

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
CENTRAL**

MINUTE ORDER

DATE: 02/17/2023

TIME: 09:00:00 AM

DEPT: C-75

JUDICIAL OFFICER PRESIDING: James A Mangione

CLERK: Meaghan Abosamra, Jose Hernandez

REPORTER/ERM: Not Reported

BAILIFF/COURT ATTENDANT: M. Palafox

CASE NO: **37-2021-00050889-CU-AT-CTL** CASE INIT.DATE: 12/03/2021

CASE TITLE: **Sherlock vs Austin [EFILE]**

CASE CATEGORY: Civil - Unlimited CASE TYPE: Antitrust/Trade Regulation

EVENT TYPE: Discovery Hearing

APPEARANCES

George R Najjar, specially appearing for counsel George R Najjar, present for Defendant, Respondent on Appeal(s).

Andrew Hall, specially appearing for counsel Douglas A Pettit, present for Respondent on Appeal, Defendant(s).

Andrew Flores, counsel, present for Appellant, Plaintiff(s).

DISCOVERY HEARING:

All parties submit(s) on the Court's tentative ruling.

The Court confirms the tentative ruling as follows: The Court confirms the tentative ruling as follows: Defendant Steven Lake's Motion to Compel is granted in part.

The parties agree that the discovery has been provided, rendering the motion moot. However, Defendant requests sanctions based on Plaintiffs' delayed responses. (Cal. Rules of Ct. rule 3.1348(a) ("The court may award sanctions under the Discovery Act in favor of a party who files a motion to compel discovery, even though no opposition to the motion was filed, or opposition to the motion was withdrawn, or the requested discovery was provided to the moving party after the motion was filed.")) As no explanation was provided for the delay in responding to discovery, the Court grants Defendant's request.

Defendant is awarded monetary sanctions of \$1,920.

The minute order is the order of the Court.



Judge James A Mangione