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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
3470 Twelfth Street, Riverside, CA 92501
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Case No. ✓ CV 04-08400-SGL (RZx); CV 04-8776-SGL (RZx) Date: September 17, 2007

Title: JOANNE SIEGEL, an individual; and LAURA SIEGEL LARSON; an individual -v-
WARNER BROS. ENTERTAINMENT INC., a corporation; TIME WARNER INC., a
corporation; DC COMICS INC., a corporation; and DOES 1-10

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PRESENT: HONORABLE STEPHEN G. LARSON, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Jim Holmes
Courtroom Deputy Clerk

Theresa Lanza
Court Reporter

ATTORNEYS PRESENT FOR PLAINTIFFS: ATTORNEYS PRESENT FOR DEFENDANTS:

Marc Toberoff

Michael Bergman
Roper L. Zissu
Patrick T. Perkins


PROCEEDINGS: ORDER RE OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY MATTERS

At the conclusion of the September 17, 2007, hearing on the parties' cross-motions for partial summary judgment in the Superman, CV-04-8400-SGL, and the Superboy, CV-04-8776-SGL, matters, which motions the Court then concurrently took under submission, the Court heard argument from counsel regarding outstanding discovery issues. Except as set forth below, discovery in these matters is **ORDERED** closed:

- (1) Consistent with the September 11, 2007, Joint Stipulation of the parties, Bryan Singer is **ORDERED** to sit for a deposition by no later than November 30, 2007;
- (2) Plaintiff Laura Siegel Larson is **ORDERED** to sit for a deposition by no later than October 9, 2007, said deposition not to exceed two hours in length;
- (3) Defendant DC Comics is **ORDERED** to produce the "reserve account documents" to plaintiffs on or before Friday, September 21, 2007;

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- (4) Defendants are **ORDERED** to produce to plaintiffs all requested "ultimates" as referenced in the September 14, 2007, Declaration of Steven Sills at ¶¶ 10-11 by Friday, September 21, 2007;
- (5) Plaintiffs ex parte application for an order modifying the Court's August 13, 2007, discovery order is **GRANTED** in part in that plaintiffs are afforded until October 9, 2007, to complete their damages-related audit of defendants Time Warner, Inc., Warner Bros Entertainment, Inc., Warner Bros Television Production, Inc., and DC Comics.
- (6) The "escrow attorney" referenced at the hearing is directed to submit by Friday, September 21, 2007, to the Court for in camera review the nine documents which plaintiffs had either not previously produced to defendants or were not listed on a privilege log in connection with this litigation. Counsel for plaintiffs is **ORDERED** to submit a declaration on or before Friday, September 21, 2007, setting forth the grounds for any claims of privilege relating to said documents; defendants may file a response to the declaration on or before Tuesday, September 29, 2007. The motion to compel which defense counsel informed the Court has been or was being filed with the magistrate judge is hereby rendered **MOOT**.

Finally, the trial date in the Superman matter remains January 22, 2008. The trial date in the Superboy matter will be set thereafter by the Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.