UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA REMBRANDT GAMING TECHNOLOGIES, LP, Plaintiff, Case No. 2:12-cv-00775-MMD-GWF **ORDER** VS. BOYD GAMING CORP., et al. Defendants.

This matter is before the Court on Plaintiff's Motion to Compel (#98), filed on January 23, 2015. Defendants filed their Response (#105) on February 9, 2015. Plaintiff filed its Reply (#110) on February 19, 2015. The Court conducted a hearing on February 25, 2015 after which the parties further conferred and reached agreement on the disputed issues, with the exception of the scope of the financial documents discovery and the timing of the production of the discovery. *See Joint Supplemental Briefing Regarding Plaintiff Rembrandt Gaming Technologies LP's Motion to Compel Discovery (#122)* ("Joint Supplement") filed on March 13, 2015. The Court conducted a follow-up hearing on March 20, 2015. Based on the parties' stipulations, the arguments with regard to the remaining disputed issues, and good cause appearing therefore, the Court hereby enters its written order on Plaintiff's motion to compel.

**Technical Documents.** As set forth in the Joint Supplement, Defendants agree to provide Technical Documents requested by Plaintiff for all Accused Devices and for devices that are "reasonably similar." The parties have further defined the meaning of "reasonably similar" devices for purposes of the subject discovery. *Joint Supplement (#122), pg. 3:17-21.* The Court

hereby approves the parties' stipulation regarding production of Technical Documents and adopts it as the Court's order granting Plaintiff's motion to compel.

Financial Documents. There is no dispute between the parties regarding the categories of financial documents that Plaintiff requests. There is a dispute as to the category of gaming devices for which financial documents should be produced. Plaintiff requests Financial Information for: (1) the Accused Devices, (2) reasonably similar devices; and (3) video slot machines, generally, which Defendants have made or used since 2006. Defendants agree to categories (1) and (2), but object to category (3). Defendants instead agree that Defendants, through Defendant WMS Gaming, Inc., will provide financial information for gaming machines that Plaintiff has not accused of infringement, but that are in the same game families as the Accused Products. Defendants have also agreed that if there are other specific gaming machines for which Plaintiff believes Defendants should provide financial information, Plaintiff should identify those specific gaming machines and Defendants will consider Plaintiff's request. *Joint Supplement (#122), pgs. 4-5.* 

The Court hereby adopts Defendants' proposal or agreement as to the scope of production of the third category of gaming devices or machines for which Financial Documents shall be produced. As stated at the hearing, Plaintiff may hereafter move the Court for an order broadening the scope of production of financial documents if further discovery demonstrates the relevancy of the requested documents and that their production by Defendants is not unduly burdensome in light of the probative value of the requested information. Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Plaintiff's Motion to Compel (#98) is **granted**, in part, in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants shall promptly produce the Technical Documents and Financial Documents encompassed by this order. The parties shall also file a joint status report regarding the production of documents in accordance with this order on or before April 30, 2015. The Court will thereafter schedule a discovery status hearing if necessary.

DATED this 20th day of March, 2015.

GEORGE FOLEY IR.
United States Magistrate Judge