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14 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 15 NORTHERN DISTRICT

16 MERRIMAN CURHAN FORD & CO., a
 17 California corporation,

18 Plaintiff,

19 vs.

20 FUQI INTERNATIONAL, INC., a
 21 Delaware Corporation, and WILLIAM
 22 BLAIR & COMPANY, L.L.C., a Delaware
 23 Limited Liability Company,

24 Defendants.

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NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(i) Plaintiff Merriman Curhan Ford & Co. voluntarily dismisses the above-captioned action without prejudice. Each party is to bear its own costs and fees.

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