IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
OXFORD DIVISION

JASON HALEY, et al. PLAINTIFFS

V. CAUSE NO. 3:26-cv-148-DMB-RP

X.AI Corp., et al. DEFENDANTS

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

The plaintiffs brought this action seeking the recovery of damages for various harms allegedly caused by the defendants' operation of a gas-fired turbine power plant in the plaintiffs' community to power artificial intelligence ("AI") data centers in the area. The plaintiffs bring the action as a class action on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23. Having conducted a case management conference with counsel for the parties this day, the undersigned establishes this order, which may be modified only by order of the court on a showing of good cause. Therefore, it is ORDERED:

1. This action is set for jury trial beginning on October 30, 2028 at 9:45 a.m. in Greenville, Mississippi before U.S. District Judge Debra Brown. The estimated number of days of trial is 20.

2. The pretrial conference is set for September 28, 2028 at 10:00 a.m. in Oxford, Mississippi before U.S. Magistrate Judge Roy Percy.

3. Motions for joinder of parties or amendments to the pleadings must be filed by March 15, 2027.

4. Per the parties' agreement, class certification discovery and merits discovery will not be bifurcated into separate phases. The court establishes the following discovery provisions and limitations:

a. Interrogatories are limited to 35 succinct questions per side.

b. Requests for production are limited to 55 succinct questions per side.

c. Requests for admission are limited to 40 succinct questions per side.

d. Depositions are limited to the parties, experts, and no more than 20 fact witnesses per side.

e. Pursuant to Rule 502(d) of the Federal Rules of Evidence, the attorney-client privilege and the work-product protections are not waived by any disclosure connected with this litigation. Further, the disclosures are not waived in any other federal or state proceeding.

f. Plaintiffs must execute a HIPPA-compliant medical authorization for all health care providers for the time period from June 1, 2023 until the present.

g. Before a party may file a discovery motion, such as a motion to compel discovery, counsel must confer in good faith as required by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 37(a)(1). If the attorney conference does not resolve the dispute, counsel must contact the undersigned's chambers to request a teleconference to discuss the issue as contemplated by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16(b)(3)(B)(v). Only if the teleconference with the undersigned is unsuccessful in resolving the issue may a party file a discovery motion.

5. The court establishes the following disclosure and discovery deadlines:

Completion of all fact discovery: October 29, 2027

Plaintiffs' designation of class certification experts: July 9, 2027

Defendants' designation of class certification experts: August 13, 2027

Plaintiffs' class certification expert rebuttal reports: September 10, 2027

Completion of discovery/depositions of class certification experts: October 29, 2027

Plaintiffs' designation of merits experts: January 8, 2028

Defendants' designation of merits experts: February 18, 2028

Plaintiffs' merits experts rebuttal reports: March 17, 2028

Completion of discovery/depositions of merits experts: May 12, 2028

6. The court establishes the following class certification-related motion and briefing deadlines:

Plaintiffs' class certification motion: November 19, 2027

Defendants' response to plaintiffs' class certification motion; and defendants' *Daubert* motions as to plaintiff's class certification experts: December 17, 2027

Plaintiffs' reply in support of their class certification motion; plaintiffs' *Daubert* motions at to defendants' class certification experts; and plaintiffs' responses to defendants' *Daubert* motions as to plaintiffs' class certification experts: January 14, 2028

Defendants' replies in support of their *Daubert* motions as to plaintiffs' class certification experts; and defendants' responses to plaintiffs' *Daubert* motions as to defendants' class certification experts: February 4, 2028

Plaintiffs' replies in support of their *Daubert* motions as to defendants' class certification experts: March 3, 2028

7. The court establishes the following merits-related motion and briefing deadlines:

Summary judgment motions; and *Daubert* motions as to merits experts: June 16, 2028

Responses to summary judgment motions; and responses to *Daubert* motions as to merits experts: July 14, 2028

Replies in support of summary judgment motions and *Daubert* motions as to merits experts: July 28, 2028

8. The ADR report required by Local Uniform Civil Rule 83.7(f)(3) must be submitted to the undersigned by September 21, 2028 (7 days before the pretrial conference).

SO ORDERED, this the 29th day of October, 2026.

/s/ Roy Percy
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE