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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

BLOCK MINING, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

HOSTING SOURCE, LLC,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C24-0319JLR

ORDER

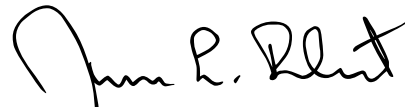
Before the court is Plaintiff Block Mining, Inc.’s (“Block Mining”) motion to waive Local Civil Rule 83.1(d)(2)’s requirement that local counsel maintain a physical office in this District. (Mot. (Dkt. # 6)); *see also* Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 83.1(d)(2). The deadline to respond to the motion has passed and Defendant Hosting Source, LLC (“Hosting Source”) has not filed any opposition papers.¹ (*See generally* Dkt.) Accordingly, the court exercises its discretion to rule on the motion before the

¹ The court construes Hosting Source’s failure to timely respond as “an admission that the motion has merit.” *See* Local Rules W.D. Wash. LCR 7(b)(2).

1 noting date. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 1 (stating that the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure
2 should be construed “to secure the just, speedy, and inexpensive resolution of every
3 action and proceeding”).

4 The court has reviewed Block Mining’s motion and concludes that waiver is
5 appropriate. The court therefore GRANTS Block Mining’s motion to waive the physical
6 office requirement of LCR 83.1(d)(2) (Dkt. # 6).

7 Dated this 26th day of March, 2024.

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9 JAMES L. ROBART
10 United States District Judge
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