

**VIRGINIA:**

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR FAIRFAX COUNTY**

**In re:**

**Multi-Circuit Episcopal Church  
Litigation**

) **Civil Case Numbers:**  
) CL 2007-248724,  
) CL 2006-15792,  
) CL 2006-15793,  
) CL 2007-556,  
) CL 2007-1235,  
) CL 2007-1236,  
) CL 2007-1237,  
) CL 2007-1238,  
) CL 2007-1625,  
) CL 2007-5249,  
) CL 2007-5250,  
) CL 2007-5362,  
) CL 2007-5363,  
) CL 2007-5364,  
) CL 2007-5682,  
) CL 2007-5683,  
) CL 2007-5684,  
) CL 2007-5685,  
) CL 2007-5686,  
) CL 2007-5902,  
) CL 2007-5903, and  
) CL 2007-11514

**ORDER**

In accordance with the two letter opinions issued today by this Court, the parties are hereby ordered to address the following three issues, pursuant to the briefing schedule set forth below:

- 1.) How do the Court's two letter opinions issued on June 27, 2008 affect the scope of the October trial? What issues remain to be addressed by this Court in that October trial?
- 2.) In light of today's letter opinions, how should this Court appropriately adjust the scope of discovery so as to ensure that it only encompasses those issues that remain to be heard at the October trial?
- 3.) What are the parties' positions regarding the Attorney General's renewed motion to intervene?

The parties are directed to submit briefs regarding the above three issues pursuant to the following schedule:

Opening Briefs: Filed by 4pm on Wednesday, July 2, 2008.

Response Briefs: Filed by 4pm on Monday, July 7, 2008.

In addition, the Court requests briefing from the Attorney General of Virginia regarding his renewed motion to intervene, pursuant to the Opening/Response Brief schedule set forth above.

The parties should assume that the Court will make any necessary decisions based on the papers, although the Court of course reserves the right to set any issue raised by the parties' submissions for oral argument.

So entered this 27 day of June, 2008.



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Randy I. Bellows,  
Circuit Court Judge