

United States District Court
For the Northern District of California

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN JOSE DIVISION

DAVID MORDAUNT, Ph.D.,

Plaintiff,

v.

BAUSCH & LOMB, INC., and DOES 1-25,

Defendants.

Case No. C-13-02026-RMW

**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S
MOTION TO TRANSFER**

[Re Docket No. 16]

Defendant Bausch & Lomb moves to transfer this action to the Central District of California for convenience, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a). As explained at the hearing on November 15, 2013, the court finds that the convenience to the witnesses favors transfer and outweighs plaintiff's choice of forum. *See Clark v. Sprint Spectrum L.P.*, Case No. C-10-03625 SI, 2010 WL 5173872 (N.D. Cal. Dec. 15, 2010) (convenience to the witnesses, especially to non-party witnesses, is often the most important factor). Accordingly, the court grants Bausch & Lomb's motion to transfer the case to the Central District of California.

Discovery may commence as agreed by the parties.

Dated: November 15, 2013


Ronald M. Whyte
United States District Judge