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11 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
12 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, CENTRAL DISTRICT

13 COUPLEGUYS, INC., a California  
14 corporation,  
15 Plaintiff,  
16 vs.  
17 JOHN DOE, an individual,  
18 Defendant.

19 CASE NO. BC427389

20 COMPLAINT FOR:

- 21 1. LIBEL;
- 22 2. FALSE LIGHT INVASION OF  
23 PRIVACY;
- 24 3. COMMON LAW  
25 MISAPPROPRIATION OF NAME AND  
26 LIKENESS; AND
- 27 4. VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL  
28 CODE § 3344

DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

Trial Date: None Set

CITY/CASE: BC427389 LEA/DEF#:  
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1 Plaintiff Coupleguys, Inc. ("Plaintiff") alleges as follows:

2 The Parties

3 1. Plaintiff is, and at all relevant times was, a corporation organized and existing  
4 under the laws of the state of California, with its principal place of business in Los Angeles,  
5 California. Plaintiff is a "loan-out" corporation that furnishes the professional services of Ron  
6 Livingston in the entertainment industry.

7 2. The true name of Defendant John Doe ("Doe") is unknown to Plaintiff at this time,  
8 who therefore sues Doe by such fictitious name. When the true name of Doe is ascertained,  
9 Plaintiff will amend this Complaint to identify him or her.

10 Jurisdiction

11 3. Jurisdiction is proper in the Superior Court of the State of California for the County  
12 of Los Angeles pursuant to section 410.10 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

13 General Allegations

14 4. Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 3 as though fully set forth  
15 herein.

16 5. Since the spring of 2009, Doe has maintained an ongoing campaign to spread lies  
17 about Livingston on the internet. Doe's online smear tactics include, but are not limited to,  
18 (a) falsely asserting that Livingston is in a romantic relationship with a man named "Lee  
19 Dennison," (b) creating websites devoted to propagating his or her lies, (c) impersonating  
20 Livingston online, and (d) secretly and maliciously altering legitimate websites about Livingston  
21 to include false statements about Livingston's relationship status and sexual orientation. These  
22 lies have reached potentially millions of people, and Plaintiff's representatives have received  
23 inquiries from the press asking about the veracity of the false statements Doe has published.

24 6. Specifically, and by way of example, starting in or about May 2009 and continuing  
25 through the present, Doe accessed the "Ron Livingston" page on the encyclopedia website  
26 www.wikipedia.org (the "Wikipedia Page") and published or caused to be published on the  
27 Wikipedia Page, without Plaintiff's knowledge or consent, false allegations regarding Livingston's  
28 alleged relationship with a man named "Lee Dennison." Plaintiff's representatives frequently

1 access the Wikipedia Page to correct these false statements, but Doe changes them back almost  
2 immediately.

3 7. In or about August 2009, Doe published or caused to be published, without  
4 Plaintiff's knowledge or consent, a false "profile" on the popular social networking website  
5 www.facebook.com ("Facebook"), which profile purports to represent, be created by, be  
6 authorized by, and/or be associated with Livingston (the "Livingston Profile"). The Livingston  
7 Profile contains a photograph of Livingston and the statement that Livingston is "in a relationship  
8 with Lee Dennison." Doe has also impersonated Livingston through the Livingston Profile by  
9 writing and posting "updates" on the Livingston Profile purportedly authored by Livingston.

10 8. In or about August 2009, Doe also published or caused to be published a profile on  
11 Facebook under the name "Lee Dennison" (the "Dennison Profile"). The Dennison Profile also  
12 contains pictures of Livingston, states that "Lee Dennison" is "friends" with Livingston, and states  
13 that "Lee Dennison" is "in a relationship with Ron Livingston." The Dennison Profile also  
14 contains links to two fictional and fabricated "interviews" (which, on information and belief, are  
15 written by Doe) that further allege that Livingston is romantically involved with "Lee Dennison."  
16 (The Livingston Profile and the Dennison Profile are referred to collectively herein as the  
17 "Facebook Profiles.")

18 9. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Doe created other  
19 false Facebook profiles for the purpose of posting "comments" on the Facebook Profiles in an  
20 attempt to add credibility to the story that Livingston and "Lee Dennison" are romantically  
21 involved and/or living together.

22 10. Doe also published or caused to be published, on a Facebook "fan page" dedicated  
23 to Livingston, similar false allegations regarding an alleged relationship between Livingston and  
24 "Lee Dennison."  
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**FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION**

**(Libel)**

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3 11. Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 10 as though fully set forth  
4 herein.

5 12. The misrepresentations contained in the Wikipedia Page, the Facebook Profiles,  
6 and the Facebook "fan page" described above are libelous per se because they have a tendency on  
7 their face to injure Plaintiff's business and reputation.

8 13. The Wikipedia Page, Facebook Profiles, and Facebook "fan page" and have been  
9 seen and read by members of the public who searched for a Facebook or Wikipedia entry for Mr.  
10 Livingston.

11 14. As a direct and proximate result of the above-described publications, Plaintiff has  
12 suffered a loss to its business and reputation and has suffered damages in an amount to be  
13 determined at trial, but which exceeds the jurisdictional minimum of this Court.

14 15. Doe's conduct as herein alleged is despicable and was undertaken by Doe with a  
15 willful and conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based  
16 thereon alleges, that Doe did the acts as herein alleged with an intent to injure Plaintiff and to  
17 subject Plaintiff to cruel and unjust hardship in conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights, and that  
18 said acts were done willfully, maliciously, and oppressively. Plaintiff is therefore entitled to an  
19 additional award of punitive and/or exemplary damages in an amount sufficient to punish Doe and  
20 to deter him or her from committing such despicable acts in the future.

21 **SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION**

22 **(False Light Invasion of Privacy)**

23 16. Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 15 as though fully set forth  
24 herein.

25 17. By publishing or causing to be published the false allegations described above, Doe  
26 has portrayed Plaintiff in a false light.

27 18. The false light created by Doe's actions as alleged herein would be highly offensive  
28 to a reasonable person in Plaintiff's position.

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1 19. Doe knew the publications alleged herein would create a false impression about  
2 Plaintiff or acted with reckless disregard for the truth.

3 20. As a direct and proximate result of the above-described publications, Plaintiff has  
4 suffered a loss to its business and reputation and has suffered damages in an amount to be  
5 determined at trial, but which exceeds the jurisdictional minimum of this Court.

6 21. Doe's conduct as herein alleged is despicable and was undertaken by Doe with a  
7 willful and conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based  
8 thereon alleges, that Doe did the acts as herein alleged with an intent to injure Plaintiff and to  
9 subject Plaintiff to cruel and unjust hardship in conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights, and that  
10 said acts were done willfully, maliciously, and oppressively. Plaintiff is therefore entitled to an  
11 additional award of punitive and/or exemplary damages in an amount sufficient to punish Doe and  
12 to deter him or her from committing such despicable acts in the future.

13 **THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION**

14 **(Common Law Misappropriation of Name and Likeness)**

15 22. Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 21 as though fully set forth  
16 herein.

17 23. In publishing or causing to be published the allegations described above, Doe used  
18 Plaintiff's name, likeness, and identity without Plaintiff's permission.

19 24. Doe gained an advantage by using Plaintiff's name, likeness, and identity on  
20 internet sites not associated with or endorsed by Plaintiff, but rather created and maintained by  
21 Doe.

22 25. As a direct and proximate result of the above-described use of Plaintiff's name,  
23 likeness, and identity, Plaintiff has suffered a loss to its business and reputation and has suffered  
24 damages in an amount to be determined at trial, but which exceeds the jurisdictional minimum of  
25 this Court.

26 26. Doe's conduct as herein alleged is despicable and was undertaken by Doe with a  
27 willful and conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based  
28 thereon alleges, that Doe did the acts as herein alleged with an intent to injure Plaintiff and to

1 subject Plaintiff to cruel and unjust hardship in conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights, and that  
2 said acts were done willfully, maliciously, and oppressively. Plaintiff is therefore entitled to an  
3 additional award of punitive and/or exemplary damages in an amount sufficient to punish Doe and  
4 to deter him or her from committing such despicable acts in the future.

5 **FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION**

6 **(Violation of California Civil Code § 3344)**

7 27. Plaintiff incorporates by reference paragraphs 1 through 26 as though fully set forth  
8 herein.

9 28. In publishing or causing to be published the allegations described above, Doe  
10 knowingly used Plaintiff's name, likeness, and photograph, without Plaintiff's consent, to  
11 advertise the false and misleading Facebook Profiles and other internet sites.

12 29. The above-described use of Plaintiff's name, likeness, and photograph was directly  
13 connected to Doe's purpose of promoting the Facebook Profiles and other internet sites containing  
14 false allegations about Plaintiff.

15 30. As a direct and proximate result of the above-described use of Plaintiff's name,  
16 likeness, and photograph, Plaintiff has suffered a loss to its business and reputation and has  
17 suffered damages in an amount to be determined at trial, but which exceeds the jurisdictional  
18 minimum of this Court.

19 31. Doe's conduct as herein alleged is despicable and was undertaken by Doe with a  
20 willful and conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based  
21 thereon alleges, that Doe did the acts as herein alleged with an intent to injure Plaintiff and to  
22 subject Plaintiff to cruel and unjust hardship in conscious disregard of Plaintiff's rights, and that  
23 said acts were done willfully, maliciously, and oppressively. Plaintiff is therefore entitled to an  
24 additional award of punitive and/or exemplary damages in an amount sufficient to punish Doe and  
25 to deter him or her from committing such despicable acts in the future.

**PRAYER FOR RELIEF**

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Doe as follows:

1. For damages according to proof;
2. For punitive damages in a sum to be determined at the time of trial;
3. For Plaintiff's attorneys' fees and costs of suit as allowable by statute and law; and
4. For such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

DATED: December 4, 2009

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**DEMAND FOR TRIAL BY JURY**

Plaintiff hereby demands trial by jury on all issues and causes of action triable by jury.

DATED: December 4, 2009

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CIVIL CASE COVER SHEET

Unlimited (Amount demanded exceeds \$25,000)  Limited (Amount demanded is \$25,000 or less)

Complex Case Designation

Counter  Joinder

Filed with first appearance by defendant (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.402)

CASE NUMBER:

JUDGE:

DEPT:

BC427389

Items 1-6 below must be completed (see instructions on page 2).

1. Check one box below for the case type that best describes this case:

Auto Tort

Auto (22)  
 Uninsured motorist (46)

Other PII/PD/WD (Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death) Tort

Asbestos (04)  
 Product liability (24)  
 Medical malpractice (45)  
 Other PII/PD/WD (23)

Non-PII/PD/WD (Other) Tort

Business tort/unfair business practice (07)  
 Civil rights (08)  
 Defamation (13)  
 Fraud (16)  
 Intellectual property (19)  
 Professional negligence (25)  
 Other non-PII/PD/WD tort (35)

Employment

Wrongful termination (36)  
 Other employment (15)

Contract

Breach of contract/warranty (06)  
 Rule 3.740 collections (09)  
 Other collections (09)  
 Insurance coverage (18)  
 Other contract (37)

Real Property

Eminent domain/inverse condemnation (14)  
 Wrongful eviction (33)  
 Other real property (26)

Unlawful Detainer

Commercial (31)  
 Residential (32)  
 Drugs (38)

Judicial Review

Asset forfeiture (05)  
 Petition re: arbitration award (11)  
 Writ of mandate (02)  
 Other judicial review (39)

Provisionally Complex Civil Litigation (Cal. Rules of Court, rules 3.400-3.403)

Antitrust/Trade regulation (03)  
 Construction defect (10)  
 Mass tort (40)  
 Securities litigation (28)  
 Environmental/Toxic tort (30)  
 Insurance coverage claims arising from the above listed provisionally complex case types (41)

Enforcement of Judgment

Enforcement of judgment (20)

Miscellaneous Civil Complaint

RICO (27)  
 Other complaint (not specified above) (42)

Miscellaneous Civil Petition

Partnership and corporate governance (21)  
 Other petition (not specified above) (43)

2. This case  is  is not complex under rule 3.400 of the California Rules of Court. If the case is complex, mark the factors requiring exceptional judicial management:

- a.  Large number of separately represented parties
- b.  Extensive motion practice raising difficult or novel issues that will be time-consuming to resolve
- c.  Substantial amount of documentary evidence
- d.  Large number of witnesses
- e.  Coordination with related actions pending in one or more courts in other counties, states, or countries, or in a federal court
- f.  Substantial postjudgment judicial supervision

3. Remedies sought (check all that apply): a.  monetary b.  nonmonetary; declaratory or injunctive relief c.  punitive

4. Number of causes of action (specify): 4

5. This case  is  is not a class action suit.

6. If there are any known related cases, file and serve a notice of related case. (You may use form CM-015.)

Date: December 4, 2009

Chad R. Fitzgerald

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

Chad R. Fitzgerald

(SIGNATURE OF PARTY OR ATTORNEY FOR PARTY)

NOTICE

- Plaintiff must file this cover sheet with the first paper filed in the action or proceeding (except small claims cases or cases filed under the Probate Code, Family Code, or Welfare and Institutions Code). (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.220.) Failure to file may result in sanctions.
- File this cover sheet in addition to any cover sheet required by local court rule.
- If this case is complex under rule 3.400 et seq. of the California Rules of Court, you must serve a copy of this cover sheet on all other parties to the action or proceeding.
- Unless this is a collections case under rule 3.740 or a complex case, this cover sheet will be used for statistical purposes only.

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# INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO COMPLETE THE COVER SHEET

CM-010

**To Plaintiffs and Others Filing First Papers.** If you are filing a first paper (for example, a complaint) in a civil case, you must complete and file, along with your first paper, the *Civil Case Cover Sheet* contained on page 1. This information will be used to compile statistics about the types and numbers of cases filed. You must complete items 1 through 6 on the sheet. In item 1, you must check one box for the case type that best describes the case. If the case fits both a general and a more specific type of case listed in item 1, check the more specific one. If the case has multiple causes of action, check the box that best indicates the primary cause of action. To assist you in completing the sheet, examples of the cases that belong under each case type in item 1 are provided below. A cover sheet must be filed only with your initial paper. Failure to file a cover sheet with the first paper filed in a civil case may subject a party, its counsel, or both to sanctions under rules 2.30 and 3.220 of the California Rules of Court.

**To Parties in Rule 3.740 Collections Cases.** A "collections case" under rule 3.740 is defined as an action for recovery of money owed in a sum stated to be certain that is not more than \$25,000, exclusive of interest and attorney's fees, arising from a transaction in which property, services, or money was acquired on credit. A collections case does not include an action seeking the following: (1) tort damages, (2) punitive damages, (3) recovery of real property, (4) recovery of personal property, or (5) a prejudgment writ of attachment. The identification of a case as a rule 3.740 collections case on this form means that it will be exempt from the general time-for-service requirements and case management rules, unless a defendant files a responsive pleading. A rule 3.740 collections case will be subject to the requirements for service and obtaining a judgment in rule 3.740.

**To Parties in Complex Cases.** In complex cases only, parties must also use the *Civil Case Cover Sheet* to designate whether the case is complex. If a plaintiff believes the case is complex under rule 3.400 of the California Rules of Court, this must be indicated by completing the appropriate boxes in items 1 and 2. If a plaintiff designates a case as complex, the cover sheet must be served with the complaint on all parties to the action. A defendant may file and serve no later than the time of its first appearance a joinder in the plaintiff's designation, a counter-designation that the case is not complex, or, if the plaintiff has made no designation, a designation that the case is complex.

## CASE TYPES AND EXAMPLES

### Auto Tort

- Auto (22)—Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death
- Uninsured Motorist (46) *(if the case involves an uninsured motorist claim subject to arbitration, check this item instead of Auto)*

### Other P/DPD/WD (Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death) Tort

- Asbestos (04)
  - Asbestos Property Damage
  - Asbestos Personal Injury/Wrongful Death
- Product Liability *(not asbestos or toxic/environmental)* (24)
- Medical Malpractice (45)
  - Medical Malpractice—Physicians & Surgeons
  - Other Professional Health Care Malpractice
- Other PI/DPD/WD (23)
  - Premises Liability (e.g., slip and fall)
  - Intentional Bodily Injury/DPD/WD (e.g., assault, vandalism)
  - Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress
  - Negligent Infliction of Emotional Distress

### Non-PI/DPD/WD (Other) Tort

- Business Tort/Unfair Business Practice (07)
  - Civil Rights (e.g., discrimination, false arrest) *(not civil harassment)* (08)
  - Defamation (e.g., slander, libel) (13)
  - Fraud (16)
  - Intellectual Property (19)
  - Professional Negligence (25)
    - Legal Malpractice
    - Other Professional Malpractice *(not medical or legal)*
  - Other Non-PI/DPD/WD Tort (35)
- Employment**
- Wrongful Termination (36)
  - Other Employment (15)

### Contract

- Breach of Contract/Warranty (06)
  - Breach of Rental/Lease Contract *(not unlawful detainer or wrongful eviction)*
- Contract/Warranty Breach—Seller Plaintiff *(not fraud or negligence)*
- Negligent Breach of Contract/Warranty
- Other Breach of Contract/Warranty
- Collections (e.g., money owed, open book accounts) (09)
- Collection Case—Seller Plaintiff
- Other Promissory Note/Collections Case
- Insurance Coverage *(not provisionally complex)* (18)
  - Auto Subrogation
  - Other Coverage
- Other Contract (37)
  - Contractual Fraud
  - Other Contract Dispute

### Real Property

- Eminent Domain/Inverse Condemnation (14)
- Wrongful Eviction (33)
- Other Real Property (e.g., quiet title) (26)
  - Writ of Possession of Real Property
  - Mortgage Foreclosure
  - Quiet Title
- Other Real Property *(not eminent domain, landlord/tenant, or foreclosure)*

### Unlawful Detainer

- Commercial (31)
- Residential (32)
- Drugs (38) *(if the case involves illegal drugs, check this item; otherwise, report as Commercial or Residential)*

### Judicial Review

- Asset Forfeiture (05)
- Petition Re: Arbitration Award (11)
- Writ of Mandate (02)
  - Writ—Administrative Mandamus
  - Writ—Mandamus on Limited Court Case Matter
- Writ—Other Limited Court Case Review
- Other Judicial Review (39)
  - Review of Health Officer Order
  - Notice of Appeal—Labor Commissioner Appeals

### Provisionally Complex Civil Litigation (Cal. Rules of Court Rules 3.400–3.403)

- Antitrust/Trade Regulation (03)
- Construction Defect (10)
- Claims Involving Mass Tort (40)
- Securities Litigation (28)
- Environmental/Toxic Tort (30)
- Insurance Coverage Claims *(arising from provisionally complex case type listed above)* (41)

### Enforcement of Judgment

- Enforcement of Judgment (20)
  - Abstract of Judgment (Out of County)
  - Confession of Judgment *(non-domestic relations)*
  - Sister State Judgment
  - Administrative Agency Award *(not unpaid taxes)*
  - Petition/Certification of Entry of Judgment on Unpaid Taxes
- Other Enforcement of Judgment Case

### Miscellaneous Civil Complaint

- RICO (27)
- Other Complaint *(not specified above)* (42)
- Declaratory Relief Only
- Injunctive Relief Only *(non-harassment)*
- Mechanics Lien
- Other Commercial Complaint Case *(non-tort/non-complex)*
- Other Civil Complaint *(non-tort/non-complex)*

### Miscellaneous Civil Petition

- Partnership and Corporate Governance (21)
- Other Petition *(not specified above)* (43)
  - Civil Harassment
  - Workplace Violence
  - Elder/Dependent Adult Abuse
  - Election Contest
  - Petition for Name Change
  - Petition for Relief from Late Claim
- Other Civil Petition

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SHORT TITLE: **Coupleguys, Inc. v. John Doe**

CASE NUMBER **BC427389**

**CIVIL CASE COVER SHEET ADDENDUM AND STATEMENT OF LOCATION  
(CERTIFICATE OF GROUNDS FOR ASSIGNMENT TO COURTHOUSE LOCATION)**

This form is required pursuant to LASC Local Rule 2.0 in all new civil case filings in the Los Angeles Superior Court.

Item I. Check the types of hearing and fill in the estimated length of hearing expected for this case:  
JURY TRIAL?  YES CLASS ACTION?  YES LIMITED CASE?  YES TIME ESTIMATED FOR TRIAL 5  HOURS/  DAYS

Item II. Select the correct district and courthouse location (4 steps - If you checked "Limited Case", skip to Item III, Pg. 4):  
**Step 1:** After first completing the Civil Case Cover Sheet Form, find the main civil case cover sheet heading for your case in the left margin below, and, to the right in Column A, the Civil Case Cover Sheet case type you selected.

**Step 2:** Check one Superior Court type of action in Column B below which best describes the nature of this case.

**Step 3:** In Column C, circle the reason for the court location choice that applies to the type of action you have checked.  
For any exception to the court location, see Los Angeles Superior Court Local Rule 2.0.

**Applicable Reasons for Choosing Courthouse Location (See Column C below)**

1. Class Actions must be filed in the County Courthouse, Central District.
2. May be filed in Central (Other county, or no Bodily Injury/Property Damage).
3. Location where cause of action arose.
4. Location where bodily injury, death or damage occurred.
5. Location where performance required or defendant resides.
6. Location of property or permanently garaged vehicle.
7. Location where petitioner resides.
8. Location wherein defendant/respondent functions wholly.
9. Location where one or more of the parties reside.
10. Location of Labor Commissioner Office.

**Step 4:** Fill in the information requested on page 4 in Item III; complete Item IV. Sign the declaration.

	<b>A</b> Civil Case Cover Sheet Category No.	<b>B</b> Type of Action (Check only one)	<b>C</b> Applicable Reasons - See Step 3 Above
<b>Auto Tort</b>	Auto (22)	<input type="checkbox"/> A7100 Motor Vehicle - Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death	1., 2., 4.
	Uninsured Motorist (46)	<input type="checkbox"/> A7110 Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death - Uninsured Motorist	1., 2., 4.
<b>Other Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death Tort</b>	Asbestos (04)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6070 Asbestos Property Damage	2.
		<input type="checkbox"/> A7221 Asbestos - Personal Injury/Wrongful Death	2.
	Product Liability (24)	<input type="checkbox"/> A7260 Product Liability (not asbestos or toxic/environmental)	1., 2., 3., 4., 8.
	Medical Malpractice (45)	<input type="checkbox"/> A7210 Medical Malpractice - Physicians & Surgeons	1., 2., 4.
		<input type="checkbox"/> A7240 Other Professional Health Care Malpractice	1., 2., 4.
<b>Other Personal Injury Property Damage Wrongful Death (23)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> A7250 Premises Liability (e.g., slip and fall)	1., 2., 4.	
	<input type="checkbox"/> A7230 Intentional Bodily Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death (e.g., assault, vandalism, etc.)	1., 2., 4.	
	<input type="checkbox"/> A7270 Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress	1., 2., 3.	
	<input type="checkbox"/> A7220 Other Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death	1., 2., 4.	
<b>Non-Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death Tort</b>	Business Tort (07)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6029 Other Commercial/Business Tort (not fraud/breach of contract)	1., 2., 3.
	Civil Rights (08)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6005 Civil Rights/Discrimination	1., 2., 3.
	Defamation (13)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A6010 Defamation (slander/libel)	1., 2, 3
	Fraud (16)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6013 Fraud (no contract)	1., 2., 3.

Non-Personal Injury/Property Damage/  
Wrongful Death Tort (Cont'd.)

Employment

Contract

Real Property

Judicial Review  
Unlawful Detainer

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<b>A</b> Civil Case Cover Sheet Category No.	<b>B</b> Type of Action (Check only one)	<b>C</b> Applicable Reasons - See Step 3 Above
Professional Negligence (25)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6017 Legal Malpractice <input type="checkbox"/> A6050 Other Professional Malpractice (not medical or legal)	1., 2., 3.
Other (35)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6025 Other Non-Personal Injury/Property Damage tort	2., 3.
Wrongful Termination (36)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6037 Wrongful Termination	1., 2., 3.
Other Employment (15)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6024 Other Employment Complaint Case <input type="checkbox"/> A6109 Labor Commissioner Appeals	1., 2., 3. 10.
Breach of Contract/Warranty (06) (not insurance)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6004 Breach of Rental/Lease Contract (not Unlawful Detainer or wrongful eviction) <input type="checkbox"/> A6008 Contract/Warranty Breach -Seller Plaintiff (no fraud/negligence) <input type="checkbox"/> A6019 Negligent Breach of Contract/Warranty (no fraud) <input type="checkbox"/> A6028 Other Breach of Contract/Warranty (not fraud or negligence)	2., 5. 2., 5. 1., 2., 5. 1., 2., 5.
Collections (09)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6002 Collections Case-Seller Plaintiff <input type="checkbox"/> A6012 Other Promissory Note/Collections Case	2., 5., 6. 2., 5.
Insurance Coverage (18)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6015 Insurance Coverage (not complex)	1., 2., 5., 8.
Other Contract (37)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6009 Contractual Fraud <input type="checkbox"/> A6031 Tortious Interference <input type="checkbox"/> A6027 Other Contract Dispute(not breach/insurance/fraud/negligence)	1., 2., 3., 5. 1., 2., 3., 5. 1., 2., 3., 8.
Eminent Domain/Inverse Condemnation (14)	<input type="checkbox"/> A7300 Eminent Domain/Condemnation Number of parcels _____	2.
Wrongful Eviction (33)	<input type="checkbox"/> A8023 Wrongful Eviction Case	2., 6.
Other Real Property (26)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6018 Mortgage Foreclosure <input type="checkbox"/> A6032 Quiet Title <input type="checkbox"/> A6060 Other Real Property (not eminent domain, landlord/tenant, foreclosure)	2., 6. 2., 6. 2., 6.
Unlawful Detainer - Commercial (31)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6021 Unlawful Detainer-Commercial (not drugs or wrongful eviction)	2., 6.
Unlawful Detainer - Residential (32)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6020 Unlawful Detainer-Residential (not drugs or wrongful eviction)	2., 6.
Unlawful Detainer - Drugs (38)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6022 Unlawful Detainer-Drugs	2., 6.
Asset Forfeiture (05)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6108 Asset Forfeiture Case	2., 6.
Petition re Arbitration (11)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6115 Petition to Compel/Confirm/Vacate Arbitration	2., 5.

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**Provisionally Complex Litigation**
**Enforcement of Judgment**
**Miscellaneous Civil Complaints**
**Miscellaneous Civil Petitions**

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Writ of Mandate (02)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6151 Writ - Administrative Mandamus	2., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6152 Writ - Mandamus on Limited Court Case Matter	2.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6153 Writ - Other Limited Court Case Review	2.
Other Judicial Review (39)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6150 Other Writ / Judicial Review	2., 8.
Antitrust/Trade Regulation (03)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6003 Antitrust/Trade Regulation	1., 2., 8.
Construction Defect (10)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6007 Construction defect	1., 2., 3.
Claims Involving Mass Tort (40)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6006 Claims Involving Mass Tort	1., 2., 8.
Securities Litigation (28)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6035 Securities Litigation Case	1., 2., 8.
Toxic Tort Environmental (30)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6036 Toxic Tort/Environmental	1., 2., 3., 8.
Insurance Coverage Claims from Complex Case (41)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6014 Insurance Coverage/Subrogation (complex case only)	1., 2., 5., 8.
Enforcement of Judgment (20)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6141 Sister State Judgment	2., 9.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6160 Abstract of Judgment	2., 6.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6107 Confession of Judgment (non-domestic relations)	2., 9.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6140 Administrative Agency Award (not unpaid taxes)	2., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6114 Petition/Certificate for Entry of Judgment on Unpaid Tax	2., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6112 Other Enforcement of Judgment Case	2., 8., 9.
RICO (27)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6033 Racketeering (RICO) Case	1., 2., 8.
Other Complaints (Not Specified Above) (42)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6030 Declaratory Relief Only	1., 2., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6040 Injunctive Relief Only (not domestic/harassment)	2., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6011 Other Commercial Complaint Case (non-tort/non-complex)	1., 2., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6000 Other Civil Complaint (non-tort/non-complex)	1., 2., 8.
Partnership Corporation Governance (21)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6113 Partnership and Corporate Governance Case	2., 8.
Other Petitions (Not Specified Above) (43)	<input type="checkbox"/> A6121 Civil Harassment	2., 3., 9.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6123 Workplace Harassment	2., 3., 9.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6124 Elder/Dependent Adult Abuse Case	2., 3., 9.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6190 Election Contest	2.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6110 Petition for Change of Name	2., 7.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6170 Petition for Relief from Late Claim Law	2., 3., 4., 8.
	<input type="checkbox"/> A6100 Other Civil Petition	2., 9.

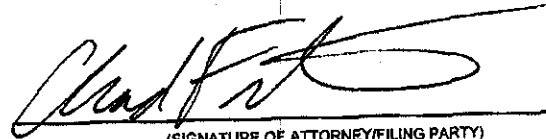
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Item III. Statement of Location: Enter the address of the accident, party's residence or place of business, performance, or other circumstance indicated in Item II., Step 3 on Page 1, as the proper reason for filing in the court location you selected.

REASON: CHECK THE NUMBER UNDER COLUMN C WHICH APPLIES IN THIS CASE <input type="checkbox"/> 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3. <input type="checkbox"/> 4. <input type="checkbox"/> 5. <input type="checkbox"/> 6. <input type="checkbox"/> 7. <input type="checkbox"/> 8. <input type="checkbox"/> 9. <input type="checkbox"/> 10.	ADDRESS: <b>13701 Riverside Dr. #500</b>		
CITY: <b>Sherman Oaks</b>	STATE: <b>CA</b>	ZIP CODE: <b>91423</b>	

Item IV. Declaration of Assignment: I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct and that the above-entitled matter is properly filed for assignment to the LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT courthouse in the CENTRAL District of the Los Angeles Superior Court (Code Civ. Proc., § 392 et seq., and LASC Local Rule 2.0, subs. (b), (c) and (d)).

Dated: December 4, 2009



(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY/FILING PARTY)

Chad R. Fitzgerald

**PLEASE HAVE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS COMPLETED AND READY TO BE FILED IN ORDER TO PROPERLY COMMENCE YOUR NEW COURT CASE:**

1. Original Complaint or Petition.
2. If filing a Complaint, a completed Summons form for issuance by the Clerk.
3. Civil Case Cover Sheet form CM-010.
4. Complete Addendum to Civil Case Cover Sheet form LACIV 109 (Rev 01/07), LASC Approved 03-04.
5. Payment in full of the filing fee, unless fees have been waived.
6. Signed order appointing the Guardian ad Litem, JC form FL-935, if the plaintiff or petitioner is a minor under 18 years of age, or if required by Court.
7. Additional copies of documents to be conformed by the Clerk. Copies of the cover sheet and this addendum must be served along with the summons and complaint, or other initiating pleading in the case.