DISMISSING COMPLAINT AS TO LAVANDEIRA; [PROPOSED] ORDER THEREON

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Plaintiff Samantha Ronson ("Ronson") and defendant Mario Lavandeira ("Lavandeira"), by and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate as follows:

- On or about July 12, 2007, Ronson filed the above-referenced action alleging a
 cause of action for defamation against Lavandeira and others.
- 2. On or about September 4, 2007, Lavandeira filed a motion to strike the complaint pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure section 425.16 on the grounds that Ronson's complaint arose from Lavandeira's exercise of his right of free speech in a public forum regarding a matter of public interest and that Ronson could not demonstrate a reasonable probability of prevailing on her defamation claim (the "Motion"). The hearing for the Motion was scheduled for September 26, 2007.
- 3. On or about September 12, 2007, Ronson filed her opposition to the Motion. On or about September 19, 2007, Lavandeira filed his reply in support of the Motion.
- 4. Having considered the arguments made, and evidence submitted, in support of the Motion, Ronson agrees and stipulates to the entry of an order by Court granting the Motion, striking the complaint in its entirety as to Lavandeira, and dismissing the complaint, with prejudice, as to Lavandeira.
- 5. In consideration of Ronson's agreement and stipulation as set forth in paragraph 4, and upon the Court entering the order contemplated thereby, Lavandeira agrees and stipulates to waive his right to recover his attorneys' fees and costs associated with the Motion as provided by Code of Civil Procedure section 425.16(c).

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	BROUGHT BY DEFENDANT MARIO LAVANDEIRA, AND STRIKING AND DISMISSING COMPLAINT AS TO LAVANDEIRA; [PROPOSED] ORDER THEREON				

ORDER

Having considered the complaint, the arguments and evidence in support of and in opposition to the Motion to Strike Complaint Pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section 425.16 (the "Motion") brought by defendant Mario Lavandeira ("Lavandeira"), and the stipulation of the parties, and for good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED, the complaint is STRICKEN in its entirety as to Lavandeira, and the complaint is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE as Lavandeira.

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Judge of the Superior Court