UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

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| In the Matter of: *Debtor(s)* | Case No.: Chapter  |

**Order Setting Evidentiary Hearing on** Choose an item.

 Choose an item. filed its Choose an item.. The Court sets this matter for an evidentiary hearing for  **at** Choose an item. Eastern time in Room 201, Robert K. Rodibaugh U.S. Courthouse, 401 S. Michigan Street, South Bend, Indiana.

1. **Exhibits:**
	1. Choose an item. must use numbers for its exhibits.
	2. Choose an item. must use letters.
	3. The parties must exchange exhibits at least seven days before the hearing. The Court may decline to consider exhibits not previously disclosed to the opposing party.
	4. The parties must bring six copies of their exhibits to the hearing.
	5. For voluminous documents, parties must specify which pages, paragraphs, or sections they desire the Court to consider, and the documents must be tabbed and indexed.
	6. Exhibits used exclusively for impeachment purposes are not required to be disclosed.
	7. The parties must file or submit in open court on the day of trial, a document substantially similar to the chart below:

| **Exhibit No. or Letter** | **Date Disclosed** | **Brief Description** | **Stipulation to Admission?** |
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1. **Witnesses:**
	1. The parties are to exchange the identity of the witnesses and the general nature of the witnesses’ testimony to the opposing party at least three days before the hearing.
	2. The Court may prohibit a witness from testifying if that witness was not previously disclosed to the opposing party.
	3. Witnesses used exclusively for impeachment purposes are not required to be disclosed.
	4. The parties must file or submit in open court on the day of the trial, a document substantially similar to the following document below:

| **Witness Name** | **General Nature of Testimony** | **Expert’s General****Qualifications**  | **Objections**  |
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1. **Objections:** Objections to the requested relief are due seven (7) days prior. Absent any objections, the Court may approve the motion and vacate the hearing without further notice.
2. **Pretrial Briefs:** Any pretrial briefs must be five pages or less and filed no later than (3) days prior.
3. **Stipulation of facts:** The parties are encouraged to submit stipulated facts.
4. **Settlement:** Any agreed motions to settle the matter or modify the hearing to a status conference must be filed by (3) days prior.

So ORDERED.

Dated: **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**