

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE Northern District of Illinois – CM/ECF NextGen 1.8 (rev. 1.8.1)
Eastern Division

Montrell Carr, et al.

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 1:17-cv-07135
Honorable Martha M. Pacold

Sheriff of Cook County, et al.

Defendant.

NOTIFICATION OF DOCKET ENTRY

This docket entry was made by the Clerk on Wednesday, December 4, 2024:

MINUTE entry before the Honorable Martha M. Pacold: Defendants' motion to stay proceedings pending a ruling on defendants' petition for a writ of certiorari, [206], is denied. "The power to stay proceedings is incidental to the power inherent in every court to control the disposition of cases on its docket with economy of time and effort for itself, for counsel and for litigants." Texas Indep. Producers & Royalty Owners Ass'n v. E.P.A., 410 F.3d 964, 980 (7th Cir. 2005) (quoting Landis v. N. Am. Co., 299 U.S. 248, 254 (1936)). "In deciding whether to enter such a stay, courts consider the following factors: (i) whether a stay will unduly prejudice or tactically disadvantage the non-moving party, (ii) whether a stay will simplify the issues in question and streamline the trial, and (iii) whether a stay will reduce the burden of litigation on the parties and on the court." Pfizer Inc. v. Apotex Inc., 640 F. Supp. 2d 1006, 1007 (N.D. Ill. 2009); see 555 M Mfg., Inc. v. Calvin Klein, Inc., 13 F. Supp. 2d 719, 724 (N.D. Ill. 1998) ("To order a stay of proceedings, it must be clear that the interests of justice require it, that adjudication of the claim would be a waste of judicial effort, and that the plaintiff will not be substantially harmed by the delay." (citation omitted)). Here, defendants have not made such a showing. Defendants' petition for a writ of certiorari is pending. At this stage, there is no sufficiently concrete basis for a stay. If certiorari is granted, defendants may renew the motion to stay. The briefing schedule on plaintiff's motion to add additional plaintiffs, [212], stands. (rao,)

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