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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 CRAIGYATES, an individual,

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 VISHAL CORPORATION, a California  
15 Corporation dba BEST WESTERN EL  
16 GRANDE INN;

17 Defendant

18 **Case No.: 3:11-cv-00643-JCS**

19 **REQUEST FOR APPEARANCE BY  
20 TELEPHONE and (~~PROPOSED~~) ORDER**

21 **Date: July 26, 2013**

22 **Time: 1:30 PM**

23 **CTRM: G**

24 Defendant requests that he/she/it be permitted to participate by telephone at the hearing  
25 on the Case Management Conference set for 1:30 p.m. on July 26, 2013.

26 Defendant's counsel of record is located in Sacramento County, California. Defendant  
27 seeks by this request to avoid the unnecessary burden and expense of sending its counsel to San  
28 Francisco, California, to participate in the proceeding in person. Defendant does not anticipate  
that a telephonic appearance by its counsel will inconvenience the court or prejudice any other  
party. Defendant's Counsel, Michael D. Welch, will be available by the telephone at (415) 298-  
7575 for the Court to call on July 26, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. or such other time as designated by the  
Court.

DATED: July 22, 2013

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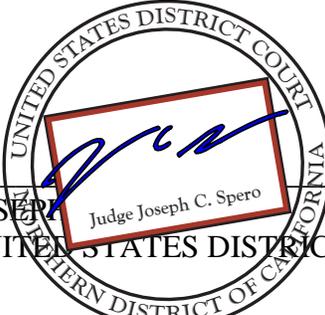
By: /s/ Michael D. Welch  
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**ORDER**

Pursuant to the request made by Defendant's Counsel, Michael D. Welch may appear by telephone on July 26, 2013, at the hearing. Mr. Welch shall be available at (415) 298-7575 to receive a call from the Court at 1:30 p.m. until such time as the hearing is conducted.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: 7/24/13

  
JOSEPH C. SPERO  
JUDGE JOSEPH C. SPERO  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA