

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

DEERE & COMPANY;

PRECISION PLANTING LLC;

and

MONSANTO COMPANY,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:16-cv-08515

Judge Chang

Magistrate Judge Weisman

DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56, and in accordance with Local Rule 56.1, Defendants move for summary judgment. Defendants conferred with Plaintiff regarding this motion on April 4, 2017. Plaintiff objects to this motion and intends to oppose it. The parties have not yet agreed on a briefing schedule. This motion will be presented on April 10, 2017.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully request that this Court grant this motion in its entirety.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, John M. Majoras, certify that on April 5, 2017, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing to be filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notice of the electronic filing to all counsel of record.

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