

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE Northern District of Illinois – CM/ECF LIVE, Ver 6.3.3
Eastern Division**

Beijing Choice Electronic Technology Co.,
Ltd.

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 1:18-cv-00825
Honorable Franklin U.
Valderrama

Veridian Healthcare LLC, et al.

Defendant.

NOTIFICATION OF DOCKET ENTRY

This docket entry was made by the Clerk on Thursday, October 22, 2020:

MINUTE entry before the Honorable Susan E. Cox: Motion and status hearing held. Plaintiff's Motion to compel Contec To Comply With Court-Ordered Depositions [224] is denied. Defendants' company policy forbids travel outside mainland China due to COVID-19 and Chinese Law prohibits depositions by remote means. The Court believes Defendants' company policy is prudent in light of the global pandemic and will not order employees to travel to Macau in contravention of those policies at this time. As such, the fact discovery deadline is extended to 3/31/21 to allow additional time to complete the depositions previously ordered by Judge Ellis. Defendants' Motion to Compel [228] is taken under advisement. Plaintiff's brief in opposition is due 11/5/20; Defendants' reply brief is due 11/12/20. The Court will rule by mail. Status hearing set for 1/25/21 at 10:00 a.m. Conference call in number is (888)684-8852. Passcode is 1664086. Counsel shall dial in to the conference call number 5-10 minutes before the hearing begins and mute their microphones until their case is called. The parties may disconnect from the conference call after their case is heard. Mailed notice (lp,)

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