

PRESIDER: HON. G. PATRICK MURPHY, U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE

DATE: **SEPTEMBER 11, 2000** TIME: 3:35 PM - 4:25 PM Linda M. Cook **COURTROOM DEPUTY:** COURT REPORTER: Molly Clayton EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY) COMMISSION, Plaintiff(s), Case No. 99-4187-GPM VS. KROGER FOOD STORES, Defendant(s). Counsel for Plaintiff(s): Gregory Gochanour Counsel for Defendant(s): Keith Hult, Tom Peters

Jerome Dobson

PROCEEDING: MOTION TO JOIN

Counsel for Intervenor(s):

Counsel for the parties appear. Arguments heard on the motion to join or in the alternative to dismiss (Doc. 94) filed by defendant. Because the Court finds that the union is not an indispensable party pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 19, the court **DENIES** the motion. Arguments heard on the motion for order to show cause and to compel production of documents (Doc. 90) filed jointly by plaintiff and intervenors, and the motion is **DENIED** in part and GRANTED in part. Specifically, the court denies the motion as to the request to find defendant in contempt, and denies the request for attorney fees and costs. The motion is granted as to the production of Teresa Turley's notes and as to the request to produce Ms. Turley for a second deposition. Defendant is **ORDERED** to produce Ms. Turley's notes within 5 days. Defendant shall produce for in camera inspection any note which Defendant believes contains mental impressions which are not subject to production. The deposition of Ms. Turley will be limited to examination concerning Ms. Turley's notes. Defendant shall bear the expense of Ms. Turley's deposition. Arguments heard on the motion to compel (Doc. 98) filed by defendant, and the court GRANTS the motion. Plaintiff is ORDERED to provide defendant with the questionnaires sought in the motion to compel within 2 weeks. The Court finds the motion moot as to the request for Rule 35 examinations.