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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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Case No. 8:11-cv-00920-JVS (RNBx) Date June 14, 2012
8:11-cv-01481-JVS (RNBx)
8:11-cv-01614-JVS (RNBx)
8:11-cv-01674-JVS (RNBx)
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8:12-cv-00074-JVS (RNBx)
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8:12-cv-00598-JVS (RNBx)

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Network Signatures Inc v. The Coca-Cola Company
Network Signatures Inc v. Nestle USA Inc
Network Signatures Inc v. Aetna Inc
Network Signatures Inc v. General Mills Inc
Network Signatures Inc v. The Gap Inc
Network Signatures, Inc v. Purdue Pharma L.P.
Network Signatures Inc v. ConocoPhillips Company
Network Signatures Inc v. Humana Inc

Present: The Honorable James V. Selna

Adrianna Gonzalez	Not Present
Deputy Clerk	Court Reporter
Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:	Attorneys Present for Defendants:
Not Present	Not Present

Proceedings: (IN CHAMBER) Order to Show Cause re Stay of Proceedings

On June 14, 21012, the Court granted summary judgment in favor of the defendant in Network Signatures, Inc. v. State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company, SACV 11-0982 JVS (RNBx) (Docket No. 51). In part, the Court held that U.S. Patent No 5,511,122 ("'122 Patent") was invalid based on the inequitable conduct of Network Signature Inc.'s ("Network Signatures") licensor. (Docket No. 51, p. 19.)

The '122 Patent is asserted in each of the above listed cases. The

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Court's ruling in State Farm would appear to be equally dispositive of the claims in these cases.

The Court orders the parties to show cause in writing within ten days why these cases should not be stayed pending the Federal Circuit's disposition of Network Signature's anticipated appeal in State Farm. The Court will conduct a hearing at 10:00 a.m on July 2, 2012. A failure to file a response will be deemed acquiescence in the Court's proposed course of action.

For their information, the Court is sending a copy to other judges who are presiding over similar Network Signature cases.

In the interim, all proceedings are stayed.

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Judge Guilford	8:12-cv-00495-AG (ANx)	Network Signatures Inc v. Time Warner Cable Inc
	8:12-cv-00497-AG (ANx)	Network Signatures Inc v. Tyson Foods, Inc
Judge Carney	8:11-cv-01205-CJC (MLGx)	Network Signatures Inc v. Staples Inc
	8:11-cv-01964-CJC (RNBx)	Network Signatures Inc v. Wellpoint Inc
Judge Pregerson	8:11-cv-01483-DDP (RNBx)	Network Signatures Inc v. Novartis Corporation
Judge Tucker	8:12-cv-00569-JST (RNBx)	Network Signatures Inc v Chevron Corporation
Judge Otero	2:11-cv-10663-SJO (RNBx)	Network Signatures Inc v. Safeway Inc
Judge Pfaelzer	8:12-cv-00140-MRP (MLGx)	Network Signatures, Inc. v. Comcast Corporation

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