

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: ZOSTAVAX (ZOSTER VACCINE : MDL NO. 2848
LIVE) PRODUCTS LIABILITY :
LITIGATION :

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: : CIVIL ACTION NO. 18-md-2848
ALL CASES :
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PRETRIAL ORDER NO. 194

AND NOW, this 8th day of July, 2019, it is hereby
ORDERED that:

(1) The motion of the Plaintiff Executive Committee
to compel production of adverse event data and standard
operating procedures (Doc. # 308) is GRANTED in part and DENIED
in part;

(2) Defendants Merck & Co., Inc. and Merck Sharp &
Dohme Corp. (collectively "Merck") shall produce adverse event
data from its Adverse Event Reporting and Review System for
injuries which point to Zostavax and are of the type plaintiffs
have alleged in any of the actions in MDL 2848;

(3) The production is limited to data emanating from
the United States, Canada, Korea, the Netherlands, and
Singapore;

(4) Merck shall exclude the names, addresses, social security numbers and dates of birth of the allegedly injured individuals;

(5) The parties shall work together in good faith on a timetable, format, and fields for the prompt and effective production of the information required herein; and

(6) The motion to compel is otherwise DENIED.

BY THE COURT:


J.