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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JARED POWERS, et al.,
Plaintiffs,
v.
DOES 1-50, et al.,
Defendants.

No. 2:13-cv-1701 JAM CKD

ORDER

In this action, plaintiffs allege claims for copyright infringement, defamation, and related state law claims arising out of allegedly defamatory statements published on the internet. Plaintiffs have filed an ex parte application seeking leave to conduct discovery prior to the Rule 26(f) conference so as to obtain information regarding the identity of the Doe defendants. Further clarification of the relief sought is required.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

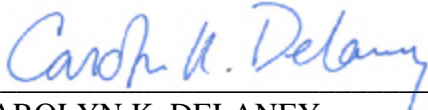
1. No later than September 11, 2013, plaintiffs shall specifically identify the entities or internet service providers on whom they seek to serve Rule 45 subpoenas. Plaintiffs shall further identify the specific internet pseudonyms of the Doe defendants.

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2. Plaintiffs' ex parte application shall thereafter stand submitted.

Dated: August 28, 2013



CAROLYN K. DELANEY
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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