IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO **Judge Philip A. Brimmer**

Civil Action No: 15-cv-02613-PAB-MEH Date: January 8, 2018

Courtroom Deputy: Sabrina Grimm Court Reporter: Janet Coppock

<u>Parties:</u> <u>Counsel:</u>

JENNIFER DEBUHR, and Terry Dougherty JASON DEBUHR, Audrey Svane

Plaintiffs,

v.

WARREN M HERN, and BOULDER ABORTION CLINIC, P.C., a Colorado

professional corporation,

Kay Rice

Amy Cook-Olson

Defendants.

COURTROOM MINUTES

JURY TRIAL - DAY ONE

8:16 a.m. Court in session.

Court calls case. Appearances of counsel.

Discussion regarding jury questionnaire, individual voir dire, time limits on opening statements, Plaintiffs' Exhibit 72, Defendants' Exhibit A-55, pgs. 335, 336, and 337, stipulated exhibits, witness sequestration, and other preliminary matters.

8:30 a.m. Court in recess. 9:38 a.m. Court in session.

Discussion regarding jury questionnaire answers.

The following jurors are excused based on answers provided in the questionnaire:

100337468

100340383

100369252

100345319

100337904

100371508

100355075

100349377

100339295

100345341

100365457

9:50 a.m. Court in recess.

10:09 a.m. Jurors present.

Fifteen jurors called to the jury box.

10:18 a.m. Court in session.

Court's preliminary remarks and introduction of counsel, parties, and staff.

Statement by the Court.

All jurors sworn for voir dire.

10:30 a.m. Court voir dires jurors.

11:22 a.m. Court in recess.

11:36 a.m. Court in session.

Voir dire by Mr. Dougherty.

11:38 a.m. to 11:41 a.m. **Bench conference.**

Voir dire continues.

12:02 p.m. Voir dire by Ms. Rice.

12:23 p.m. to 12:28 p.m. **Bench conference:** Plaintiffs' oral motion to excuse juror

100360623 for cause is GRANTED. Defendants' oral motion to

excuse juror 100347608 for cause is DENIED.

12:30 p.m. Court voir dires juror.

12:31 p.m. Voir dire by Mr. Dougherty.

12:36 p.m. Voir dire by Ms. Rice.

Court excuses jurors for cause:

Plaintiffs' challenges:

Defendants' challenges:

12:46 p.m. Nine jurors selected to try the case:

Jury panel sworn.

Court instructs jurors. Jurors excused.

12:54 p.m. Court in recess.2:17 p.m. Court in session.

2:19 p.m. Jurors present.

Court instructs jurors.

2:34 p.m. Plaintiffs' opening statement by Mr. Dougherty.

3:17 p.m. Defendants' opening statement by Ms. Rice.

Court instructs jurors. Jurors excused.

3:55 p.m. Court in recess. 4:09 p.m. Court in session.

Discussion regarding Plaintiff Jennifer DeBuhr's testimony.

4:11 p.m. Jurors present.

Plaintiff, Jennifer DeBuhr, sworn.

4:12 p.m. Direct examination of Ms. DeBuhr by Mr. Dougherty.

Defendants' Exhibit A-1, pg. 34, and A-2 are admitted.

4:33 p.m. to 4:35 p.m. **Bench conference:** Technical difficulty with Exhibit A-2 video.

Jurors excused.

4:35 p.m. Court in recess. 4:42 p.m. Court in session.

Defendants' Exhibit A-2 video played for jurors.

Court instructs jurors. Juror excused until January 9, 2018 at 8:30 a.m.

Discussion regarding designations related to Dr. Arias' deposition.

5:12 p.m. Court in recess.

Hearing continued.

Total in-court time 04:56