

United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois

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| Name of Assigned Judge or Magistrate Judge | Ronald A. Guzman | Sitting Judge if Other than Assigned Judge | Nan R. Nolan |
| CASE NUMBER | 02 C 5893 | DATE | 2/12/2007 |
| CASE TITLE | Jaffe vs. Household Intl Inc, et al | | |

DOCKET ENTRY TEXT

Status hearing held. Local counsel appeared in person; out-of-town counsel appeared by telephone.

■ [For further details see text below.]

Notices mailed by Judicial staff.

STATEMENT

Class Motion for a Report and Recommendation for Evidentiary Sanctions Against Household Defendants [Doc. 938] is briefed as follows: response due 2/16/07; reply due 2/23/07. Class Motion for Reconsideration of the Court’s January 24, 2007 Order or for Alternative Relief Regarding Stock Repurchase Discovery [Doc. 944] and Class Motion for Reconsideration of the Court’s January 24, 2007 Order Finding Waiver of KPMG Documents but Precluding Disclosure for Failure to Demonstrate Prejudice [Doc. 947] are both briefed as follows: response due 2/22/07; reply due 3/1/07.

The depositions of Ken Posner and Jonathan Pruzan of Morgan Stanley will count as one deposition. Plaintiffs to file a motion to compel emails from Morgan Stanley by 2/14/07. Court will determine whether further briefing is necessary.

Plaintiffs are to notify Wells Fargo that it must produce a witness for deposition no later than 3/9/07.

The deposition of John Keller, which will take place over one day, will count as one deposition. Deposition coordinators are to find out whether Mr. Keller is available for his deposition on one of the five dates proposed by Defendants (the court agrees that 3/7/07 and 3/9/07 are unreasonable). If he is not available on any of those dates, the deposition will proceed on 3/6/07 in New York. The deposition of Chris Bianucci will proceed on 3/8/07 in Chicago. Plaintiffs are to provide the court as soon as possible with documentation supporting their request to depose Household CEO Bobby Mehta. Defendants may file a brief response immediately thereafter.

Defendants’ request to depose named Plaintiff The Archdiocese of Milwaukee Supporting Fund as to why it fired the law firm of Lerach Coughlin Stoia Geller Rudman & Robbins LLP as its counsel in a case pending against Halliburton in the Northern District of Texas is denied for the reasons stated in open court.

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Plaintiffs will provide Defendants by 2/16/07 with a certification that their document production is complete with respect to state agency correspondence ordered produced by the court on January 24, 2007. Defendants, in turn, will respond to Plaintiffs' interrogatory relating to Andrew Kahr's compensation by 2/14/07.

Defendants to file any motion to compel regarding insufficient interrogatory responses by 2/21/07. Response due 3/2/07; reply due 3/9/07. Plaintiffs to file any motion for protective order as to Defendants' Sixth Set of Interrogatories filed January 31, 2007 by 2/13/07. Response due 2/23/07; reply due 3/2/07.

Status set for 3/12/07 at 8:45 a.m. CST. Parties are to appear in person except for any court-approved request to appear by phone.