# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA

CAROLYN ANDERSON,

NO. C11-902RBL

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Plaintiff,

v.

DOMINO'S PIZZA INC., DOMINO'S PIZZA, LLC, FOUR OUR FAMILIES, INC., and CALL-EM-ALL, INC.,

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO BE RELIEVED OF DEADLINE UNDER W.D. WASH. LOCAL RULE 7(d)(2)(A)

NOTED ON MOTION CALENDAR: March 23, 2012

Defendants,

## I. RELIEF REQUESTED

Plaintiff moves the Court under W.D. Wash. Local Rule 7(d)(2)(A) for an extension of the time to file her opposition to the Motion for Summary Judgment of Defendants Domino's Pizza, Inc. and Domino's Pizza, LLC ("Domino's"). Without an extension, Plaintiff's opposition would be due on March 26, 2012.

#### II. STATEMENT OF FACTS

Domino's filed its Motion for Summary Judgment on November 28, 2011 (Dkt. #23). Claiming she needed additional discovery in order to respond, Plaintiff requested to be relieved of the deadline to oppose Domino's Motion. The request was opposed but this Court granted the motion and ordered that the Summary Judgment Motion was to be renoted for March 30, 2012.

In order to oppose the Summary Judgment Motion, Plaintiff propounded additional discovery and noted two 30(b)(6) depositions. Domino's resisted providing responses to most of

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the written discovery and filed for a protective order (Dkt. #45), which Plaintiff opposed. motion was noted for January 20, 2012 and the Court has not yet ruled. The two witnesses designated by Domino's for FRCP 36(b)(6) testimony were not adequate nor had they prepared in any meaningful fashion. (Declaration of Rob Williamson filed in support of this motion). Plaintiff intends to bring a motion to compel Domino's to designate proper witnesses who come prepared and ready to testify on the subjects itemized in the deposition notices.

Realizing that the time to file further briefing was approaching, and without responses to the written discovery and proper FRCP witnesses, Plaintiff requested that Domino's agree to extend the time for further briefing until some date after this Court rules on the pending motion for protective order and to designate proper FRCP 30(b0(6) witnesses. The first request was made via email on February 25, 2012. A second was made via email on March 4, 2012, a third via email on March 8, 2012. A telephone message was also left on March 7, 2012. Domino's did not respond to any of these requests, negatively or otherwise. (Declaration of Rob Williamson).

#### III. **ISSUE**

Should the Court permit Plaintiff additional time to respond to the Summary Judgment Motion of Domino's so that the Court can rule on the pending motion for protective order brought by Domino's and the request to be made by Plaintiff that Domino's produce proper FRCP 30(b)(6) witnesses?

#### IV. LEGAL AUTHORITY

Local Rule 7(d)(2)(A) authorizes this motion. Discovery related to the Summary Judgment Motion is required before Plaintiff can respond to it. Domino's has refused to provide the discovery and has evaded its responsibilities to provide proper FRCP 30(b)(6) witnesses.

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Defendant will suffer no prejudice by providing information and evidence that, under the law, is relevant and admissible to the issues raised by the Summary Judgment Motion. Requiring Plaintiff to respond to that Motion, however, without the requisite discovery, will produce hardship and prejudice.

### V. CONCLUSION

Plaintiff asks the Court to relieve Plaintiff of the deadline to respond to the Summary Judgment Motion and to renote the Motion for 90 days after the Court rules on the pending motion for protective order that has been filed by Domino's.

DATE: March 13, 2012.

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on March 13, 2012, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record who receive CM/ECF notification, and that the remaining parties shall be served in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Dated this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012

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