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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
5 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

6 J & J SPORTS PRODUCTIONS, INC.,

7 Plaintiff,

8 v.

9 MARIA ELENA NOGUERA DE  
10 ESPARZA,

11 Defendant.

Case No. [14-cv-05130-JD](#)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

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13 In an order dated December 12, 2014, the Court set a case management conference in this  
14 matter for February 18, 2015, at 1:30 p.m. Case Management Scheduling Order, Dkt. No. 11.  
15 The Court's Standing Order for Civil Cases, which was specifically referred to in the December 12  
16 order, requires that "each party shall be represented at the case management conference by lead  
17 counsel" and also advises parties that "[f]ailure of lead counsel to appear may result in sanctions."

18 On February 18, 2015, the Court held the initial case management conference as  
19 scheduled. Lead plaintiff's counsel, Mr. Thomas P. Riley, did not appear. Mr. Riley neither  
20 requested nor was granted leave not to appear.

21 Accordingly, Mr. Riley is hereby ordered to show cause in writing as to why the Court  
22 should not impose monetary sanctions for his failure to adhere to this Court's standing order. The  
23 response to this order is due by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 25, 2015.

24 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

25 Dated: February 18, 2015

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JAMES DONATO  
United States District Judge

United States District Court  
Northern District of California