



Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento  
720 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-1380 (916)  
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# NOTICE AND ORDER OF COMPLEX CASE DETERMINATION

Case Title: D'Sullivan vs Ghost Gunner Case Number: 2021-302934

Having reviewed and considered the pleadings on file, the court orders:

- ☒ **THE CASE IS DEEMED COMPLEX** and assigned to the Honorable JUDITH  
presiding in Complex Case Management Department 40 for case management pursuant to California Rules of Court 3.750, et seq. The case is also pre-assigned for trial, and any motions for consolidation, severance, bifurcation, intervention and to continue trial shall be heard in such department unless otherwise ordered. This is a limited purpose assignment under California Rule of Court 3.734. Law and motion matters shall be heard in Departments 53/54 per Local Rule 2.30, et seq., unless otherwise directed by the Complex Case Management Department.

## This action involves one or more of the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust or trade regulation claims.                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Claims involving mass torts.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction defect claims involving many parties or structures. | <input type="checkbox"/> Claims involving class actions.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Securities claims or investment losses involving many parties.   | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance coverage claims arising out of any of the claims listed above. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental or toxic tort claims involving many parties.       |   |

## The action is likely to involve:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Numerous pretrial motions raising difficult or novel legal issues that will be time-consuming to resolve. | <input type="checkbox"/> Coordination with related actions pending in one or more courts in other counties, states, or countries, or in a federal court. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Management of a large number of witnesses or a substantial amount of documentary evidence.                | <input type="checkbox"/> Substantial post judgment judicial supervision.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Management of a large number of separately represented parties.  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____  |

Government Code section 70616 establishes the fees for complex cases. Pursuant to Government Code section 70616, any non-exempt party who has appeared in this action, but who has not paid the required complex case fee, is ordered to pay the fee to the clerk within ten calendar days of the filing of this order. Failure to pay the required fees shall have the same effect as the failure to pay a filing fee, and shall be subject to the same enforcement and penalties (Cal. Gov. Code § 70616(g)).

## ☐ **THE CASE IS DECLARED NOT COMPLEX**

Any complex case fees that the parties have previously paid pursuant to 70616(a) or (b) shall be reimbursed upon submission of a refund request together with a copy of this minute order by the paying party to the Court's Civil General Civil Processing Unit. It may be submitted by mail or placed in one of the Civil Drop Boxes located in Room 102 and the lobby of the Gordon D. Schaber Courthouse at 720 9th Street, Sacramento CA 95814.

The plaintiff is directed to serve all other parties with a copy of this order.

Date: 8/4/2021

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Presiding Judge of the Superior Court  
of California, County of Sacramento