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14 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 15 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

17 STEVEN DRANSFIELD,  
 18 Plaintiff,  
 19 v.  
 20 ROSS STORES, INC.,  
 21 Defendant.

Case No.: 3:16-cv-04681-EMC  
 Judge: Hon. Edward M Chen

**JOINT STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL  
 [PROPOSED] ORDER**

**COMPLAINT FILED: AUGUST 15, 2016**

1           **TO THE COURT, PLAINTIFF, AND HIS ATTORNEY OF RECORD:**

2           Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 41(a)(1)(A), Plaintiff Steven Dransfield (“Plaintiff”)  
3 and Defendant Ross Stores, Inc. (“Defendant” or “Ross”) (individually “Party,” and  
4 collectively “Parties”), both hereby stipulate (Defendant through their undersigned  
5 counsel, and Plaintiff pro se) as follows:

6           WHEREAS, Plaintiff initially filed a complaint before this Court on August 15,  
7 2016;

8           WHEREAS, after filing of the complaint, the Parties agreed to submit this matter to  
9 mediation and arbitration, pursuant to a Dispute Resolution Agreement (“DRA”) between  
10 them;

11           WHEREAS, pursuant to the Parties’ agreement, the Court stayed the instant  
12 proceedings, ordered the matter to resolution through the Parties’ DRA;

13           WHEREAS, the Parties participated in a private mediation session with Jeffrey A.  
14 Ross on February 9, 2017; and

15           WHEREAS, the Parties have reached a settlement of the above-captioned action in  
16 its entirety and have come to terms on a written settlement agreement February 9, 2017  
17 resulting in a dismissal of the above-captioned action with prejudice;

18           **NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED** by the Parties, through  
19 their undersigned counsel, that the above-captioned action shall be dismissed in its entirety  
20 with prejudice pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii).

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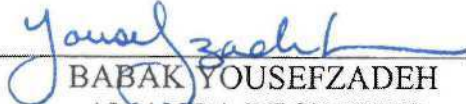
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IT IS SO STIPULATED.

Dated: February 16, 2017

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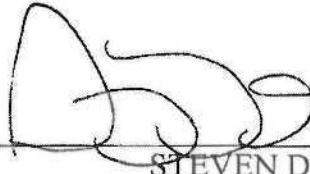
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~~[PROPOSED]~~ ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that pursuant to the Parties' Stipulation that this entire action is hereby dismissed as to all parties with prejudice pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii).

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: 2/22/2017

