UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No.	CV 13-5950 PA (RZx)			Date	November 5, 2013	
Title	Minx Interna	ational, Inc. v. Pacific Eurotex Corp., et al.				
Present: The Honorable		PERCY ANDERSON, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE				
Paul Songco			Not Reported		N/A	
Deputy Clerk			Court Reporter		Tape No.	
Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:			Attorneys Present for Defendants:			
None			None			
Proceedin	Proceedings: Order to Show Cause Re: Dismissal For Lack Of Prosecution					

Before the Court is Plaintiff's Status Report filed October 18, 2013. The Court's September 11, 2013 Order set a scheduling conference for November 18, 2013. The Court dropped all defendants except the first named defendant, Pacific Eurotex, Corp., from this action on September 18, 2013. The Court dropped all defendants who had appeared, and the remaining Defendant has yet to appear in this action. Therefore, the scheduling conference calendared for November 18, 2013, is hereby vacated and the matter taken off calendar.

Generally, defendants must answer the complaint within 21 days after service (60 days if the defendant is the United States). Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a)(1).

In the present case, it appears that this time period has not been met. Accordingly, the court, on its own motion, orders plaintiff to show cause in writing on or before **November 15, 2013**, why this action should not be dismissed for lack of prosecution. Pursuant to Rule 78 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the court finds that this matter is appropriate for submission without oral argument. The Order to Show Cause will stand submitted upon the filing of plaintiff's response. Failure to respond to this Order may result in the imposition of sanctions, including but not limited to dismissal of the complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED.