IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

THE KNIT WITH, :

CIVIL ACTION

Plaintiff,

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v.

:

KNITTING FEVER, INC.,

DESIGNER YARNS, LTD.,

FILATURA PETTINATA V.V.G. DI

STEFANO VACCARI & C., SION : ELALOUF, DIANE ELOUF, JEFFREY J. :

DENECKE, JR., JAY OPPERMAN, and

DEBBIE BLISS,

NO. 08-4221

Defendants.

THE KNIT WITH,

CIVIL ACTION

Plaintiff,

.

v.

:

EISAKU NORO & CO., LTD.,

KNITTING FEVER, INC.,

SION ELALOUF, DIANE ELALOUF, : NO. 08-4775

and JAY OPPERMAN,

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Defendants.

ORDER

AND NOW, this 20th day of *October*, 2009, upon consideration of the Motion of Defendants Knitting Fever, Inc., Sion Elalouf, Diane Elalouf, Jeffrey J. Denecke, Jr., and Jay Opperman (collectively, the "KFI Defendants") for Judgment on the Pleadings (Docket No. 28), the Response of Plaintiff The Knit With (Docket No. 29), KFI Defendants' Reply Brief (Docket

No. 30), and Plaintiff's Sur-reply Brief (Docket No. 31), and having already dismissed a portion of the Motion without prejudice via Order dated September 3, 2009 (Docket No. 32), it is hereby **ORDERED** that the Motion is **GRANTED IN PART** and **DENIED IN PART** as follows:

- 1. KFI Defendants' Motion for Judgment on Plaintiff's causes of action pursuant to Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organization Act, 18 U.S.C. § 1962 (Counts 4 and 5 of Civil Action No. 08-4221) is **DENIED**;
- 2. KFI Defendants' Motion for Judgment on Plaintiff's perfidious trade practices/deceit claim (Count 6 of Civil Action No. 08-4221 and Count 4 of Civil Action No. 08-4775) is **GRANTED**;
- 3. KFI Defendants' Motion for Judgment on Plaintiff's civil conspiracy claim (Count 5 of Civil Action No. 08-4775) is **GRANTED**.

It is so **ORDERED**.

BY THE COURT:

s/Ronald L. Buckwalter

RONALD L. BUCKWALTER, S.J.