

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
MARTINEZ, CA
DEPARTMENT 57
JUDICIAL OFFICER: J. YAMAMOTO
HEARING DATE: 02/05/2025

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Discovery Law & Motion

1. 10:30 AM CASE NUMBER: C24-01486
CASE NAME: THE ANGELL LAW FIRM, P.C. VS. ANGELA MILON
***HEARING ON MOTION FOR DISCOVERY COMPEL RESPONSES TO WRITTEN DISCOVERY, DEEMED ADMISSIONS**
FILED BY: THE ANGELL LAW FIRM, P.C.
TENTATIVE RULING:

Plaintiff's motion to compel Defendant to provide responses to request for first set of written discovery is granted with respect to the one motion which Plaintiff has paid this court.

Plaintiff's motion for an order to deem requests for admission, set one admitted is granted. Motion was unopposed and no RFA responses were served prior to the hearing. The court deems RFA, set one, admitted. Sanctions in the amount of \$ 750 are awarded to plaintiff to be paid by defendant – Dorothy Riedel within 20 days of service of this order.

2. 10:30 AM CASE NUMBER: C23-01618
CASE NAME: KATHARINE WALKER VS. DOES 2-30
***HEARING ON MOTION FOR DISCOVERY COMPEL RESPONSES TO REQUEST FOR PROD OF DOCS; SET 1**
FILED BY: MORAGA COUNTRY CLUB HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION
TENTATIVE RULING:

Defendant's motion to compel Plaintiff to provide responses to requests for discovery is granted.

Considering the Defendant's declaration, the court orders sixty days to comply with this order. Plaintiff shall serve code-compliant, objection free, verified responses, along with responsive documents for the following: Requests for Production of Documents – Set One.

Plaintiff shall serve code-compliant, objection free, verified responses, along with responsive documents, no later than 60 days after service of this order.

The court further orders monetary sanctions against Plaintiff- Maureen Gasparini in the amount of \$ 900 to be paid to Defendant within 20 days of service of this order.

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3. 10:30 AM CASE NUMBER: C22-01318

CASE NAME: GARCIA VS. PANGILINAN

***HEARING ON MOTION FOR DISCOVERY COMPEL RESPONSES TO REQ FOR PROD OF DOCS, FORM INTEROGS AND ADMISSIONS**

FILED BY: PANGILINAN, DEBBIE

TENTATIVE RULING:

Defendant's motion to compel Plaintiff to provide responses to requests for discovery is granted.

Considering the Defendant's declaration, the court orders sixty days to comply with this order. Plaintiff shall serve code-compliant, objection free, verified responses, along with responsive documents for the following motions which Defendant has paid the court : Plaintiff shall serve responses to Requests for Production of Documents – Set One.

Plaintiff shall serve code-compliant, objection free, verified responses, along with responsive documents, no later than 60 days after service of this order.

Sanctions being denied.

4. 10:30 AM CASE NUMBER: C24-00586

CASE NAME: GURPREET SINGH VS. JASPAL SINGH

***HEARING ON MOTION IN RE: COMPEL PLAINTIFFS DISCOVERY RESPONSES AND MONETARY SANCTIONS**

FILED BY: SINGH, JASPAL

TENTATIVE RULING:

Defendant's motion to compel Plaintiff to provide responses to requests for discovery is granted.

Considering the Defendant's declaration, the court orders sixty days to comply with this order. Plaintiff shall serve code-compliant, objection free, verified responses, along with responsive documents for the following motions which Defendant has paid the court : Plaintiff shall serve responses to Form Interrogatories – General Law, Set One.

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Sanctions are denied.