorandum of Lav in Opposition to Motion to Intervene. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 03/31/2004)			
03/08/2004	18	MEMORANDUM in Opposition Re: [11] MOTION to Intervene as of Right as Party Pltff Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 24(a) by The Home Depot. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 03/31/2004)			
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		Orenstein on 3/9/04. C/M(Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/08/2004)			
03/15/2004	19	Letter dated 3/12/04 from Marc Andrew Kramer to Clerk of Court Re: Enclosed for filing is Pltff-Intervenor's Memorandum of Law in Further Support of Motion to Intervene and Affidavit of Marc Andrew Kramer, with supporting exhibits. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/05/2004)			
03/15/2004	20	MEMORANDUM OF LAW in Further Support Re: [11] MOTION to Intervene as of Right as Party Plf Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 24(a) by Carolyn Pisani. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/05/2004)			
03/15/2004	21	AFFIDAVIT of Marc Andrew Kramer in Support Re: [11] MOTION to Intervene <i>as of Right as Party Plf Pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 24(a)</i> filed by Carolyn Pisani. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/05/2004)			
03/17/2004	14	Letter dated 3/15/04 from Michele A. Burg to Magistrate Orenstein Re: advising the Court that Paul E. Mirengoff has been admitted pro hac vice pursuant to Judge Seybert's Order of 12/3/03 as well as requesting that he be provided all order, notices and other correspondence. (Imrie, Robert) (Entered: 03/24/2004)			
04/12/2004	28	Letter from Marc Andrew Kramer to Hon. Michael L. Orenstein, dated 4/6/04 re: To advise the Court of the enclosed Report of Parties' Planning Meeting and Proposed Case Management Schedule purs. to F.R.C.P. 26 (f). (Fagan, Linda) (Entered: 04/28/2004)			
04/12/2004	29	REPORT Of Parties' Planning Meeting And Proposed Case Managemen Schedule, filed by Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, Caroly Pisani, The Home Depot (Fagan, Linda) (Entered: 04/28/2004)			
04/14/2004	23	Minute Entry for proceedings held before Michael L. Orenstein: Civil Cause for Initial Conference Hearing held on 4/14/2004 at 9:30AM. Counsel for all sides present. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/23/2004)			
04/14/2004	24	SCHEDULING ORDER: Pretrial Conference set for 10/22/2004 at 02:00PM before Chief Magistrate Michael L. Orenstein. Discovery due by 9/30/2004. All expert discovery including expert depositions due by 1/15/2005. Signed by Judge Michael L. Orenstein on 4/14/04. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/23/2004)			
04/14/2004	25	Notice of MOTION for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice as to attorney Esther Gwen Tamburo; Fee: 25.00; Receipt #292537 by The Home Depot. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/27/2004)			
04/14/2004	26	AFFIDAVIT of Michelle A. Burg in Support Re: [25] Notice of MOTION for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice as to attorney Esther Gwen Tamburo; Fee: 25.00; Receipt #292537 filed by The Home Depot. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/27/2004)			
04/15/2004	27	ORDER - Granting [25] Motion for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice. It is Ordered that Esther Gwen Tamburo, Esq of Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld, LLP is hereby admitted pro hac vice to appear and participate in			

		this case before this Court in accordance with Local Civil Rule 1.3(c) of the United States Court for the Eastern District of New York. Signed by JudgeJoanna Seybert on 4/15/04. C/M (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 04/27/2004)		
04/19/2004		ENDORSED ORDER re [30] Letter: The motion to intervene has not yet been decided. All motions are considered in due course. So Ordered Signed by Judge Joanna Seybert on 4/27/04. (Barhome, Sydelle) (Entered: 05/07/2004)		
04/21/2004	30	Letter dtd. 4/21/04 from L. Susan Scelzo Slavin to Hon. J. Seybert seeking clarification from the Court with regard to the motion to intervene. (Barhome, Sydelle) (Entered: 05/07/2004)		
06/09/2004	31	STIPULATION OF CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTIVE ORDER - It is hereby stipulated and agreed, by and between the undersigned counsel for the parties: The categories of documents set forth herein, to be disclosed during the course of this litigation by any party listed above shall be designated as and treated as confidential during the discovery phase of this litigation and shall be utilized by su receiving party solely in that context. Signed by Judge Joanna Seybert 6/9/04. (Valle, Christine) (Entered: 06/30/2004)		
06/29/2004		Case reassigned to Judge James Orenstein. Judge Michael L. Orenstein no longer assigned to the case. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 06/30/2004)		
07/29/2004	32	ORDER granting [11] Motion to Intervene. Plaintiff-Intervenor cannot add a claim against the unnamed defts not can she add the Rehabilitation Act claim against the deft because it is time-barred. Signed by Judge Joanna Seybert on 7/29/04. c/m (Mahon, Cinthia) (Entered: 08/26/2004)		
09/01/2004		Incorrect Case-Document Information filed.docket entrycomplaint-filed9/1/04numbered33 has been deleted. Counsel will refile document using proper event - Intervenor Complaint (McMahon, Carol) (Entered: 09/01/2004)		
09/01/2004	<u>33</u>	First Intervenor COMPLAINT <i>and Jury Demand</i> , filed by Carolyn Pisani.(Slavin, L.) (Entered: 09/01/2004)		
09/10/2004	34	ORDER OF RECUSAL. Judge James Orenstein recused. Signed by Judge James Orenstein on 9/10/04. Ms. Grossman shall advise all parti of this Order. (Branciforte, Ralph) (Entered: 09/10/2004)		
09/13/2004	<u>35</u>	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE by Carolyn Pisani re 33 Intervenor Complaint and Jury Demand (Kramer, Marc) (Entered: 09/13/2004)		
09/13/2004		Case reassigned to Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry. Judge Joanna Seybert no longer assigned to the case. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 09/13/2004)		
09/16/2004	<u>36</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg to The Honorable Dora L. Irizarry Regarding Deposition of Joseph Pisani. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 09/16/2004)		
09/29/2004		Case assigned to Judge A. Simon Chrein. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered:		

		09/29/2004)			
09/29/2004	<u>37</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg, dated 9/29/04 to Honorable A. Simon Chrein Regarding rescheduling Mr. Pisani's and Mr. DuBois' depositions after September 30, 2004. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 09/29/2004)			
09/30/2004	<u>38</u>	ANSWER to Complaint <i>Defendant Home Depot U.S.A., Inc.'s Answer and Defenses to Plaintiff-Intervenor's Complaint.</i> by The Home Depot. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 09/30/2004)			
10/01/2004	39	ORDER: counsel for Home Depot U.S.A. is granted permission to take the depositions of Mr. Pisani and Mr. DuBois after 9/30/2004. Signed by Judge A. Simon Chrein, on 9/30/2004. (Endorsed on letter dated 9/29/2004 from Michelle A. Burg to USMJ Chrein) (Barrett, C.) (Entered: 10/01/2004)			
10/28/2004	<u>40</u>	Minute Entry for proceedings held before A. Simon Chrein: Status Conference held on 10/28/2004. Discovery is scheduled to end 1/15/2005. Deft will file a pre-motion letter by 2/14/2005. Plaintiff to advise Magistrate in writing when motion is determined. (Lee, Tiffeny) (Entered: 11/12/2004)			
11/17/2004	<u>41</u>	Letter from Esther G. Tamburo to Magistrate Judge A. Simon Chrein Regarding the filing of an Emergency Motion on behalf of Defendant Home Depot. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 11/17/2004)			
11/17/2004	<u>42</u>	Notice of MOTION to Compel <i>the mental examination of Intervenor Carolyn Pisani</i> by The Home Depot. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 11/17/2004)			
11/17/2004	<u>43</u>	MEMORANDUM in Support re 42 Notice of MOTION to Compel <i>the mental examination of Intervenor Carolyn Pisani</i> by The Home Depot. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 11/17/2004)			
11/18/2004	44	RESPONSE to Motion re 42 Notice of MOTION to Compel the mental examination of Intervenor Carolyn Pisani filed by Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. (Attachments: # 1 Cover Letter to EEOC Response# 2 Chandy Declaration# 3 Exhibit Exh. A - Dr. Knight Report# 4 Exhibit Exh B - Complaint# 5 Exhibit Exhibit C - Order# 6 Exhibit Exh D- 6/18/04 Letter# 7 Exhibit Exh E- 8/3/04 Letter# 8 Exhibit Exh F- 10/28 Letter# 9 Exhibit Exh G- Reyes# 10 Exhibit Exh H- Hirsch) (Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 11/18/2004)			
11/19/2004	<u>45</u>	Minute Entry for proceedings held before Dora Lizette Irizarry: Status Conference held on 11/19/2004. 42 MOTION to Compel <i>the mental examination of Intervenor Carolyn Pisani</i> filed by The Home Depot is granted in part and denied in part, see calendar for complete ruling and further details. (ESR: O. Francis) (Lee, Tiffeny) (Entered: 11/23/2004)			
12/10/2004	46	TRANSCRIPT of Conference for date of 11/19/04 before Judge Dora L. Irizarry. Court Transcriber: Aria Transcriptionsr. (Williams-Jackson, Sandy) (Entered: 12/13/2004)			
02/04/2005	<u>47</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg to Judge Dora L. Irizarry and Magistrate			

Judge A. Simon Chrein Regarding Clarification of Order dated October 28, 2004. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 02/04/2005)			
Letter from Paul E. Mirengoff to Honorable Dora L. Irizarry and Honorable A. Simon Chrein Regarding Pre-Motion Conference. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 02/14/2005)			
e held in this m. Counsel for all irected to notify all Applications for t 48 hours prior to ora Lizette Irizarry			
Letter from Plaintiffs to Judge Irizarry and Magistrate Judge Chrein dated 2/18/05 Regarding Response to Defendant's Letter Seeking Leave to File Summary Judgment Motion. (Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 02/18/2005)			
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rence previously is hereby adjourned 4:30 PM. Counsel nediately of the ment must be scheduled earry on 3/2/05.			
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Letter from Michelle A. Burg, Esq. to Honorable Dora L. Irizarry Regarding Request for an extension of time to submit the proposed joint pretrial order (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 03/07/2005)			
Letter from Michelle A. Burg, Esq. to Honorable Viktor V. Pohorelsky Regarding confirming conversation with Chambers on 3/4/05 regarding upcoming status conference in this matter. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 03/07/2005)			
ORDER re 50 Letter ELECTRONIC ENDORSED ORDER: Application is GRANTED. The filing of a proposed joint pretrial order is held in abeyance pending the outcome of the premotion conference to be held on March 30, 2005 at 4:30 P.M. SO ORDERED by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 03/07/05. (Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 03/07/2005)			
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03/17/2005	52	Letter dated 10/6/04 from F. Alan Pastore to Sunu P. Chandy, Marc Kramer and Michelle Burg rescheduling the 9/29/04 conference to 10/28/04 at 2:30. (Hunter-Hicks, Tara) (Entered: 03/17/2005)		
03/30/2005		Minute Entry for proceedings held before Dora Lizette Irizarry: Pre Motion Conference held on 3/30/2005. Case called. Counsel for all sides present. For E.E.O.C.: Sunu P. Chandy; For Plaintiff Intervenor Pisani: Marc Andrew Kramer; For Defendant: Paul Mierngoff. This matter is referred to mediation. Filing of dispositive motion(s) and proposed JPTO are held in abeyance pending outcome of mediation. (Court Reporter Fred Guerino.) (Carosella, Christy) (Entered: 03/30/2005)		
03/30/2005		ORAL ORDER REFERRING CASE to Mediation Issued on the record at pre-motion conference held on 3/30/05.SO ORDERED by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 3/30/05. (Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 03/30/2005)		
03/30/2005	<u>53</u>	Minute Entry for proceedings held before Magistrate Judge Viktor V. Pohorelsky: Status Conference held on 3/30/2005. see annexed conference calendar for details (Newton, Joan) (Entered: 03/30/2005)		
03/30/2005		ORDER REFERRING CASE to Mediation. Selection of Mediator due by 4/13/2005. SO ORDERED by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 03/30/05. (Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 03/30/2005)		
03/31/2005	54	MEDIATION Instructions sent to Counsel. Letter of Instructions document ATTACHED. COUNSELS are to schedule the mediation and confirm in writing by April 14, 2005 to Gerald P. Lepp, ADR Administrator, the name of the mediator and the date of the first mediation session. COUNSELS are to confer with each other and to speak with the Mediator in selecting a Mediator and the Mediation session date(s). See the attached instructions. See the web pages: http://www.nyed.uscourts.gov/adr/ http://www.nyed.circ2.dcn/dadr/ REGISTER for ECF if you have not yet done so. Thank you. See: http://www.nyed.uscourts.gov/CM_ECF/ECF_FAQ/ecf_faq.html(Lepp, Gerald)(dc) (Entered: 03/31/2005)		
04/11/2005		Case reassigned to Judge Viktor V. Pohorelsky. Judge A. Simon Chrein no longer assigned to the case. (Bowens, Priscilla) (Entered: 04/11/2005)		
04/14/2005	<u>55</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg to Gerald P. Lepp, Esq. Regarding Selection of Mediator. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 04/14/2005)		
04/22/2005	<u>56</u>	Letter from Plaintiff EEOC to Gerald Lepp Regarding New Mediation Date. (Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 04/22/2005)		
06/15/2005		SELECTION OF MEDIATOR Vivien B. Shelanski rep by Vivien B. Shelanski selected as Mediator. Mediation is scheduled for 06/27/2005, see attachment 56.(Lepp, Gerald) (Entered: 06/15/2005)		
07/07/2005		REPORT of Mediation UNSETTLED.(Lepp, Gerald) (Entered: 07/07/2005)		
07/08/2005		REPORT of Mediation. Parties have advised that they are continuing		

		thier negotiations, and will advise the status to the ADR Administrator by July 22, 2005.(Lepp, Gerald) (Entered: 07/08/2005)			
07/12/2005		ELECTRONIC SCHEDULING ORDER A status conference will be held on Friday, August 5, 2005 at 3:30 PM in courtroom #343 before the undersigned. Counsel for all parties must attend. Applications for adjournment must be made via ecf, on consent and for good cause shown, at least 48 hours in advance of the conference date. Ordered by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 7/12/05. (Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 07/12/2005)			
07/22/2005		REPORT of Mediation Parties have advised that they are continuing their negotiations, and will advise the status to the ADR Administrator by August 5, 2005.(Lepp, Gerald) (Entered: 07/22/2005)			
07/29/2005	<u>57</u>	NOTICE of Change of Address/Telephone/E-mail by L. Susan Slavin (Slavin, L.) (Entered: 07/29/2005)			
08/05/2005	Minute Entry for proceedings held before Dora Lizette Irizarry Motion Conference held on 8/5/2005. Case called. Counsel for Intervenor not present. For EEOC: Sunu Chandy; For Defenda Tamburo. The case will continue mediation. The parties are di provide a letter status report to the Court, via ecf, by 9/6/05. (C Reporter Marsha Diamond.) (Carosella, Christy) (Entered: 08/				
08/05/2005		REPORT of Mediation The parties advised that they are continuing negotiations, and will advise the status to the ADR Administrator by 9/6/05.(Lepp, Gerald) (Entered: 08/05/2005)			
09/06/2005	<u>58</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg to Judge Irizarry Regarding the status of the settlement negotitations. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 09/06/2005)			
09/16/2005	<u>59</u>	Letter from Esther G. Tamburo to Judge Irizarry Regarding the status of settlement negotiations. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 09/16/2005)			
09/16/2005	<u>60</u>	Letter from Plaintiff EEOC to Judge Irizarry Regarding Status Update. (Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 09/16/2005)			
09/19/2005		ELECTRONIC ENDORSED ORDER re 59 Letter, 60 Letter Plaintir request for a conference before the undersigned in light of deadlocked settlement negotiations is DENIED. However, this matter is referred to Magistrate Judge Viktor V. Pohorelski for further proceedings in preparation for trial. SO ORDERED by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 09/19/05. Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 09/19/2005)			
09/20/2005	<u>61</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg to Judge Irizarry Regarding request for a pre-motion conference in order to seek leave to move for summary judgment on all claims in this action. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 09/20/2005)			
09/22/2005		ELECTRONIC ENDORSED ORDER re 61 Letter Defendant's request for a premotion conference is denied as this matter has been referred to Magistrate Judge Pohorelsky for futher proceedings in preparation for trial. Should a briefing schedule be required for any proposed motions, that schedule will be set by Magistrate Judge			

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09/26/2005	<u>62</u>	SCHEDULING ORDER: Conference scheduled for 10/11/05 at 3:00 p.m. See annexed order for details. Ordered by Judge Viktor V. Pohorelsky on 9/26/05. (Newton, Joan) (Entered: 09/26/2005)			
10/05/2005	<u>63</u>	Letter from Plaintiff EEOC to Judge Irizarry and Judge Pohorelsky Regarding Settlement/Ct Conference. (Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 10/05/2005)			
10/06/2005		ORDER, by electronic endorsement, re 63 Letter. The conference scheduled for 10/11/05 at 3:00 p.m. is adjourned to 11/10/05 at 4:00 p.m. All counsel must attend in person unless a stipulation of dismissal has been filed with the clerk of court by close of business on 11/9/05. Ordered by Judge Viktor V. Pohorelsky on 10/5/05. (Newton, Joan) (Entered: 10/06/2005)			
10/11/2005	<u>64</u>	Letter from Plaintiff EEOC to Judge Irizarry Regarding Consent Decree for Review and Signature. (Attachments: # 1 Consent Decree# 2 Exhibit A - Reasonable Accommodation Policy# 3 B -Job Coach Policy# 4 Exhibit C -Notice for Posting)(Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 10/11/2005)			
10/17/2005		ELECTRONIC ENDORSED ORDER re 64 Letter ORDERED that the Consent Decree executed and filed by the parties is hereby APPROVED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED. Intervening plaintiff shall file a stipulation of dismissal for the undersigned's approval on or before November 9, 2005. SO ORDERED by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 10/17/05. (Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 10/17/2005)			
11/09/2005	SCHEDULING ORDER (Corrected): The conference schedul November 10, 2005 at 4:00 p.m. has been rescheduled to Wed November 16, 2005 at 2:00 p.m. Counsel for the parties must a person unless a stipulation of dismissal has been filed with the court by the close of business on 11/14/05. Ordered by Judge Pohorelsky on 11/9/05. (Newton, Joan) (Entered: 11/09/2005)				
undersigned approve terms agreed to by a plaintiff, EEOC, to approval on or before do so. Since the part that this action is DI any party, but with I consummated and a days of the date of the same terms.		ELECTRONIC ORDER By Order dated October 17, 2005, the undersigned approved a consent decree which embodied the settlement terms agreed to by and between the parties and directed the intervening plaintiff, EEOC, to file a stipulation of discontinuance for this court's approval on or before November 9, 2005. Plaintiff, EEOC has failed to do so. Since the parties have settled this matter, it is hereby ORDERED, that this action is DISCONTINUED with prejudice and without costs to any party, but with leave to re-open if the settlement agreement is not consummated and application for reinstatement is made within sixty (60) days of the date of this Order. SO ORDERED by Judge Dora Lizette Irizarry on 11/10/05. (Irizarry, Dora) (Entered: 11/10/2005)			
11/14/2005	<u>65</u>	Letter from Plaintiff EEOC to Judge Irizarry Regarding Clarification Re: Nov. 10th Order. (Chandy, Sunu) (Entered: 11/14/2005)			
11/15/2005	<u>66</u>	Letter from Michelle A. Burg to Honorable Dora L. Irizarry Regarding			

		Adjournment of Conference. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 11/15/2005)	
11/15/2005		ORDER re 66 Letter, by electronic endorsement: In view of Judge Irizarry's Order of November 10, 2005 closing this case, the conference scheduled before Judge Pohorelsky for November 16, 2005 is canceled. Ordered by Judge Viktor V. Pohorelsky on 11/15/2005. (Pohorelsky, Viktor) (Entered: 11/15/2005)	
01/17/2006	<u>67</u>	STIPULATION of Dismissal <i>With Prejudice</i> by The Home Depot. (Burg, Michelle) (Entered: 01/17/2006)	

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