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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

GAR ENERGY AND ASSOCIATES, INC.;  
GONZALO A. RUIZ, AS A SUCCESSOR IN  
INTEREST TO AND ASSIGNEE OF GAR  
ENERGY AND ASSOCIATES, INC.; and  
JANIS S. RUIZ, AS A SUCCESSOR IN INTEREST  
TO AND ASSIGNEE OF GAR ENERGY AND  
ASSOCIATES, INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

IVANHOE ENERGY INC.; IVANHOE ENERGY  
INTERNATIONAL VENTURES INC.; IVANHOE  
ENERGY (LATIN AMERICA) INC.; IVANHOE  
ENERGY LATIN AMERICA INC.; IVANHOE  
ENERGY ECUADOR INC.; and DOES 1 through  
10, inclusive,

Defendants.

CASE NO. 1:11-CV-00907-OWW-  
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**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS'  
UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR  
LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE LIMIT  
ON PLAINTIFFS' RESPONSE TO  
DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO  
DISMISS**

Before the Court is the Unopposed Motion for Leave filed by Plaintiffs GAR Energy and Associates, Inc., Gonzalo A. Ruiz, as a Successor in Interest to and Assignee of GAR Energy and Associates, Inc., and Janis S. Ruiz, as a Successor in Interest to and Assignee of GAR Energy and Associates, Inc. to exceed the page limit on their Response to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss. The Court finds that the same should be GRANTED. Accordingly, Plaintiffs may file a response to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss containing up to 35 pages.

It is so ORDERED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 4, 2011 /s/

**Oliver W. Wanger**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE