UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA MIAMI DIVISION

CASE NO. 10-CV-22236-ASG

HOWARD ADELMAN AND JUDITH SCLAWY as Co-Personal Representatives of the ESTATE OF MICHAEL SCLAWY-ADELMAN,

Plaintiffs,

v.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA; THE SOUTH FLORIDA COUNCIL INC., BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA; PLANTATION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH; HOWARD K. CROMPTON, Individually, and ANDREW L. SCHMIDT, Individually,

Defendants.

PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO STRIKE REPLY [D.E. 183]

The Plaintiffs move to Strike the Reply of the Defendants Crompton and Schmidt to Plaintiffs' Response to Defendants' Motion to Compel Production of Michael Sclawy-Adelman's Text Messages [D.E. 183] for failing to comply with the procedures of the Magistrate Judge and would respectfully state:

- 1. On March 28, 2011, the Defendants Crompton and Schmidt filed a Motion to Compel Production of Michael Sclawy-Adelman's Text Messages [D.E. 177], following which the Plaintiffs filed their Response [D.E. 182] on April 1, 2011.
- 2. Subsequently, the Defendants Crompton and Schmidt filed a 7 page Reply to the Plaintiffs' Response to the Defendants' Motion to Compel Production [D.E. 183].

3. The Defendants' Reply is in violation of the Magistrate Judge's procedures in that

it significantly exceeds the permissible length, which the Magistrate has previously indicated would

be strictly enforced. See Orders D.E. 123 and D.E. 128.

4. In addition, the Reply violates the discovery procedures adopted and posted by the

Magistrate, which provide for a discovery motion and a response, but not a Reply. The filing of the

unauthorized Reply has prejudiced the Plaintiffs' in that it refers to matters, depositions and

discovery which were not addressed in the Defendants' initial motion, thereby depriving the

Plaintiffs of the opportunity to even present argument concerning the relevancy and/or significance

of said matters.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiffs respectfully request an Order striking Defendants Crompton

and Schmidt's Response to Defendants' Motion to Compel Production of Michael Sclawy-

Adelman's Text Messages [D.E. 183].

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on **April 5th**, **2011**, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using CM/ECF. I also certify that the foregoing document is being served this day on all counsel of record identified on the attached Service List in the manner specified, either via transmission of Notices of Electronic Filing generated by CM/ECF or in some other authorized manner for those counsel or parties who are not authorized to receive electronically Notices of Electronic Filing.

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