

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

In re: Bair Hugger Forced Air Warming
Products Liability Litigation

MDL No. 15-2666 (JNE/FLN)

This Document Relates To:
All Actions

PLAINTIFFS AND DEFENDANTS' BELLWETHER NOMINATIONS

Pursuant to Pretrial Order No. 17, Plaintiffs and Defendants each identified sixteen (16) cases from the 150 cases randomly selected by the Court on January 5, 2017. There is one overlapping case, making a total of thirty-one (31) federal Bellwether Nominated cases.

Additionally, consistent with the Parties' agreement to include Ramsey County, Minnesota cases, Plaintiffs and Defendants each identified two (2) cases from the related Bair Hugger cases filed in Ramsey County, Minnesota, on or before December 19, 2016. There is one overlapping Ramsey County, Minnesota case, leaving a total of three (3) Ramsey County Bellwether Nominated cases.

To the extent any deficiencies exist in the Plaintiff Fact Sheets submitted in the Parties Bellwether Nominations, Defendants presently anticipate that the Parties will be able to resolve those issues. Therefore, Defendants do not anticipate that any of the Parties Bellwether Nominations will be excluded from the bellwether pool pursuant to PTO No. 14 or Ramsey County Case Management Order #7.

Defendants' federal Bellwether Nominations are as follows:

1. **Plaintiffs: Buckner, James and Ella Buckner**
Case No.: 16-cv-02385-JNE-FLN
2. **Plaintiff: Collins, Jeffrey**
Case No.: 16-cv-01188-JNE-FLN
3. **Plaintiff: Cowall, Frank**
Case No.: 16-cv-00895-JNE-FLN
4. **Plaintiff: Critari, Donald D.**
Case No.: 16-cv-00250-JNE-FLN
5. **Plaintiff: Crochet, Bernard J.**
Case No.: 16-cv-03153-JNE-FLN
6. **Plaintiffs: Foriska, Emil G. and Lynn L. Foriska**
Case No.: 16-cv-01236-JNE-FLN
7. **Plaintiffs: Hall, Claudia and Walter Hall**
Case No.: 16-cv-02386-JNE-FLN
8. **Plaintiff: Hardison, James**
Case No.: 15-cv-03899-JNE-FLN
9. **Plaintiff: Howard, Judith**
Case No.: 16-cv-03367-JNE-FLN
10. **Plaintiff: Kamke, Julie (also nominated by Plaintiffs)**
Case No.: 16-cv-01225-JNE-FLN
11. **Plaintiff: Knuteson, Jeffrey**
Case No.: 16-cv-01088-JNE-FLN
12. **Plaintiffs: Murphy, Vincent and Janet Murphy**
Case No.: 16-cv-02394-JNE-FLN
13. **Plaintiffs: Skaar, Kurtis and Debbie Skaar**
Case No.: 16-cv-02969-JNE-FLN
14. **Plaintiffs: Statkus, Candy and Larry Statkus**
Case No.: 16-cv-03115-JNE-FLN

- 15. Plaintiff: Surface, Andrea**
Case No.: 16-cv-02889-JNE-FLN
- 16. Plaintiff: Sutter, Francis**
Case No.: 16-cv-01155-JNE-FLN

Plaintiffs' federal Bellwether Nominations are as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff: Currey, Judy**
Case No.: 16-cv-02366-JNE-FLN
- 2. Plaintiff: Gareis, Louis**
Case No.: 16-cv-04187-JNE-FLN
- 3. Plaintiff: Guy, Thomas**
Case No.: 16-cv-01425-JNE-FLN
- 4. Plaintiff: Hadden, William**
Case No.: 16-cv-01817-JNE-FLN
- 5. Plaintiff: Jennings, Bonnie**
Case No.: 16-cv-04224-JNE-FLN
- 6. Plaintiff: Kamke, Julie (also nominated by Defendants)**
Case No.: 16-cv-01225-JNE-FLN
- 7. Plaintiff: Krawczak, Betty**
Case No.: 16-cv-04217-JNE-FLN
- 8. Plaintiff: Lucas, George**
Case No.: 16-cv-00251-JNE-FLN
- 9. Plaintiff: McClure, Wanda**
Case No.: 16-cv-01200-JNE-FLN
- 10. Plaintiff: Miller, Barry**
Case No.: 16-cv-04201-JNE-FLN
- 11. Plaintiff: Myers, C. Thomas**
Case No.: 16-cv-04182-JNE-FLN

- 12. Plaintiffs: Nugier, John and Trisa Nugier
Case No.: 16-cv-04246-JNE-FLN**
- 13. Plaintiff: Rugley, Sr., Gustavus
Case No.: 16-cv-04209-JNE-FLN**
- 14. Plaintiff: Sollers, Jerrold
Case No.: 15-cv-04277-JNE-FLN**
- 15. Plaintiff: Swiecicki, Bruce
Case No.: 15-cv-04430-JNE-FLN**
- 16. Plaintiff: Vandermade, Gerardus
Case No.: 16-cv-04221-JNE-FLN**

Defendants' Ramsey County Bellwether Nominations are as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff: Reding, Thomas E.
Case No.: 62-cv-15-6848**
- 2. Plaintiff: Walker, Kevin W. (also nominated by Plaintiffs)
Case No.: 62-cv-16-1257**

Plaintiffs' Ramsey County Bellwether Nominations are as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff: Singsaas, Ronnie and Margaret Singsaas
Case No.: 62-cv-16-3555**
- 2. Plaintiff: Walker, Kevin W. (also nominated by Defendants)
Case No.: 62-cv-16-1257**

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