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11	HOPSCOTCH ADOPTIONS, INC., and ROBIN SIZEMORE,	Case No. CV F 09-2101 MJS
12	Plaintiffs,	ORDER COMPELLING PLAINTIFFS TO DISCLOSE WITNESS INFORMATION AS
13	,	REQUIRED BY FED. R. CIV. P. 26(A)(1)(A)(i)
14	VANESSA KACHADURIAN, Defendant.	Date: 6/30/11 Time: 3:00 p.m. Dept: 6 Judge: Hon. Michael J. Seng
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17		Trial Date: 5/1/2012 Action Filed: 12/2/2009
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19	On June 30, 2011 at 3:00 p.m., the Honorable Michael J. Seng presided over a Discovery	
20	Dispute Conference in the above-entitled matter. John C. Adams, Esq. appeared for the party	
21	requesting the conference, defendant Vanessa Kachadurian. Bennet G. Kelley, Esq. appeared for	
22	plaintiffs Hopscotch Adoptions, Inc. and Robin Sizemore.	
23	After full consideration of the parties' written and oral submissions, THE COURT FINDS	
24	AS FOLLOWS:	
25	On March 14, 2011, this Court entered its Scheduling Order. (ECF No. 108.) The	
26	Scheduling Order required the parties to serve their initial disclosures under Fed. R. Civ. P.	
27	26(a)(1)(A) by March 24, 2011.	
28	Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1)(A)(i) requires parties to disclose the "name and, if known, the	
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address and telephone number of each individual likely to have discoverable information – along with the subjects of that information – that the disclosing party may use to support its claims or defenses, unless the use would be solely for impeachment . . . ".

On March 24, 2011, plaintiffs served their Initial Disclosures, but failed to properly identify 12 witnesses. Plaintiffs listed 12 adoptive parents or potential adoptive parents by initials only. Each of these adoptive parents or potential adoptive parents allegedly has information regarding defendant's alleged harassment of actual and potential Hopscotch clients. Since the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of these 12 witnesses were not provided, plaintiffs' initial disclosures did not satisfy the requirements of Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1)(A)(i). Defendant is entitled to this information under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure so it can contact these witnesses. However, plaintiffs have not provided this information to date due to confidentiality concerns.

For good cause shown, THIS COURT HEREBY ORDERS plaintiffs to immediately disclose the names, and, if known, the addresses and telephone numbers of the 12 adoptive parents or potential adoptive parents previously identified by initials only. Approved as to form:

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/s/ Bennet G. Kelley By: Bennet G. Kelley, Esq. Attorneys for Plaintiffs Hopscotch Adoptions, Inc. and Robin Sizemore

ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 11, 2011