IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION

CHRISTOPHER DIXON, individually and on behalf all others similarly situated, Plaintiff, v. MEDICAL EXPRESS AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC. d/b/a MEDEX AMBULANCE,	Case No. 2025CH04441 Consolidated with the below-captioned cases
Defendant.	
LYNELL LONG, individually and on behalf all others similarly situated, Plaintiff,	Case No. 2025CH04521
V.	
MEDICAL EXPRESS AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC.,	
Defendant.	
DANIEL ELLER, individually and on behalf all others similarly situated,	C N 2025CH04529
Plaintiff,	Case No. 2025CH04528
v.	
MEDICAL EXPRESS AMBULANCE SERVICE INC., d/b/a MEDEX AMBULANCE,	
Defendant.	

MICHAEL GORSKI, individually and on behalf all others similarly situated, Plaintiff,	Case No. 2025CH04560
v. MEDICAL EXPRESS AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC. d/b/a MEDEX AMBULANCE, Defendant. ANDRE GLENN, individually and on behalf all others similarly situated, Plaintiff, v. MEDICAL EXPRESS AMBULANCE SERVICE, INC., d/b/a MEDEX	Case No. 2025CH04621
AMBULANCE, Defendant.	

[PROPOSED] ORDER

A hearing was held on June 13, 2025, regarding Plaintiffs' Motion to Appoint Interim Co-Lead Class Counsel. It is hereby ordered:

1. Plaintiffs' Motion to Appoint Interim Co-Lead Class Counsel is GRANTED. The Court appoints Ben Barnow of Barnow and Associates, P.C., Elena A. Belov of the Almeida Law Group LLC, Nickolas J. Hagman of Cafferty Clobes Meriwether & Sprengel LLP, and Cassandra Miller of Strauss Borrelli PLLC as Interim Co-Lead Class Counsel. Interim Co-Lead Class Counsel have the following responsibilities:

- a. Finalizing and filing all pleadings, briefs, motions, and other papers on behalf of Plaintiffs and the putative class;
- b. Initiating, coordinating, and conducting all pretrial discovery for the benefit of Plaintiffs and the putative class, including causing the issuance of interrogatories, document requests, requests for admission, subpoenas, and examining witnesses at depositions;
- c. Conducting all settlement negotiations on behalf of Plaintiffs and the putative class;
- d. Acting as the spokesperson for Plaintiffs and the putative class at pretrial proceedings in response to the Court's inquiries, subject to any right of

individual Plaintiffs' counsel to present non-repetitive, individual or different positions as directed by the Court;

- e. Conducting trial and post-trial proceedings;
- f. Conducting all appeals;
- g. Consulting with and employing consultants and experts as they may deem appropriate;
- h. Negotiating and entering into stipulations with Defendant regarding the litigation;
- i. Monitoring the activities of plaintiffs' counsel to ensure that schedules are met and unnecessary expenditures of time and money are avoided;
- j. Coordinating and communicating with Defendant's counsel with respect to the matters addressed in this paragraph; and
- k. Performing such functions as may be expressly authorized by further orders of the Court.

2. Plaintiffs' deadline to file a consolidated complaint is July 28, 2025. Plaintiffs shall deliver hard copies of the consolidated complaint to chambers.

3. Defendant's responsive pleading deadline for all the above-captioned matters is stayed pending the forthcoming consolidated complaint.

4. A hearing regarding Defendant's responsive pleading with respect to the consolidated complaint is set for August 13, 2025, at 9:30am via Zoom (Zoom Meeting ID Number: 966 9558 1801; Password: 160424).

Hon. Michael T. Mullen

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