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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

MEGAN DOUGLAS,

Plaintiff,

v.

NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER
CORPORATION d/b/a AMTRAK,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C18-5451 BHS

ORDER GRANTING IN PART
AND DENYING IN PART
DEFENDANT’S MOTION FOR
SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND TO
SHOW CAUSE

This matter comes before the Court on Defendant National Railroad Passenger Corporation d/b/a Amtrak’s (“Amtrak”) motion for summary judgment on punitive damages and consumer protection act (“CPA”) claim. Dkt. 27.

On October 31, 2019, Amtrak filed the instant motion. *Id.* On November 18, 2019, Plaintiff Megan Douglas responded. Dkt. 30. On November 22, 2019, Amtrak replied. Dkt. 33.

Upon review of the motion, the Court grants the motion in part and denies the motion in part on the same grounds and for the same reasons set forth in *Mitchem v. Nat’l*

1 *R.R. Passenger Corp.*, C18-5366-BHS, 2020 WL 91490 (W.D. Wash. Jan. 8, 2020) and
2 related cases cited therein.

3 Regarding the remaining CPA claim, the Court will allow any party to show cause
4 why the claim should not be severed and opened in a new case as was done in the related
5 case of *Cottrell v. Nat'l R.R. Passenger Corp.*, C18-0072-BHS, Dkt. 53 (W.D. Wash.
6 Feb. 26, 2020). Any response may be filed no later than March 2, 2020.

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

8 Dated this 27th day of February, 2020.

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BENJAMIN H. SETTLE
United States District Judge