

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

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4 JOE HAND PROMOTIONS, INC.,

No. C 11-6166 CW

5 Plaintiff,

ORDER DENYING
MOTION TO DISMISS

6 v.

7 BILL DAVIS, INDIVIDUALLY and dba
WEST COAST CIGARS,

8 Defendant.
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11 On March 13, 2012, Defendant Bill Davis dba West Coast
12 Cigars filed a motion to dismiss Plaintiff Joe Hand Promotions,
13 Inc.'s First Amended Complaint, which alleges four claims for
14 relief. Plaintiff has filed an opposition. The motion was taken
15 under submission and decided on the papers. Having reviewed all
16 the papers filed by the parties the Court finds that the
17 allegations in the First Amended Complaint are sufficient to
18 satisfy the requirements of Rule 8(a) of the Federal Rules of
19 Civil Procedure in that they provide Defendant fair notice of
20 legally cognizable claims and the grounds on which they rest. See
21 Bell Atl. Corp. v. Twombly, 550 U.S. 544, 555 (2007).

22 Accordingly, Defendant's motion to dismiss is denied.
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24 IT IS SO ORDERED.
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26 Dated: 5/14/2012

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28 CLAUDIA WILKEN
United States District Judge