

United States District Court
Northern District of California

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: VOLKSWAGEN “CLEAN DIESEL”
MARKETING, SALES PRACTICES, AND
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL No. 2672 CRB (JSC)

**PRETRIAL ORDER NO. 23: ORDER
REGARDING MOTIONS TO REMAND**

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This Order Relates To:

ALL ACTIONS (except securities actions)
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WHEREAS, on July 7, 2016, the Court stayed all pending motions to remand actions transferred to or removed to this Court, so that members of the putative settlement class could consider the terms of the class action settlement agreement. (PTO No. 22, Dkt. No. 1643.)

WHEREAS, on January 5, 2017, the Court partially lifted the stay, but only as to motions to remand filed by various State Attorneys General. (Dkt. No. 2640.)

WHEREAS, on October 25, 2016 and May 17, 2017, the Court respectively approved the 2.0-Liter and 3.0-Liter TDI Consumer and Reseller Dealership Class Action Settlement Agreements. (Dkt. Nos. 2102, 3229.)

NOW, THEREFORE, the Court hereby orders as follows:

- (1) The stay is lifted as to any remaining motions to remand.
- (2) Plaintiffs choosing to file a motion to remand shall do so on or before August 11, 2017.
- (3) Plaintiffs who previously filed a motion to remand, and who intend to pursue the motion, shall re-notice the motion on or before August 11, 2017. If a plaintiff who previously filed a remand motion does not re-notice his or her motion by August 11, the Court will DISMISS the motion.
- (4) Defendants shall respond to plaintiffs’ remand motions by October 13, 2017. Defendants

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may consolidate their responses as needed for efficiency.

(5) Plaintiffs shall reply to Defendants' responses by November 3, 2017.

(6) Unless the Court expressly orders otherwise pursuant to a party's request made prior to the due date, briefs or memoranda of points and authorities shall comply with the page limitations and other requirements set forth in Civil Local Rule 7.

(7) The Court will schedule oral argument at a later date if needed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 20, 2017



CHARLES R. BREYER
United States District Judge