

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**IN RE: AME CHURCH EMPLOYEE  
RETIREMENT FUND LITIGATION**

**MDL Case No. 1:22-md-03035-STA-jay**

**ALL CASES**

**Honorable S. Thomas Anderson**

**ORDER ON AMENDED CASE MANAGEMENT DEADLINES  
ORDER SETTING BRIEFING SCHEDULE**

On February 4, 2025, the Court held a status conference with counsel for the parties. Consistent with its bench ruling at the conference granting Defendant Symetra Life Insurance's proposal for extending deadlines, the Court hereby establishes the following amended case management deadlines:

Defendant's Expert Disclosures & Reports: **April 11, 2025**

Rebuttal Expert Reports: **May 2, 2025**

Close of Expert Discovery: **May 23, 2025**

Class Certification Motion: **May 7, 2025**

Dispositive and Daubert Motions: **June 27, 2025**

Absent a showing of good cause, the Court will not modify these deadlines further. Plaintiffs, the AMEC Defendants, and Defendant Newport Group also reported to the Court that they had reached an agreement in principle to settle their dispute. The parties' motion for preliminary approval of the settlement is due on or before **March 4, 2025**. Any response to the motion for preliminary approval is due by noon on **March 12, 2025**. The Court has set a motion hearing for March 18, 2025.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**s/ S. Thomas Anderson**  
S. THOMAS ANDERSON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: February 4, 2025