

SUPREME COURT OF CALIFORNIA

ROBERT GRAHAM et al.,)	
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Plaintiffs and Respondents,)	
)	S112862
v.)	
)	Ct.App. 2/1 B152928
DAIMLERCHRYSLER CORPORATION,)	
)	Los Angeles County
Defendants and Appellants.)	Super. Ct. No. BC 21564
_____)	

MODIFICATION OF OPINION

THE COURT:

The opinion herein, appearing at 34 Cal.4th 553, is modified as follows:

In 34 Cal.4th at page 577, after “Lengthy prelitigation negotiations are not required,” insert “nor is it necessary that the settlement demand be made by counsel.”

The modified sentence would read:

“Lengthy prelitigation negotiations are not required, nor is it necessary that the settlement demand be made by counsel, but a plaintiff must at least notify the defendant of its grievances and proposed remedies and give the defendant the opportunity to meet its demands within a reasonable time.”

In the following sentence, after the citation “(See, e.g., *S.D. v. Faulkner, supra*, 705 F.Supp at p. 1363 [letter notifying defendants of plaintiffs’ grievances, plus discussions over two-month period]” insert “see also *Garrison v. Board of Directors*

(1995) 36 Cal.App.4th 1670, 1676 [Pub. Resources Code, § 21177, subd. (b) requires California Environmental Quality Act litigants to inform agency of objections before litigation to give agency opportunity to respond].) The entire citation would read:

(See, e.g., *S.D. v. Faulkner*, *supra*, 705 F.Supp at p. 1363 [letter notifying defendants of plaintiffs' grievances, plus discussions over two-month period]; see also *Garrison v. Board of Directors* (1995) 36 Cal.App.4th 1670, 1676 [Pub. Resources Code, § 21177, subd. (b) requires California Environmental Quality Act litigants to inform agency of objections before litigation to give agency opportunity to respond].)

These modifications do not affect the judgment.