

# EXHIBIT 8

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**From:** Gaudreau, Holly  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 13, 2011 10:17 PM  
**To:** 'legal@bluehost.com'  
**Subject:** SCEA v. Hotz - Subpoena  
**Attachments:** 2011-03-10 (92) Civil Minute Order.pdf

*Sony Computer Entertainment America LLC v. Hotz, et al.*  
Case No. C-11-00167 (JCS) SI

Dear Shari:

We are counsel for Sony Computer Entertainment America LLC. I am following up on my voice mail last Friday morning (March 11, 2011) to the legal department regarding the subpoena that was served on Bluehost in connection with the above referenced matter.

The Court has ordered us to advise you that the subpoena has been issued without prejudice to your right to file a Motion to Quash. Further, any information provided pursuant to the subpoena shall be designated as "Attorneys' Eyes Only." Please see the attached Order.

Since that time, on Friday afternoon, we received Bluehost's documents in response to the subpoena. Therefore, pursuant to the Court's order, we will treat this data as "Attorneys' Eyes Only." I have a few questions regarding the documents that have been produced. Please give me a call back to discuss. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,  
Holly Gaudreau

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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
CIVIL MINUTE ORDER**

**CASE NO. C 11-00167 JCS**

**CASE NAME: SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT v. GEORGE HOTZ**

**MAGISTRATE JUDGE JOSEPH C. SPERO**

**COURTROOM DEPUTY: Karen Hom**

**DATE: March 10, 2011**

**TIME: 45 M**

**COURT REPORTER: Lydia Zinn**

**COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFF:**

**James Gilliland, Mehrnaz Boroumand Smith  
Holly Gaudreau**

**COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT:**

**Jack Praetzellis & Stewart Kellar**

**PROCEEDINGS:**

**RULING:**

**1. Telephonic Discovery Hearing re: Joint Letter  
on Impoundment Issues [docket no. 86]**

**2. Joint Letter re: Discovery [docket no. 85]**

**ORDERED AFTER HEARING:**

**Pursuant to the Order signed on 3/3/11, docket no. 90, it is ordered that the issuance of the subpoenas is without prejudice to the subpoenaed party to file a Motion to Quash. Any information provided pursuant to the subpoena shall be provided on an "Attorneys' Eyes" only.**

**Court issued rulings on the record as to docket nos. 85 and 86. Plaintiff to prepare Order, with agreed to form by Defendant, no later than the close of business on 3/14/11.**

**ORDER TO BE PREPARED BY:             Plaintiff     Defendant     Court**

**CASE CONTINUED TO:**

**Number of Depos:**

**Number of Experts:**

**Discovery Cutoff:**

**Expert Disclosure:**

**Expert Rebuttal:**

**Expert Discovery Cutoff:**

**Motions Hearing:            at 9:30 a.m.**

**Pretrial Conference:            at 1:30 p.m.**

**Trial Date:                    at 8:30 a.m.  Jury     Court    Set for    days**

**cc:            Chambers; Karen  
\* (T) = Telephonic Appearance**