

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No.	CV 16-5224-SVW (AGR)	Date	October 6, 2016
Title	Travis Middleton, et al. v. Richard Pan, et al.		

Present: The Honorable	Alicia G. Rosenberg, United States Magistrate Judge		
Marine Pogosyan	CS 10/6/2016	None	
Deputy Clerk	Court Reporter / Recorder	Tape No.	
Attorneys Present for Plaintiff	Attorneys Present for Defendant		
Travis Middleton, Pro Se	Jonathan R. Rich, Deputy Attorney General Elizabeth G. O'Donnell, Deputy Attorney General Jacquelyn Y. Young, Deputy Attorney General		

**Proceedings: In Chambers: RE (1) STATUS CONFERENCE AND (2) BRIEFING AND HEARING SCHEDULE ON ANTICIPATED MOTIONS TO DISMISS THE FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT (Dkt. No. 16)**

The case is called. Plaintiff Middleton states his appearance. Counsel for the State, Governor Brown and First Lady Gust state their appearances. Legislative Counsel was relieved from appearance. (Dkt. No. 72.)

The court first addressed the status of service upon named defendants. The court stated that the Clerk is DIRECTED to file a Non Service Report for Defendant Pat Lafkas that does not now appear on the docket. With respect to the two remaining defendants for whom no proof of service was filed, Plaintiff Middleton represented that Richard Pan was recently served. The court ORDERED that Plaintiff file the proof of service for Richard Pan and the Non Service Report for Sky Hill as soon as practicable within the next two weeks. Plaintiff represented that the Plaintiffs do not intend to pursue service of the defendants who are the subject of Non Service Reports. Accordingly, all defendants who will be served are currently before the court.

The court then addressed the briefing schedule on Defendants' three anticipated motions to dismiss and/or strike the First Amended Complaint. The District Judge previously set the motions deadline on October 26, 2016. The briefing and hearing schedule is as follows:

- October 26, 2016 Defendants shall file motions to dismiss or strike the First Amended Complaint.
- November 16, 2016 Plaintiffs shall file opposition briefs to the motions. Plaintiffs anticipate joining in a single opposition to each motion.
- December 1, 2016 Defendants may file an optional reply brief in support of their motions.

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December 13, 2016

10:00 a.m.

Hearing on the motions to dismiss in Courtroom B, 8th Floor, 312 North Spring Street, Los Angeles, California 90012.

Finally, the court addressed Defendants' request to be relieved of the obligation to meet and confer prior to filing motions due to the number of unrepresented parties in the case. The court discussed the possibility of telephonic pre-motion conferences with the court and will address the issue at the hearing on December 13, 2016.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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