

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 Northern District of California

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4 TV INTERACTIVE

5 Plaintiff(s),

No. C 09-04755 MEJ

6 v.

7 SONY CORP.

**ORDER DIRECTING PLAINTIFF TO
FILE CONSENT/DECLINATION
FORM**

8 Defendant(s).
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9 Pending before the Court are Plaintiff's counsels' pro hac vice applications. Upon review of
10 the record in this action, the Court notes that Plaintiff has not filed a written consent to Magistrate
11 Judge James' jurisdiction. This civil case was randomly assigned to Magistrate Judge James for all
12 purposes including trial. In accordance with Title 28, U.S.C. § 636(c), the magistrate judges of this
13 district court are designated to conduct any and all proceedings in a civil case, including trial and
14 entry of final judgment, upon the consent of the parties. An appeal from a judgment entered by
15 Magistrate Judge James may be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth
16 Circuit in the same manner as an appeal from any other judgment of a district court.

17 You have the right to have your case assigned to a United States District Judge for trial and
18 disposition. Accordingly, Plaintiff shall inform the Court whether it consents to Magistrate Judge
19 James' jurisdiction or requests reassignment to a United States District Judge for trial. A copy of
20 both the consent and declination forms may be obtained from the Northern District of California's
21 website at <http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/>. From the homepage, click on the "Forms" tab on the left
22 margin, then choose "Civil." The consent/declination form shall be filed by October 29, 2009.

23 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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25 Dated: October 19, 2009

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28 Maria-Elena James
Chief United States Magistrate Judge