

United States District Court
For the Northern District of California

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

STEVEN PARKER,

Plaintiff,

No. C 09-05922 WHA

v.

STX PAN OCEAN CO., LTD.,

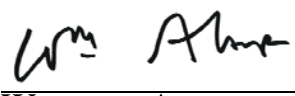
Defendant.

**ORDER REGARDING MOTION
FOR LEAVE TO FILE FIRST
AMENDED COMPLAINT**

It is always well and good for one defendant to desire company in its potential liability and to stipulate to adding additional deep pockets, but has the additional deep pocket (C&H Sugar) stipulated to being so generously joined, after, it should be said, the discovery cutoff and within three months of trial? This point should be addressed in briefing on the pending motion, not to mention why it took so long for counsel to find out about C&H's alleged role.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 3, 2011.



WILLIAM ALSUP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE