

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
FORT WORTH DIVISION**

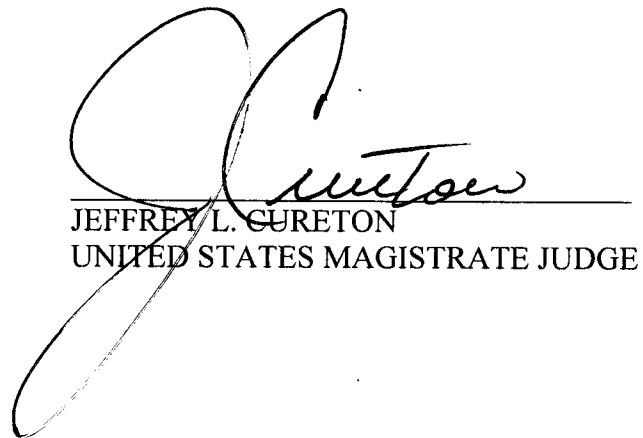
AMERICAN AIRLINES, INC.                   §  
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VS.   § CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:11-CV-244-Y  
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TRAVELPORT LIMITED, ET AL.           §

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE SURREPLY  
IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL SECOND  
DEPOSITION OF SABRE WITNESSES**

Pending before the Court is Defendants Sabre Inc., Sabre Holdings Corporation, and Sabre Travel International Ltd.'s Motion for Leave to File Surreply in Opposition to American's Motion to Compel the Second Deposition of Sabre Witnesses [doc. # 400], filed August 30, 2012. Under the local rules, the movant is generally entitled to have the final word. *See Ponder Research Group, LLP v. Aquatic Navigation*, No. 4:09-CV-322-Y, 2009 WL 2868456, at \*13 (N.D. Tex. Sept. 4, 2009); *see also* Local Rules 7.1, 56.7 of the Local Civil Rules of the Northern District of Texas. Indeed, this Court has previously noted that surreplies are "highly disfavored" and are permitted only in "exceptional or extraordinary circumstances." *Lacher v. West*, 147 F. Supp. 2d 538, 539-40 (N.D. Tex. 2001). After review of Defendants' motion, proposed surreply, and Plaintiff's response, the Court concludes that Defendants have not demonstrated that such exceptional circumstances exist to justify the filing of the surreply. Consequently, the Court concludes that Defendants' motion should be DENIED.

Based on the foregoing, it is ORDERED that Defendants' Motion for Leave to File Surreply in Opposition to American's Motion to Compel the Second Deposition of Sabre Witnesses [doc. # 400] is DENIED.

SIGNED September 19, 2012.



JEFFREY L. CURETON  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE