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SUPERIOR COURT

SOTO, DONNA L., ADM OF THE ESTATE
OF VICTORIA L. S Et Al

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF FAIRFIELD
AT BRIDGEPORT

V.

BUSHMASTER FIREARMS
INTERNATIONAL, LLC AKA FREEDOM
Et Al

5/5/2016

ORDER

The following order is entered in the above matter:

ORDER:

As to motions ##144,145,and 146, objection #155, and replies ##156 and 157: the court has considered the interests of the plaintiffs in proceeding expeditiously, the interests of the defendants including the issues raised in the motions to strike, claims of immunity, and attendant burdens of discovery, the fact that the court has addressed the subject matter jurisdiction claims raised by the defendants in their motions to dismiss,the convenience to the courts, as well as the interest of the public and non-parties, and hereby denies the motions for stay. The court notes that while the motion to strike is scheduled for argument on June 20,2016, a decision on the motion is not likely to be issued in less than 120 days in light of the complexity of the issues raised. Given the April 3,2018 trial date, even a temporary stay of discovery through October of 2016 would translate into a delay of the trial, which the court is unwilling to consider given the fact that the case was filed in January of 2015. The motions to stay discovery are therefore denied

Judicial Notice (JDNO) was sent regarding this order.

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Judge: BARBARA N BELLIS