UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
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IN RE TOBACCO LITIGATION, EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK — ORDERS

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THE NATIONAL ASBESTOS WORKERS MEDICAL FUND, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

- against - — 98 CV 1492

PHILIP MORRIS, INC., et al.,

Defendants.

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BLUE CROSS AND BLUE SHIELD OF NEW JERSEY, INC., et al.,

Plaintiffs,

- against - — 98 CV 3287

PHILIP MORRIS, INCORPORATED, et al.,

Defendants.

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RAYMARK INDUSTRIES, INC.,

Plaintiff,

- against - — 98 CV 0675

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, et al.,

Defendants.

H.K. PORTER COMPANY, INC.,

97 CV 7658

Plaintiff,

- against -

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, et al.,

Defendants.

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ROBERT A. FALISE; LOUIS KLEIN, JR.; FRANK MACCHIAROLA; and CHRISTIAN E. MARKETY, JR. as Trustees,

99 CV 7392
(Related to 97 CV 7640)

Plaintiffs,

- against -

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, et al.,

Defendants.

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DAVID B. BERGERON; MARK L. ERLICH; ANTHONY J. GRAZIANO; THOMAS HARRINGTON; SIMON JAMES; KIRK FORDYCE; LAWRENCE MORRISROE; DAVID WALLACE; DAVID WOODMAN; WILLIAM J. SULLIVAN; STEPHAN A. ADAMIC; GEORGE BIDGOOD; THEORDORE H. BRODIE; DONALD COLAVECCHIO; THOMAS J. GUNNING; MICHAEL SHAURGHNESSY; and CHRISTOPHER TOPPS on behalf of themselves and all other similarly Trustees of health funds,

99 CV 6142

Plaintiffs,

- against -

PHILIP MORRIS, INC. et al.

Defendants.

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ELLIS SIMON, on behalf of himself
and all other persons similarly
situated,

Plaintiffs 99 CV 1988

- against -

PHILIP MORRIS, INC. et al.,

Defendants.

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WILLIAM DECIE, ANNE MARIE DECIE,
SHARON GRUNZ and ROBERT FRANCIS
MASON, Individually and On Behalf of
All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs,

- against - 00 CV 2340

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY, et al.

Defendants.

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LIGGET GROUP INC.,

Plaintiff,

- against - 99 CV 7529

LATHAM & WATKINS,

Defendant.

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DEPARTMENT OF ANTIOQUIA,

Plaintiff,

- against -

00 CV 3857

PHILIP MORRIS COMPANIES, INC, et al.

Defendants.

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RICHARD DEMANE, et al.,

Plaintiff,

- against -

00 CV 3858

LORILLARD, INC., et al.

Defendants.

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JAMES MASON and BILLIE JUNE RICHIE,
Individually, and On Behalf of A
Class of All Others Similarly
Situated,

Plaintiffs,

- against -

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO., et al.,

Defendants.

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JACK B. WEINSTEIN,
Senior District Court Judge:

A number of motions are now pending in the above captioned cases. For the reasons stated orally on the record:

Defendants' motions in *Simon* and *National Asbestos* to cancel the evidentiary certification hearings are granted.

With respect to class certification motions in *Simon* and *National Asbestos*, oral argument is scheduled for September 19, 2000, at ***2:00p.m.***

With respect to the remaining *Daubert* and in limine motions in *Falise*, oral argument is scheduled for September 6, 2000, at ***11:00a.m.***

With respect to the *Blue Cross and Blue Shield* summary judgment motion, oral argument is scheduled for September 11, 2000, at ***11:00a.m.***

Parties in *Blue Cross and Blue Shield* are to confer with the court's calendaring clerk, Ms. June Lowe, to schedule a date in early September for disposition of in limine and *Daubert* motions.

SO ORDERED

Jack B. Weinstein
Senior U.S. District Judge

Dated: July 31, 2000
Brooklyn, NY