

STATE COURT OF GWINNETT COUNTY  
JUDGE ERICA K. DOVE - COURTROOM 2F

**CIVIL BENCH TRIAL CALENDAR**  
**APRIL 23, 2024 – 1:30 P.M.**

The following cases will be called for NON-JURY trial at 1:30 p.m. on April 23, 2024. **Any exhibits shall be emailed to the Court's staff attorney, Dan Whitworth, at [dan.whitworth@gwinnettcourt.com](mailto:dan.whitworth@gwinnettcourt.com) not later than 24 hours prior to the calendar.** Cases in which no appearance is made will be considered abandoned, and the Court will consider dismissing the case or striking responsive pleadings.

**APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL**

All counsel, parties, and witnesses must appear at the call of the calendar. Trials will begin immediately following the call of the calendar. USCR 8.4 (Trial Date) WILL NOT APPLY.

**CONFLICTS**

This Court requires counsel to report ONLY CONFLICTS WHICH TAKE PRECEDENCE AND WILL PREVENT COUNSEL'S APPEARANCE AT THE CALL OF THE CALENDAR. Conflict notice should be received by the Court at least five (5) days prior to the call of the calendar. Email, fax, or e-filing is preferred. Conflict notices which do not conform to these requirements will not be considered.

**CONTINUANCES**

Continuances WILL NOT BE GRANTED MERELY BY AGREEMENT OF COUNSEL OR BY TELEPHONE. All requests for continuance must be submitted, IN WRITING (whether by pleading or email to the address listed below) and must be received by the Court at least five (5) days prior to the call of the calendar. Requests shall contain the following information: 1. Reason for requesting the continuance; 2. Length of time to be continued; 3. If opposing Counsel or party agrees to continuance; 4. If continuances have previously been granted. It is the responsibility of the requesting party to ascertain if a continuance has been granted and to notify all parties and witnesses.

**DISMISSALS AND SETTLEMENTS**

If the parties announce a settlement or dismissal in lieu of appearance at the calendar, the Court requires that the dismissal or settlement announcement be filed, with courtesy copy transmitted to the Court, within thirty (30) days after the call of the calendar. Failing same, the case will be dismissed for want of prosecution.

**JURY DEMANDS**

All demands for Jury trial shall be filed with the Clerk of Court and copy forwarded to the email address listed below prior to the call of the calendar. Demands filed on the day of calendar call must be announced at Calendar Call on the record, with a written jury demand filed the same day.

THIS CALENDAR APPROVED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED, this 22nd day of March, 2024.



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ERICA K. DOVE, Judge  
State Court of Gwinnett County

**FOR ASSISTANCE OR TO ORDER AN INTERPRETER, PLEASE CONTACT:  
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[KIANA.EVANS@GWINNETTCOUNTY.COM](mailto:KIANA.EVANS@GWINNETTCOUNTY.COM)  
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Civil Bench Trials 1:30 PM Courtroom 2F

**04/23/2024**

Scheduled Event Details

Filing Date

23-C-01542-S5 # 1	CORDELE SASH DOOR & LUMBER CO INC vs ROYSTER et al Hearing Type: <i>Bench Trial</i> Case Type: <i>Contract/Account*</i> Reset From:	03/09/2023
<b>Plaintiff:</b> CORDELE SASH DOOR & LUMBER CO INC <b>Defendant:</b> GREGORY L. ROYSTER SCOTTIE ROYSTER	<b>Plaintiff's Attorney(s):</b> CATER C THOMPSON ANDREW L DAVIDSON <b>Defendant's Attorney(s):</b> SCOTT T BUSHNELL	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 478-745-2821 <b>Attorney Phone:</b> 404-869-1201
23-C-03952-S5 # 2	DAMRON, Jr. VS SPEED GEARS INC Hearing Type: <i>Bench Trial</i> Case Type: <i>Other General Civil*</i> Reset From:	06/08/2023
<b>Plaintiff:</b> WAYNE DAMRON, Jr. <b>Defendant:</b> SPEED GEARS INC	<b>Plaintiff's Attorney(s):</b> HALSEY G KNAPP <b>Defendant's Attorney(s):</b> MITCHELL L BAKER	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 404-888-9700 <b>Attorney Phone:</b> 706-782-7500

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23-C-05665-S5 # 3	ACCELERATED INVENTORY MANAGEMENT LLC vs WEST	08/09/2023
	Hearing Type: <i>Bench Trial</i>	
	Case Type: <i>Contract/Account*</i>	
	Reset From:	
<b>Plaintiff:</b> ACCELERATED INVENTORY MANAGEMENT LLC	<b>Plaintiff's Attorney(s):</b> BRIAN M CLOUD	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 205-322-6060
<b>Defendant:</b> SHYTUN WEST	<b>Defendant's Attorney(s):</b> J MAX DAVIS	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 770-395-7650
23-C-05897-S5 # 4	AMERICAN EXPRESS NATIONAL BANK vs BELCHER	08/16/2023
	Hearing Type: <i>Bench Trial</i>	
	Case Type: <i>Contract/Account*</i>	
	Reset From:	
<b>Plaintiff:</b> AMERICAN EXPRESS NATIONAL BANK	<b>Plaintiff's Attorney(s):</b> KEITH D TAYLOR MADGE R BUCKLE AYODELE O UBOH	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 678-924-9644
<b>Defendant:</b> WILLIAM BELCHER	<b>Defendant's Attorney(s):</b> MONIQUE GREENAGE JOANNE DESILE	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 800-316-3133

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23-C-06163-S5 # 5	GALAXY INTERNATIONAL PURCHASING LLC VS THURMOND	08/25/2023
	Hearing Type: <i>Bench Trial</i>	
	Case Type: <i>Other General Civil*</i>	
	Reset From:	
<b>Plaintiff:</b> GALAXY INTERNATIONAL PURCHASING LLC	<b>Plaintiff's Attorney(s):</b> OLGA IVANUSHKO BENNIE CROWE CHARLES E BYROM RICHARD A RUSSELL JESSICA J FAGEN	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 877-215-2552
<b>Defendant:</b> LAKYERA THURMOND	<b>Defendant's Attorney(s):</b> Pro Se	<b>Attorney Phone:</b>
24-C-01095-S5 # 6	SLEEP SPECIALTY MANAGEMENT LP VS AVENT et al	02/08/2024
	Hearing Type: <i>Bench Trial</i>	
	Case Type: <i>Dispossessory/Distress*</i>	
	Reset From:	
<b>Plaintiff:</b> SLEEP SPECIALTY MANAGEMENT LP	<b>Plaintiff's Attorney(s):</b> JOHN J RICHARD	<b>Attorney Phone:</b> 770-800-3518
<b>Defendant:</b> ALL OTHERS OCCUPYING KHALIL RASHAD AVENT	<b>Defendant's Attorney(s):</b> Pro Se	<b>Attorney Phone:</b>