**IN THE SMALL CLAIMS COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

**IN AND FOR LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

**SMALL CLAIMS DIVISON**

Plaintiff,

vs. Case No.:

Defendant.

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**PIP STANDARD JOINT STIPULATION TO INVOKE FLORIDA RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE AND WAIVE PRE-TRIAL APPEARANCE**

 COMES NOW, the undersigned attorneys for both parties, and petition this Honorable Court to invoke the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, waive both parties appearance at Pre-Trial Conference scheduled for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, grant Defendant 20 days from the date of the order to respond to Plaintiff’s complaint, grant Defendant 30 days from the date of the order to respond to any outstanding discovery. The parties agree to mediate this matter at their own expense prior to trial.

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_.

Counsel for Plaintiff: Counsel for Defendant:

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City, State Zip Code City, State Zip Code

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By: Counsel for Plaintiff, Esq. By: Counsel for Defendant, Esq.

 Florida Bar No.:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Florida Bar No.:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**PIP STANDARD PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE ORDER**

 This matter is presented to this honorable court by stipulation of the parties. The court having reviewed same it is ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. The Florida Rules of Civil Procedure are invoked.
2. Appearance at Pre-Trial Conference for both parties is waived.
3. Defendant shall have 20 days from the date of this order to respond to Plaintiff’s Complaint.
4. Defendant shall have 30 days from the date of this order to respond to any outstanding discovery.
5. The parties agree to mediate prior to trial at their own expense.

DONE AND ORDERED on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_.

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 Honorable Josephine M. Gagliardi

 County Court Judge

cc: Plaintiff, Esq., plaintiff@email.com

 Defendant, Esq., defendant@email.com