

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No.	CV 17-6440 PA (FFMx)	Date	November 29, 2017
Title	Benny Mardones, et al. v. Cyndi Lauper, et al.		

Present: The Honorable PERCY ANDERSON, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Kamilla Sali-Suleyman

Not Reported

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Deputy Clerk

Court Reporter

Tape No.

Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:

Attorneys Present for Defendants:

None

None

Proceedings: Order to Show Cause Re Dismissal For Lack Of Prosecution

Absent a showing of good cause, an action must be dismissed without prejudice if the summons and complaint are not served on a defendant within 90 days after the complaint is filed. Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(m).

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 **December 13, 2017**, why defendants Independent Presenters Network, CJ E and M Corp., and Just for Laughs Theatricals LLC should not be dismissed for lack of prosecution. Plaintiffs have indicated in the parties joint Rule 26(f) report that they have reached a tentative agreement with these defendants. (Docket No. 27 at 3.) Accordingly, Plaintiffs may satisfy their obligations under this Order by dismissing these defendants. 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.