## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

PEDRO CARTAGENA,	: <b>CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:17-CV-742</b>
Plaintiff	: : (Chief Judge Conner)
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<b>V.</b>	:
	:
SERVICE SOURCE, INC.,	:
	:
Defendant	:

## **ORDER**

AND NOW, this 29th day of January, 2019, following the pretrial conference

with the parties and counsel of record in the above-captioned matter on

January 16, 2019, and upon consideration of the parties' letter briefs regarding

outstanding pretrial issues, (Docs. 80, 84-85), and the motion (Doc. 81) to dismiss

Counts III and IV of the complaint filed by plaintiff Pedro Cartagena ("Cartagena"),

and for the reasons set forth in the accompanying memorandum, it is hereby

ORDERED that:

- 1. The request to dismiss Cartagena's hostile work environment claims as time-barred by defendant Service Source, Inc. ("Service Source"), is DENIED without prejudice to Service Source's right to reassert its motion at trial, if appropriate, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 50.
- Cartagena is granted leave to file, on or before <u>Thursday, January 31,</u> <u>2019 at 6:00 p.m.</u>, a supplemental pleading setting forth factual allegations surrounding the alleged June 2017 and January 2018 incidents of sexual harassment. Service Source shall respond to Cartagena's supplemental pleading on or before <u>Monday, February 4,</u> <u>2019 at 9:00 a.m.</u> See FED. R. CIV. P. 15(d).

- 3. Cartagena's motion (Doc. 81) to dismiss Count III (negligent supervision) and Count IV (intentional and negligent infliction of emotional distress) of the complaint is GRANTED. Service Source may not introduce evidence or testimony concerning these claims or the fact of their dismissal.
- 4. Cartagena may issue a subpoena/notice to attend trial to Service Source's chief executive officer, Janet Samuelson.

<u>/S/ CHRISTOPHER C. CONNER</u> Christopher C. Conner, Chief Judge United States District Court Middle District of Pennsylvania