LEFT COAST WRESTLING, LLC,

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

v.

DEARBORN INT'L LLC,

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Case No.: 17cv466-LAB (NLS)

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION, AND GRANTING DEFAULT JUDGMENT GAINST DEFENDANTS DUKE MINH LE AND DEARBORN INTERNATIONAL, LLC; AND

ORDER REQUIRING PLAINTIFF TO SUBMIT PROPOSED ORDER

The Court referred Plaintiff's motion for default judgment (Docket no. 37) against Defendants Duke Minh Le and Dearborn, International, LLC to Magistrate Judge Nita Stormes for a report and recommendation. (Docket no. 38.) The motion sought certain relief for discovery abuses which was within Judge Stormes' power to grant, and she was authorized to rule directly on that. Or, if appropriate, she could roll this into the general analysis. As to the remainder, she was directed to issue a report and recommendation.

Judge Stormes issued her report and recommendation (the "R&R"). As part of the R&R, she recommended an award of costs and attorney's fees, but did not calculate the amount. Instead, she ordered Plaintiff to supplement the briefing. After Plaintiff did that, Judge Stormes issued a supplemental report and recommendation (Docket no. 44,

"Supplemental R&R") calculating the costs and attorney's fees to be awarded. No party has filed objections.

A district court has jurisdiction to review a Magistrate Judge's report and recommendation on dispositive matters. Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). "The district judge must determine de novo any part of the magistrate judge's disposition that has been properly objected to." *Id.* "A judge of the court may accept, reject, or modify, in whole or in part, the findings or recommendations made by the magistrate judge." 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). This section does not require some lesser review by the district court when no objections are filed. *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140, 149–50 (1985). The "statute makes it clear that the district judge must review the magistrate judge's findings and recommendations de novo *if objection is made*, but not otherwise." *United States v. Reyna-Tapia*, 328 F.3d 1114, 1121 (9th Cir. 2003) (en banc) (emphasis in original).

The Court has reviewed the R&R and Supplemental R&R, finds them to be correct, and **ADOPTS** them. The motion for default judgment against Duke Minh Le and Dearborn International, LLC is **GRANTED**. An order granting the requested relief will follow.

Plaintiff shall submit via email a proposed order in editable electronic format granting the relief recommended by the R&R. It should include the attorney's fees award mentioned in Judge Stormes' supplemental report and recommendation. It should also track the R&R's language as closely as possible.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 19, 2018

Hon. Larry Alan Burns United States District Judge

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