IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:17-CV-727-RJC-DCK

LA MICHOACANA NATURAL, LLC,)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	<u>ORDER</u>
LUIS MAESTRE, ADRIANA TERAN, and LA LINDA MICHOACANA,)))	
Defendants.)	
	_)	

THIS MATTER IS BEFORE THE COURT on "Plaintiff's Motion For Sanctions Due To Defendants' Failure Comply With Court Order & Stipulation Re: Discovery" (Document No. 58) and "Defendants' Counsel's Third Motion To Withdraw As Counsel" (Document No. 59) These motions have been referred to the undersigned Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b), and immediate review is appropriate.

Having carefully considered the motions and the record, the undersigned will direct that Defendants, **and/or** counsel on their behalf, shall file a response to "Plaintiff's Motion For Sanctions...." Failure to file timely and persuasive response(s) will likely result in the requested relief being granted and/or additional sanctions.

Also, in addition to Plaintiff, Defendants, individually, shall file a response to "Defendants' Counsel's Third Motion To Withdraw As Counsel' indicating their position on counsel's request and providing complete contact information for each Defendant. Defendants' failure to file a timely response to this motion may also lead to sanctions. <u>See</u> (Document No. 52, p. 11).

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Defendants and/or their counsel shall file response(s) to "Plaintiff's Motion For Sanctions Due To Defendants' Failure Comply With Court Order & Stipulation Re: Discovery" (Document No. 58) on or before **March 12, 2019**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiff <u>and</u> Defendants, individually, shall file responses to "Defendants' Counsel's Third Motion To Withdraw As Counsel' (Document No. 59) on or before **March 12, 2019**.

The Clerk of Court is directed to send copies of this Order to counsel for the parties by ECF; and to send copies of this Order to Defendants at the address identified in Document No. 59, by certified U.S. Mail, return receipt requested.

SO ORDERED.

Signed: February 28, 2019

David C. Keesler United States Magistrate Judge

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