

**United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois**

Name of Assigned Judge or Magistrate Judge	Joan B. Gottschall	Sitting Judge if Other than Assigned Judge	
<b>CASE NUMBER</b>	01 C 4427	<b>DATE</b>	8/20/2004
<b>CASE TITLE</b>	EEOC vs. International Profit Associates		

[In the following box (a) indicate the party filing the motion, e.g., plaintiff, defendant, 3rd party plaintiff, and (b) state briefly the nature of the motion being presented.]

**MOTION:**

Defendant International Profit Associates, Inc.'s Objections to Bifurcation Portion of Magistrate Judge's Order Dated February 23, 2004 (258-1).

**DOCKET ENTRY:**

(1)  Filed motion of [ use listing in "Motion" box above.]

(2)  Brief in support of motion due \_\_\_\_\_.

(3)  Answer brief to motion due \_\_\_\_\_. Reply to answer brief due \_\_\_\_\_.

(4)  Ruling/Hearing on \_\_\_\_\_ set for \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

(5)  Status hearing[held/continued to] [set for/re-set for] on \_\_\_\_\_ set for \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

(6)  Pretrial conference[held/continued to] [set for/re-set for] on \_\_\_\_\_ set for \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

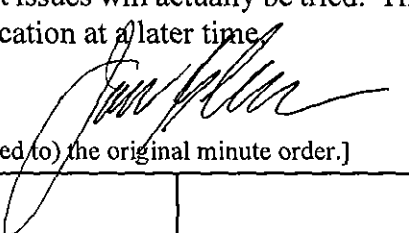
(7)  Trial[set for/re-set for] on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

(8)  [Bench/Jury trial] [Hearing] held/continued to \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

(9)  This case is dismissed [with/without] prejudice and without costs[by/agreement/pursuant to]  
 FRCP4(m)  Local Rule 41.1  FRCP41(a)(1)  FRCP41(a)(2).

(10)  [Other docket entry] Defendant International Profit Associates, Inc.'s objections to bifurcation portion of Magistrate Judge's February 23, 2004 (258-1) are sustained. The court has not examined the merits of the Magistrate Judge's order but believes decisions relating to the actual conduct of the trial should be made by the trial judge, once it is clear what issues will actually be tried. This order is without prejudice to reconsideration of the propriety of bifurcation at a later time.

(11)  [For further detail see order (on reverse side of/attached to) the original minute order.]

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