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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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MEYER CORPORATION, U.S. and  
MEYER INTELLECTUAL PROPERTIES  
LIMITED,

NO. CIV. S-06-0615 MCE-KJM

Plaintiffs,

v.

CALPHALON CORPORATION,

Defendant.

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CALPHALON CORPORATION,

NO. CIV. S-05-0971 WBS-DAD

Plaintiff,

v.

MEYER CORPORATION, U.S.,

Defendant.

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Examination of the above-entitled actions reveals that these actions are related within the meaning of Local Rule 83-123, E.D. Cal. (1997). Both cases involve the same parties and are based on similar claims. Accordingly, the assignment of the matters to the same judge is likely to effect a substantial saving of judicial effort and is also likely to be convenient for

1 the parties.

2 The parties should be aware that relating the cases  
3 under Local Rule 83-123 merely has the result that these actions  
4 are assigned to the same judge; no consolidation of the actions  
5 is effected.

6 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the action denominated  
7 Civ. S-06-0615 should be, and the same hereby is, reassigned to  
8 the Honorable WILLIAM B. SHUBB for all further proceedings.  
9 Henceforth the captions on all documents filed in the reassigned  
10 case shall be shown as Civ. S-06-0615 WBS-KJM, and any dates  
11 currently set in the reassigned case only are hereby VACATED.

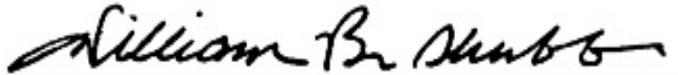
12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make  
13 appropriate adjustment in the assignment of civil cases to  
14 compensate for this reassignment.

15 IT IS SO ORDERED.

16 DATED: April 7, 2006

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WILLIAM B. SHUBB  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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