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22 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
23 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – EASTERN DIVISION

24 JOANNE SIEGEL and LAURA
25 SIEGEL LARSON,

26 Plaintiffs,

27 vs.

28 TIME WARNER INC., WARNER
COMMUNICATIONS INC., WARNER
BROS. ENTERTAINMENT INC.,
WARNER BROS. TELEVISION
PRODUCTION INC., DC COMICS,
and DOES 1-10,

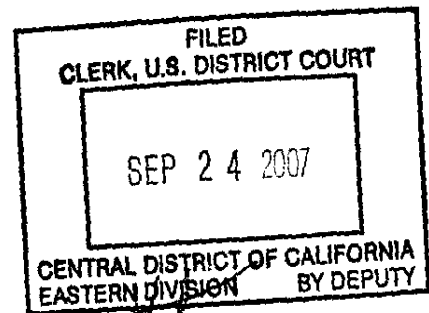
Defendants.

AND RELATED COUNTERCLAIMS.

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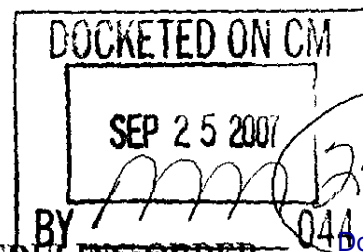
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Case Nos. [Consolidated for
Discovery]
CV 04-8400 SGL (RZx) ✓
CV 04-8776 SGL (RZx)
Hon. Stephen G. Larson, U.S.D.J.
Hon. Ralph Zarefsky, U.S.M.J.

STIPULATION RE:
SCHEDULING ORDER AND
[PROPOSED] ORDER
THEREON



1 Plaintiffs/counterclaim-defendants Joanne Siegel and Laura Siegel Larson
 2 (collectively "Plaintiffs"), and defendants Warner Bros. Entertainment Inc., Time
 3 Warner Inc., Warner Communications Inc. and Warner Bros. Television
 4 Production Inc. and defendant/counterclaimant DC Comics (collectively
 5 "Defendants"), by and through their respective counsel of record, and subject to
 6 the order of this Court, hereby stipulate and agree as follows:

7 WHEREAS, pursuant to the prior stipulation of the parties, and the orders of
 8 this Court, the following trial and pre-trial dates have been set in these cases,
 9 which have been consolidated only for purposes of discovery:

10	Mediation Deadline	September 24, 2007
11	Jury Instructions Due	October 8, 2007
12	Objections to Jury Instructions	October 15, 2007
13	Local Rule 16 Conference	October 2, 2007
14	In Limine Motions Due	November 5, 2007
15	In Limine Oppositions Due	November 19, 2007
16	In Limine Replies Due	November 30, 2007
17	Memo of Contentions of Fact and Law	November 19, 2007
18	Witness and Exhibit Lists	
19	Proposed Voir Dire	
20	Proposed Pretrial Conference Order	
21	Pre-trial Conference	December 3, 2007
22	Trial Briefs Due	December 17, 2007
23	Trial of Case No. CV 04-8400	January 22, 2008
24	Trial of Case No. CV 04-8776	Thereafter, as set by Court

25 WHEREAS, the parties have diligently pursued discovery in these actions,
 26 and discovery has now been substantially concluded;

27 WHEREAS, the parties have briefed and argued substantial cross-motions
 28 for partial summary judgment on a number of separate issues and/or claims for

1 relief in the two actions, which motions are currently under submission for
2 decision by the Court;

3 WHEREAS, the Court's rulings on the parties' cross-motions for partial
4 summary judgment will materially impact the parties' preparations for trial, and
5 the settlement mediation efforts that the parties engage in;

6 WHEREAS, the current pre-trial schedule, including the deadlines imposed
7 by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the Local Rules, and this Court's Standing
8 Order, will require the parties to mediate and likely to prepare their pre-trial
9 materials prior to the determination on their cross-motions for partial summary
10 judgment, resulting in potentially wasteful or duplicative effort;

11 WHEREAS, the parties believe that extending the pre-trial dates only, by
12 approximately 30 days each as set forth below, will provide for the more orderly
13 preparation of this matter while preserving the currently scheduled trial date;

14 WHEREAS, counsel for each party certifies to the Court that the requested
15 extensions are necessary to the orderly preparation and trial of these matters, and
16 are not sought for any improper purpose;

17 NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED,
18 subject to the approval of the Court, that the following pre-trial dates shall be
19 applicable to these matters:

20	Mediation Deadline	October 26, 2007
21	Jury Instructions Due	November 8, 2007
22	Objections to Jury Instructions	November 15, 2007
23	Local Rule 16 Conference	November 20, 2007
24	In Limine Motions Due	December 3, 2007
25	In Limine Oppositions Due	December 21, 2007
26	In Limine Replies Due	January 4, 2008
27	Memo of Contentions of Fact and Law	December 28, 2007
28	Witness and Exhibit Lists	
	Proposed Voir Dire	
	Proposed Pretrial Conference Order	

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1 Pre-trial Conference

January 7, 2008

2 Trial Briefs Due

January 14, 2008

3 Trial dates will remain as currently scheduled.
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5 Respectfully submitted,

6 DATED: September 24, 2007

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13 DATED: September 24, 2007

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ORDER

Based on the Stipulation of the parties, and for good cause shown,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the following pre-trial dates shall be applicable to these matters:

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Dated: 9-24-07


Hon. Stephen G. Larson
Judge, United States District Court

