IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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IN RE: AVANDIA MARKETING, SALES PRACTICES AND PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 1871 07-md-01871

THIS DOCUMENT APPLIES TO: ALL ACTIONS

PRETRIAL ORDER NO. 208

AND NOW, this 7th day of October 2013, it is hereby **ORDERED** that a status conference will be held on **Friday**, **December 6**, **2013** at **10:00 a.m.** in Courtroom 12A of the United States Courthouse, 601 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106. *All counsel who have cases currently pending in the MDL shall appear at this conference*.

The agenda for the conference will include, but not be limited to, a discussion of outstanding motions and the status of discovery in trial pool cases and in newly transferred cases. If Plaintiffs' counsel have issues they would like added to the agenda, they should contact Plaintiffs' Coordinating Counsel Paul Kiesel, Esq. at least two weeks prior to the conference. Seven days prior to the conference, Mr. Kiesel and counsel for Defendant shall submit a Joint Report outlining proposed agenda items and including a short statement of the issues involved and the positions of the parties with respect to each item. As a general rule, the parties will not seek Court intervention at a status conference with regard to any issues not presented in the Joint Report submitted in advance of the conference.

It is so **ORDERED**.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Cynthia M. Rufe

CYNTHIA M. RUFE, J.