

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

LAWRENCE E. JAFFE PENSION PLAN,)	
on behalf of itself and all others)	
similarly situated,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	02-C-5893 (Consolidated)
)	
vs.)	Judge Ronald A. Guzman
)	
HOUSEHOLD INTERNATIONAL, INC., eta!.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

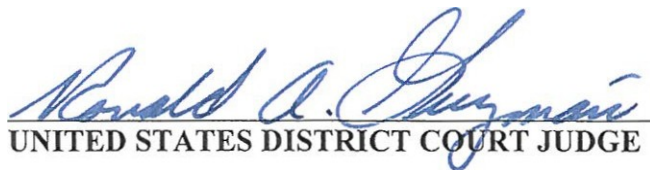
This case is before the Court on *Defendants' Objections to Certain Claims Included in the Report of Claims Administrator Gilardi & Co., LLC* filed on February 27, 2012 (Doc. No. 1800) and *Defendants' Update Regarding Objection to Certain Claims Included in the Report of Claims Administrator Gilardi & Co., LLC* filed on May 9, 2012 (Doc. No. 1817). Phillip S. Stenger filed his *Special Master's Report and Recommendation on Defendants' Category D.5., D.6. and D.7. Objections* on May 17, 2013 (Doc. No. 1847) (the "Report and Recommendation"), recommending that Defendants' Category D.5. and D.7. objections should be deemed waived because they were not raised timely, and that Defendants' Category D.6. objections (as to claimants with claims *less than* \$250,000 where the reliance question was answered by third party filers) should not be deemed waived and plaintiffs should send these claimants the second Notice in order to obtain an answer to the reliance question.

After an independent *de novo* review of the record in this matter, and noting that no objections were timely filed to the Report and Recommendation, the Court agrees with the Special Master's analysis and conclusions in the Report and Recommendation. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the Report and Recommendation filed on May 17, 2013 (Dkt. No. 1847) is **ADOPTED** and **CONFIRMED** and made a part of this Order.
2. That Defendants' D.5. and D.7. Objections have been waived because they were not raised timely.
3. That Defendants' Category D.6. objections as to claimants with claims *less than* \$250,000 where the reliance question was answered by third party filers have not been waived, and Plaintiffs, if they have not already done so, shall within thirty (30) days of the date of entry of this Order send these claimants the second Notice in order to obtain an answer to the reliance question.

DATED: 6/6/13


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE