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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
For the Northern District of California

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Northern District of California
San Francisco Division

VALLAVISTA CORPORATION,
Plaintiff,

No. C 10-0120 JW

v.

VERA BRADLEY DESIGNS, INC., et al.,
Defendants.

**ORDER DENYING REQUEST FOR
DEFENDANT VERA BRADLEY
DESIGNS, INC.'S INSURER
REPRESENTATIVE TO ATTEND
THE MEDIATION
TELEPHONICALLY**

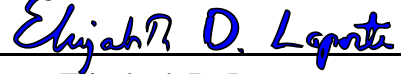
Date: July 13, 2010
Mediator: William Fenwick

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the request for defendant Vera Bradley Designs, Inc.'s insurer representative, Patricia Horton, to be excused from personally attending the July 13, 2010 mediation session before William Fenwick is DENIED. The court finds that Ms. Horton has not demonstrated that her personal attendance at the mediation would "impose an extraordinary or otherwise unjustifiable hardship" in accordance with ADR L.R. 6-10(d). Accordingly, the court DENIES the request to be relieved from compliance with the ADR Local Rules and ORDERS Ms. Horton to appear at the mediation in person.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

July 7, 2010

Dated

By: 

Elizabeth D. Laporte
United States Magistrate Judge