

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

VULCAN GOLF, LLC, JOHN B.	§	
SANFILIPPO & SON, INC.,	§	
BLITZ REALTY GROUP, INC.,	§	
and VINCENT E. "BO" JACKSON,	§	
Individually and on Behalf of All	§	
Others Similarly Situated,	§	Civil Action No. 07 CV 3371
	§	
Lead Plaintiffs,	§	
	§	Honorable Blanche M. Manning
v.	§	
	§	Magistrate Judge Geraldine Soat Brown
GOOGLE INC., OVERSEE.NET,	§	
SEDO LLC, DOTSTER, INC., AKA	§	
REVENUEDIRECT.COM,	§	
INTERNET REIT, INC. d/b/a IREIT, INC.,	§	
and JOHN DOES I-X,	§	
	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	

**MOTION TO AMEND PARAGRAPH 78 OF THE FIRST AMENDED
COMPLAINT AND TO DENY IREIT's MOTION TO DISMISS TO THE
EXTENT THEY RELY UPON THE OMISSION OF IREIT FROM PARAGRAPH
78 OF THE FILED FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT**

Class Plaintiffs, by and through their undersigned counsel of record, move this Court to enter an order amending Paragraph 78 of the Filed First Amended Complaint (“FAC”) and to Deny Defendant INTERNET REIT, INC.’s (“IREIT”) Motion to Dismiss (“MTD”) to the extent that they rely upon omission of IREIT from Paragraph 78 of the filed FAC. In so doing, Class Plaintiffs state:

1. Class Plaintiffs made a scrivener’s error in ¶78 of the FAC, inadvertently omitting Defendant IREIT from the list of parking company defendants.

2. A scrivener's error is a clerical error resulting from "a minor mistake or inadvertence". *United States v. Gibson*, 356 F.3d 761, 766 n. 3 (7th Cir. 2004) (quoting Black's Law Dictionary 563 (7th ed. 1999)).

3. Importantly, the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure (Fed.R.Civ.P. 15(b)) clearly provide that a plaintiff's rights are not frozen with the complaint. *See, Prescott v. Marine Bank Dane County*, 805 F.2d 719, 724 (7th Cir. 1986). The purpose of this rule "is to provide the maximum opportunity for each claim to be decided on its merits rather than on its procedural niceties." *Prescott*, 805 F.2d at 725.

4. The rules only require a complaint to provide "a short and plain statement of the claim that will give the defendant fair notice of what the plaintiff's claim is and the grounds upon which it rests." *Rouse-Randhurst Shopping Ctr., Inc. v. J.C. Penney Co., Inc.*, 171 F. Supp. 2d 824, 826 (N.D. Ill. 2001) (quoting *Leatherman v. Tarrant County Narcotics Intelligence & Coordination Unit*, 507 U.S. 163, 168 (1993) (quotations omitted)). The complaint does not even need not list all claims or specify all legal theories. *Id.*

5. A fair reading of the FAC, unambiguously classifies Defendant IREIT as a "parking company defendant," reveals Class Plaintiffs' intent to include IREIT in the definition of parking company defendants, and puts IREIT on notice of the totality and scope of the facts and claims being alleged against it. For example, Defendant IREIT knows fully that it is a company that falls squarely within the definition of "Parking Company" as defined in FAC: "[Parking Companies] means: a company that aggregates numerous domain names from individual domain name registrants and contracts with an advertising service to license and monetize those domain names." (FAC ¶83(w)).

6. IREIT seizes on the single scriveners error in FAC ¶78 and attempts to arbitrage it into a basis for dismissal.

7. To allow IREIT to capitalize on a single and obvious technical error, in just one paragraph of the FAC would be inconsistent with a fair reading of the FAC, especially since IREIT could not possibly claim “surprise” by the amendment. *Creative Demos, Inc. v. Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.*, 142 F.3d 367, 371-72 (7th Cir. 1998); *See also Molex Inc. v. Wyler* 2005 WL 497812 (N.D. Ill. 2005).

8. Further, this Court has discretion to consider a 12(b)(6) Motion as one for a more definite statement pursuant to 12(e). *Radisson Hotels International v. Westin Hotel Company*, 931 F. Supp. 638 (D. Minn. 1996). Although, Plaintiff’s inadvertent failure to specifically list IREIT as a parking Defendant does not warrant a more definite statement. *Angel Creek Logging Company v. Atlas Plywood Corporation*, 22 F.R.D. 1 (N.D. Cal. 1957). At best, it warrants a simple amendment (addition of IREIT to ¶78)

9. There would be no prejudice to IREIT to allow Class Plaintiffs motion, at this very early stage of the litigation, to amend ¶78 to include IREIT, therefore reading as follows:

Defendants Oversee, Sedo, Dotster, IREIT, and unmanned co-conspirators, are referred to collectively herein as the “Parking Company” Defendants.

WHEREFORE, Class Plaintiffs respectfully request that this Court enter an order amending paragraph 78 of the FAC and denying Defendant IREIT’s Motions to Dismiss to the extent that they rely upon the inadvertent omission of IREIT from paragraph 78 of the filed FAC.

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