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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
7 AT SEATTLE

8 MFG UNIVERSE CORP et al.,  
Plaintiff(s),

9 v.

10 NEXTGEN LED INC et al.,  
Defendant(s).

CASE NO. C21-0742-KKE

ORDER DENYING MOTION FOR  
WAIVER OF MEDIATION FEES

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12 This matter comes before the Court on pro se Defendant Andrew Myers's motion for  
13 waiver of mediation fees. Dkt. No. 73. Mr. Myers filed a declaration and application to proceed  
14 in forma pauperis and declared "[t]he court is requesting the parties undergo mediation, which I  
15 consent to, but I cannot pay for." *Id.* at 2. The Court DENIES Mr. Myer's motion as it is not the  
16 proper procedure to request pro bono mediation. If the parties wish to participate in a mediation  
17 free of charge under Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 39.1(c)(4), they must complete and submit a  
18 Request for Pro Bono Mediation, available on the Court's website at  
19 <https://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/sites/wawd/files/RequestforProBonoMediation.pdf>.

20 Dated this 26th day of March, 2024.

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United States District Judge  
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