

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ORANGE
CIVIL COMPLEX CENTER**

MINUTE ORDER

DATE: 09/08/2022

TIME: 09:00:00 AM

DEPT: CX104

JUDICIAL OFFICER PRESIDING: William Claster

CLERK: G. Hernandez

REPORTER/ERM: None

BAILIFF/COURT ATTENDANT: B. Allen, None

CASE NO: **JCCP 5167**

CASE INIT.DATE: 03/26/2021

CASE TITLE: **Ghost Gunner Firearms Cases**

CASE CATEGORY: Civil - Unlimited

CASE TYPE: PI/PD/WD - Other

EVENT ID/DOCUMENT ID: 73755574

EVENT TYPE: Status Conference

APPEARANCES

Hearing held with all participants appearing remotely.

Appearances noted by way of copy of Appearances Sheet, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

Court and counsel hold discussion regarding the status of the case.

The Court adopts the schedule for a joint demurrer set forth on page 2 of the parties' 09/01/2022 case management conference statement (ROA # 549), with the exception of the hearing date for the demurrer. The hearing date for the demurrer will be 01/13/2023 at 9:00 a.m. in Department CX104. A reservation number for the demurrer has been emailed to the parties by the clerk. A copy of the schedule is attached hereto and incorporated herein.

A Status Conference is scheduled for 01/13/2023 at 09:00 AM in Department CX104.

Court and counsel discuss the parties' proposed schedule for discovery. Counsel inform the Court that a new proposed discovery schedule is in the process of being drafted and will be submitted for the Court's review in approximately 7 days.

Court orders clerk to give notice.

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Event: 09:00 AM - Status Conference

Participant	Role	Attorney for	Law Firm/Company Name	Specially Appearing
Michael Marron	Attorney	Polymer80, Inc.	Greenspoon Marder	No
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addressing issues by an individual Defendant or subset of defendants. Defendants warrant that arguments made in Individual Demurrers will not be redundant of those made in the Global Demurrer.

The Parties stipulate, and request that the Court approve, the following for demurrers to the First Amended Complaint:

Pleading	Page Limits	Deadline
Defendants' Joint Global Demurrer	30 pages	October 20, 2022
Defendants' up to Three Total Individual Demurrers	15 pages each	October 20, 2022
Plaintiffs' Joint Opposition to Defendants' Global Demurrer	30 pages	December 1, 2022
Plaintiffs' Joint Opposition(s) to Defendants' Up to Three Total Individual Demurrers	15 pages each	December 1, 2022
Defendants' Joint Reply ISO Joint Global Demurrer	10 pages	December 16, 2022
Defendants' Joint Replies ISO Up to Three Total Individual Demurrers	7 pages each	December 16, 2022
Hearing	N/A	January 6, 2023 or as soon after as can be heard.

A. Request to Submit Stipulated Amended Scheduling Proposal

The parties submitted a joint schedule proposal at the outset of the case that the Court ordered on January 25, 2022. The current schedule is as follows:

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SHORT TITLE: Ghost Gunner Firearms Cases**CLERK'S CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/ELECTRONIC
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