

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
CHARLESTON DIVISION**

IN RE: AQUEOUS FILM-FORMING FOAMS PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION	MDL No. 2:18-mn-2873-RMG This Document relates to: <i>City of Stuart, FL, v. 3M Company et al., No. 2:18-cv-03487</i>
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JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Defendant 3M Company and the Plaintiff Leadership Committee hereby request a continuance of the trial of this case currently scheduled to begin June 5, 2023. In support of this motion, the Parties state as follows:

1. On October 26, 2022, the Court appointed the Hon. Layn R. Phillips (ret.) to serve as a Court-appointed mediator (“Mediator”) to assist the parties. The Court ordered that the Mediator facilitate and encourage discussions among and between the parties as he deems necessary and appropriate, and as he may be directed by the Court.
2. Since October 26, 2022, the Mediator has supervised mediation among outside counsel for 3M and Plaintiffs’ Co-Lead Counsel.
3. Plaintiffs’ Co-Lead Counsel and outside counsel for 3M have negotiated in good faith.
4. The parties are making material and significant progress toward a resolution and believe that their time would be more productively spent attempting to resolve the matter and therefore jointly request a continuance.

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Respectfully submitted,

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