

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION**

In re: BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC.,) **Master File No. IP 00-9373-C-B/S**
ATX, ATX II and WILDERNESS TIRES) **MDL NO. 1373**
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION)
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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO ALL)
ACTIONS)

ORDER REGARDING MOTION TO EXPEDITE

This cause is before the magistrate judge on plaintiffs' Motion to Expedite Defendants' Responses to Plaintiffs' Initial Discovery Requests Relating to (1) Personal Jurisdiction over Discovery Requests Relating to (1) Personal Jurisdiction over Bridgestone Corporation; and (2) Preliminary Injunctive Relief. The motion is fully briefed, and the magistrate judge, being duly advised, **DENIES** the plaintiffs' request that the defendants be required to expedite their responses to certain outstanding discovery requests by 10 days, as the plaintiffs have not demonstrated the necessity of expedited responses.

ENTERED this _____ day of March 2001.

V. Sue Shields
United States Magistrate Judge
Southern District of Indiana

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