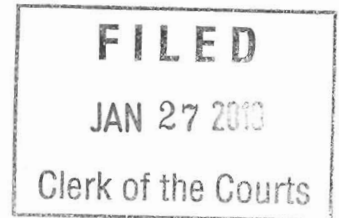

IN THE TENNESSEE COURT OF THE JUDICIARY

**IN RE: THE HONORABLE JOHN A. BELL
JUDGE, GENERAL SESSIONS COURT
COCKE COUNT, TENNESSEE**

Docket No. M2009-02115-CJ-CJ-CJ

**COMPLAINT OF DAVID PLEAU
FILE NO. 08-3508**



ORDER

This matter came before the Honorable Don R. Ash, Presiding Judge of the Tennessee Court of the Judiciary, on January 20, 2010 by way of a telephone conference with Mr. Joseph S. Daniel, Disciplinary Counsel for the Court of the Judiciary and Mr. Gordon Ball, Counsel for the Honorable John A. Bell. During the conference call Judge Ash was made aware of the fact that there would be a number of motions that would need to be filed by each of the respective parties and heard by Judge Ash prior to trial. Some of these motions would require the consideration of transcripts of depositions taken up to this date. In addition, it was brought to the attention of the Court by Mr. Ball that he has a medical problem and he would ask for a continuance of the trial setting in this case.

Mr. Ball, on behalf of the Honorable John A. Bell, moved the Court to continue this matter and Judge Bell waives his right to have the matter tried within sixty (60) days of filing of an answer as provided by Tennessee Code Annotated §17-5-308(a).

After considering these pretrial matters IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AS FOLLOWS:

1. That the trial previously scheduled for February 17 through February 19, 2010 will be continued and is now set for trial June 2, 3, and 4, 2010 in Newport, Tennessee.

2. The transcripts of the respective witness depositions which have been taken through today's date and which will be the subject matter of any motions to be considered by the Court are to be filed with the Court not later than February 2, 2010.
3. All pretrial motions to date are to be filed with the Court by February 10, 2010. These motions will be heard by the Honorable Don R. Ash, Presiding Judge of the Court of the Judiciary on March 3, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. in Judge Ash's courtroom in Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

IT IS SO ORDERED this the 25 day of January, 2010.


Don R. Ash
Presiding Judge of the Court of the Judiciary

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and exact copy of the foregoing has been delivered by U. S. Mail to the following:

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