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Proceedings

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1	02/12/2019	COMPLAINT COMPLAINT FOR PATENT INFRINGEMENT against LEWIS MACHINE & TOOL COMPANY filed by GEISSELE AUTOMATICS, LLC and WHG PROPERTIES, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A, # 2 Exhibit B, # 3 Civil Cover Sheet)(Bogot, William). (Entered: 02/12/2019)	
2	02/12/2019	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by William Bogot on behalf of GEISSELE AUTOMATICS, LLC and WHG PROPERTIES, LLC	

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		(Bogot, William) (Entered: 02/12/2019)	
	02/13/2019	Filing fee: \$400, receipt number 44626003425. (LN, ilcd) (Entered: 02/13/2019)	
3	02/13/2019	Summons Issued as to Lewis Machine & Tool Company. (LN, ilcd) (Entered: 02/13/2019)	
4	02/13/2019	REPORT on the filing or determination of an action regarding Patent by Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC. (LN, ilcd) (Entered: 02/13/2019)	
5	03/26/2019	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by John C McNett on behalf of Lewis Machine & Tool Company (McNett, John) (Entered: 03/26/2019)	
6	03/26/2019	ANSWER to 1 Complaint , COUNTERCLAIM against Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC by Lewis Machine & Tool Company.(McNett, John) (Entered: 03/26/2019)	
7	03/26/2019	CERTIFICATE OF INTEREST pursuant to Local Rule 11.3 by Lewis Machine & Tool Company. (McNett, John) (Entered: 03/26/2019)	
8	04/16/2019	Response by Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC GEISSELE AUTOMATICS, LLC & WHG PROPERTIES, LLC'S RESPONSE TO COUNTERCLAIMS. (Bogot, William) (Entered: 04/16/2019)	
9	04/23/2019	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by William Alex McKenna on behalf of Lewis Machine & Tool Company (McKenna, William) (Entered: 04/23/2019)	
10	04/30/2019	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by William A. Rudy on behalf of Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC (Rudy, William) (Entered: 04/30/2019)	
11	05/03/2019	TEXT ORDER: This case is set for a Rule 16 scheduling conference before Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 5/31/19 at 10:30 AM via telephone (Court to set up the call). If Counsel are to be reached at a number different than what is listed on the docket sheet, they are directed to phone Judge Hawley's courtroom deputy at 309-671-7117 and confirm the phone number where they may be reached for the call. A discovery plan pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f)(3) shall be filed on or before 5/28/19. The parties may, but are not required to, follow the format of the sample discovery plan set forth as Attachment A to the standing order attached to this text order. The Discovery Plan event may be found in the CM/ECF system within the other Documents category. All counsel must read and be familiar with	

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		the standing order attached to this text order prior to their Rule 26(f) planning meeting. Entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 5/3/2019. (WG, ilcd) (Entered: 05/03/2019)	
12	05/10/2019	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by Jeff H Grant on behalf of Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC (Grant, Jeff) (Entered: 05/10/2019)	
13	05/28/2019	DISCOVERY PLAN - PROPOSED/Report of Rule 26(f)Planning Meeting by Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC. (Rudy, William) (Entered: 05/28/2019)	
14	05/31/2019	Minute Entry for proceedings held before Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley: Parties present via telephone by Attys Jeff Grant/William Rudy\William McKenna\John McNett for Rule 16 Scheduling Conference held on 5/31/2019. Parties are reminded of their option to consent to proceed before US Magistrate Judge. See attached form. The Court adopts Plaintiff's portion of 13 Discovery Plan, and sets the following schedule: Discovery due by 4/27/2020. Motions due by 5/29/2020. Proposed Pretrial Order due by 8/18/2020. Final Pretrial Conference set for 8/25/2020 at 10:00 AM in and Jury Trial set for 10/5/2020 at 9:00 AM in BOTH HEARINGS at U.S. Courthouse, 131 E 4th Street, Davenport, IA 52801 before Chief Judge Sara Darrow. Court stresses the importance of adhering to the schedule and procedures for requests to extend the schedule. Parties are reminded of option of Court sponsored mediation/Settlement Conference. Counsel/Parties are reminded of the importance of appearing for hearings scheduled via telephone. Failure appear will result in in-person appearances for all further proceedings. (Tape #PRC: 10:30 a.m.) (FDS, ilcd) (Entered: 05/31/2019)	
15	05/31/2019	PDF with attached Audio File. Court Date & Time [5/31/2019 10:30:13 AM]. File Size [3543 KB]. Run Time [00:07:23]. (admin). (Entered: 05/31/2019)	
16	07/30/2019	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by Dianna G El Hioum on behalf of Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC (El Hioum, Dianna) (Entered: 07/30/2019)	
17	08/28/2019	Joint MOTION for Protective Order by Counter Defendant Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC, Plaintiff Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC. Responses due by 9/11/2019 (Attachments: # 1 Agreed Protective Order)(Grant, Jeff) (Entered: 08/28/2019)	
18	08/29/2019	AGREED PROTECTIVE ORDER. Entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 8/29/19. (WG, ilcd) (Entered: 08/29/2019)	

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19	02/03/2020	MOTION to Stay Pending Outcome of Inter Partes Review by Counter Claimant Lewis Machine & Tool Company, Defendant Lewis Machine & Tool Company. Responses due by 2/18/2020 (McKenna, William) (Entered: 02/03/2020)	
20	02/03/2020	MEMORANDUM in Support re 19 MOTION to Stay Pending Outcome of Inter Partes Review filed by Counter Claimant Lewis Machine & Tool Company, Defendant Lewis Machine & Tool Company. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A-IPR Petition, # 2 Exhibit B-Email, # 3 Exhibit C-Notice of Deposition, # 4 Exhibit D-Deposition Transcript Excerpts, # 5 Text of Proposed Order)(McKenna, William) (Entered: 02/03/2020)	
	02/03/2020	Case Stayed. (RL, ilcd) (Entered: 02/06/2020)	
21	02/05/2020	STIPULATION re 19 MOTION to Stay Pending Outcome of Inter Partes Review by Lewis Machine & Tool Company.. (McKenna, William) (Entered: 02/05/2020)	
	02/06/2020	TEXT ORDER entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 2/6/2020: In light of the parties Stipulation to Stay Pending Inter Partes Review 21 , the Clerk is directed to enter a STAY in this case as of 2/3/2020. The Defendants Motion to Stay Pending Outcome of Inter Partes Review 19 is MOOT. The parties are directed to file a status report within 90 days of todays date or upon the USPTO Patent Trial and Appeal Board entering its final decision, whichever is sooner.(RL, ilcd) (Entered: 02/06/2020)	
22	05/05/2020	STATUS REPORT by Lewis Machine & Tool Company. (McKenna, William) (Entered: 05/05/2020)	
	05/05/2020	TEXT ORDER: Court has reviewed the 22 Status Report filed by Lewis Machine & Tool Company and sets a further Status Report ddl of 8/5/2020. Entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 5/5/20. (WG, ilcd) (Entered: 05/05/2020)	
23	07/27/2020	STATUS REPORT by Lewis Machine & Tool Company. (McKenna, William) (Entered: 07/27/2020)	
	07/28/2020	TEXT ORDER: Court has reviewed the 23 Status Report filed by Lewis Machine & Tool Company and sets a further Status Report ddl of 10/28/2020. Entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 7/28/20. (WG, ilcd) (Entered: 07/28/2020)	
	07/28/2020	TEXT ORDER: As the case was stayed as of 2/6/20, and a status report has been ordered to be filed by 10/28/20 or upon the USPTO Patent Trial and Appeal Board entering its final decision, all deadlines and hearings in this case are vacated and will be reset as necessary. Entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E.	

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		Hawley on 7/28/20. (WG, ilcd) (Entered: 07/28/2020)	
24	09/30/2020	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by Matthew Scott Stevens on behalf of Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC (Stevens, Matthew) (Entered: 09/30/2020)	
25	09/30/2020	NOTICE of Substitution of Counsel and Withdrawal of Counsel re 16 Notice of Appearance of Attorney, 24 Notice of Appearance of Attorney, 2 Notice of Appearance of Attorney, 12 Notice of Appearance of Attorney, 10 Notice of Appearance of Attorney (Stevens, Matthew) (Entered: 09/30/2020)	
26	10/08/2020	NOTICE of Appearance of Attorney by Blas Phillip Arroyo on behalf of Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC (Arroyo, Blas) (Entered: 10/08/2020)	
27	10/27/2020	STATUS REPORT Joint Status Report by Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC. (Arroyo, Blas) (Entered: 10/27/2020)	
	10/28/2020	TEXT ORDER: Court has reviewed the 27 Status Report filed by Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC and sets a further Status Report be filed by 1/28/2021. Entered by Magistrate Judge Jonathan E. Hawley on 10/28/20. (WG, ilcd) (Entered: 10/28/2020)	
28	12/09/2020	STIPULATION of Dismissal by Geissele Automatics, LLC and WHG Properties, LLC. (Stevens, Matthew) (Entered: 12/09/2020)	

Patents

Number	Title	Issued	Class	Subclass
7,600,338	Multi-stage trigger for automatic weapons	10/13/2009	42	69.03

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