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Please take notice that Plaintiff/Counter-Defendant Las Vegas Sun, Inc., hereby appeals to the Supreme Court of Nevada from:

The Court's Judgment filed on February 18, 2020, the Notice of Entry of which was served electronically on February 18, 2020 (**Exhibit 1**), as well as all orders, rulings, or decisions related thereto that are made appealable thereby.

DATED this 13th day of March, 2020.

By: /s/ E. Leif Reid

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DATED this 18th day of February, 2020.

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Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part; Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC's and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award; and Defendants News+Media Capital Group, LLC's and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Conditional Countermotion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part and to Vacate the Award, in Part, came on for hearing before the Court, the Honorable Timothy C. Williams presiding, and good cause appearing, the Court finds as follows:

On January 28, 2020, this Court entered its Findings of Facts, Conclusions of Law, and Order Affirming the Arbitration Award, which, *inter alia*, confirmed the arbitrator's award of \$1,662,720 in damages on Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Third Claim for Relief (Breach of Contract—Editorial Costs: Section 4.2 and Related Provisions), and \$261,459.94 of simple interest on this damages award through January 28, 2020, against Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC's and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.

On January 28, 2020, this Court entered its Findings of Facts, Conclusions of Law, and Order Affirming the Arbitration Award, which, *inter alia*, confirmed the arbitrator's award of \$40,666.38 in fees and costs of arbitration to Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc., against Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC's and Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that judgment, pursuant to NRS 38.243(1), is entered in favor of Las Vegas Sun, Inc., in the amount of \$1,924,179.94, with post-judgment interest of \$250.54 per day accruing thereon from January 28, 2020, until paid in full.

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DISTRICT COURT

CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company; and LAS LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC., a Counter-Defendant.

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LAS VEGAS SUN, INC.'S CASE APPEAL STATEMENT

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1	1.	Name of appellant filing this case appeal statement:
2		Plaintiff/Counter-Defendant Las Vegas Sun, Inc.
3	2.	Identify the judge issuing the decision, judgment, or order appealed from:
4		The Honorable Timothy C. Williams
5	3.	Identify each appellant and the name and address of counsel for each appellant:
6		Attorneys for Appellant Las Vegas Sun, Inc.
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8		Kristen L. Martini Nicole S. Scott
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5.	Indicate whether any attorner	y identified above in response to question 3 or 4 is not licensed
to prac	ctice law in Nevada and, if so.	, whether the district court granted that attorney permission to
appear	r under SCR 42 (attach a copy	of any district court order granting such permission):

Richard L. Stone, David R. Singer, and Amy M. Gallegos are not licensed to practice law in Nevada. The orders granting them permission to appear are attached as **Exhibit 1**.

6. Indicate whether appellant was represented by appointed or retained counsel in the district court:

Retained counsel

7. Indicate whether appellant is represented by appointed or retained counsel on appeal: Retained counsel

8. Indicate whether appellant was granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis, and the date of entry of the district court order granting such leave:

N/A

9. Indicate the date the proceedings commenced in the district court, e.g., date complaint, indictment, information, or petition was filed:

The Complaint was filed on April 10, 2018.

10. Provide a brief description of the nature of the action and result in the district court, including the type of judgment or order being appealed and the relief granted by the district court:

The Las Vegas Sun, Inc., initiated this action on April 10, 2018, as a result of several disputes between it and Defendants stemming from Defendants' contractual and tortious breaches of the parties' Amended and Restated [Joint Operating] Agreement, dated June 10, 2005 ("2005 JOA"). On November 21, 2018, the district court entered its Order compelling arbitration of certain of the Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s claims for relief pursuant to the arbitration provision in the 2005 JOA, and the Nevada Supreme Court's interpretation of that arbitration provision in the case, DR Partners v. Las Vegas Sun, Inc., No. 68700, 2016 WL 2957115 (Nev. May 19, 2016). The Sun's claims were tried in arbitration, and the arbitrator issued the Final Award of Arbitration on July 2, 2019 ("Arbitration Award").

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The Sun moved to confirm, in part, and both parties moved to vacate or modify, in part, the Arbitration Award. The Sun filed its post-hearing arbitration motion on September 13, 2019. Defendants filed their post-hearing arbitration motion on September 18, 2019. Both parties filed their respective oppositions on September 30, 2009, and replies on October 11, 2019. The matter came before the district court for hearing on October 22, 2019. On December 4, 2019, the district court affirmed the Arbitration Award in its entirety through a minute order, and on January 28, 2020, entered its written Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order Affirming the Arbitration Award ("January 28, 2020, Order"). Defendants appealed from the January 28, 2020, Order on January 28, 2020.

The Sun cross-appealed on February 11, 2020 from the portion of the January 28, 2020, Order, that affirmed the Final Award of the Arbitrator's denial of the Sun's request for an award of attorney fees and costs. Defendants amended their appeal on February 28, 2020, to include the February 18, 2020, Judgment that resulted from the Court's entering of the January 28, 2020, Order. The Sun now appeals from the portion of the February 18, 2020, Judgment, that affirmed the Final Award of the Arbitrator's denial of the Sun's request for an award of attorney fees and costs.

11. <u>Indicate whether the case has previously been the subject of an appeal or an original writ</u> proceeding in the Supreme Court and, if so, the caption and Supreme Court docket number of the <u>prior proceeding</u>:

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12. <u>Indicate whether this appeal involves child custody or visitation:</u>

This case does not involve child custody or visitation.

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1	13.	If this is a civil case, indicate whether this appeal involves the possibility of settlement:
2		Undersigned counsel is not aware of any circumstances that make settlement impossible.
3		DATED this 13th day of March, 2020.
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LAS VEGAS SUN, INC., a Nevada corporation,

Plaintiff,

Case No.: A-18-772591-B
Dept. No.: XVI

NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company; and LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC., a Delaware limited liability company,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER ADMITTING TO PRACTICE (RICHARD LEE STONE, ESQ.)

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entitled matter on September 25, 2019, a copy of which is attached hereto. 1 DATED this 26th day of September, 2019. 2 3 KEMP, JONES & COULTHARD, LLP 4 /s/ Michael Gayan 5 J. Randall Jones, Esq., (#1927) 6 Michael J. Gayan, Esq. (#11135) Mona Kaveh, Esq., (#11825) 7 3800 Howard Hughes Parkway, 17th Floor Las Vegas, Nevada 89169 8 Richard L. Stone, Esq. (pro hac vice) 9 David R. Singer, Esq. (pro hac vice) Amy M. Gallegos, Esq. (pro hac vice) 10 JENNER & BLOCK 633 West 5th Street, Suite 3600 11 Los Angeles, CA 90071-2054 12 Attorneys for Defendants kic@kempiones.com 13 14 15 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 16 I hereby certify that on the 26th day of September, 2019, I served a true and correct copy 17 of the foregoing NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER ADMITTING TO PRACTICE 18 (RICHARD LEE STONE, ESQ.) via the Court's electronic filing system only, pursuant to the Nevada Electronic Filing and Conversion Rules, Administrative Order 14-2, to all parties 19 currently on the electronic service list. 20 21 22 /s/ Pamela Montgomery 23 An Employee of Kemp, Jones & Coulthard, LLP 24 25 26 27 28

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Defendants.

Case No.: A-18-772591-B Dept. No.: XVI

ORDER ADMITTING TO PRACTICE (RICHARD LEE STONE, ESQ.)

RICHARD LEE STONE, ESQ., having filed his Motion to Associate Counsel under Nevada Supreme Court Rule 42, together with a Verified Application for Association of Counsel, a Certificate of Good Standing for the State of California, and the State Bar of Nevada Statement; said application having been noticed, no objections having been made, and the Court being fully apprised in the premises, and good cause appearing, it is hereby

1	ORDERED, that said application is hereby granted, and RICHARD LEE STONE,
2	ESQ., is hereby admitted to practice in the above entitled Court for the purposed of the above
3	entitled matter only.
4	DATED this <u>25</u> day of September, 2019.
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above entitled matter on September 25, 2019, a copy of which is attached hereto. 1 DATED this 26th day of September, 2019. 2 3 KEMP, JONES & COULTHARD, LLP 4 /s/ Michael Gayan 5 J. Randall Jones, Esq., (#1927) Michael J. Gayan, Esq. (#11135) 6 Mona Kaveh, Esq., (#11825) 3800 Howard Hughes Parkway, 17th Floor 7 Las Vegas, Nevada 89169 8 Richard L. Stone, Esq. (pro hac vice) 9 David R. Singer, Esq. (pro hac vice) Amy M. Gallegos, Esq. (pro hac vice) JENNER & BLOCK 10 633 West 5th Street, Suite 3600 Los Angeles, CA 90071-2054 11 Las Vegas, Nevada 89169 (702) 385-6000 • Fax (702) 385-6001 kic@kempiones.com Attorneys for Defendants 12 13 14 15 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 16 I hereby certify that on the 26th day of September, 2019, I served a true and correct copy 17 of the foregoing NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER ADMITTING TO PRACTICE (AMY MARSHALL GALLEGOS, ESQ.) via the Court's electronic filing system only, pursuant to 18 the Nevada Electronic Filing and Conversion Rules, Administrative Order 14-2, to all parties 19 currently on the electronic service list. 20 21 22 /s/ Pamela Montgomery An Employee of Kemp, Jones & Coulthard, LLP 23 24 25 26 27 28

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ORDERED, that said application is hereby granted, and AMY MARSHALL GALLEGOS, ESQ., is hereby admitted to practice in the above entitled Court for the purposed of the above entitled matter only. DATED this at day of September, 2019. KEMP, JONES & COULTHARD, LLP Michael J. Gayan, Esq. (#11135) 3800 Howard Hughes Parkway, 17th Floor Richard L. Stone, Esq. (Pro Hac Vice Pending) Amy M. Gallegos, Esq. (Pro Hac Vice Pending) David R. Singer, Esq. (Pro Hac Vice Pending)

CASE SUMMARY

CASE NO. A-18-772591-B

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

vs.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

Location: **Department 16**Judicial Officer: **Williams, Timothy C.**

Filed on: 04/10/2018

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Cross-Reference Case A772591

Number:

Supreme Court No.: 80511

CASE INFORMATION

Case Type: Other Business Court Matters

Case Status: 04/10/2018 Open

DATE CASE ASSIGNMENT

Current Case Assignment

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Court Department 16
Date Assigned 08/27/2018

Judicial Officer Williams, Timothy C.

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Party: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

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Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Defendants' Limited Opposition To Motions For Leave To File Documents Under Seal 09/30/2019 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award (Redacted) 09/30/2019 Motion to Seal/Redact Records Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [The Sun's Opposition and Exhibits to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award] 09/30/2019 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Plaintiff's Limited Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits B and C to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award, and References Thereto in Motion to Vacate] 10/01/2019 Clerk's Notice of Hearing Notice of Hearing 10/01/2019 🛍 Filed Under Seal Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award 10/02/2019 🔼 Opposition to Motion to Compel Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Production of Documents 10/03/2019 Clerk's Notice of Hearing Notice of Hearing 10/08/2019 Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Order Granting In Part Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion For Protective Order And Objections Under NRCP 45 10/08/2019 Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Notice Of Entry Of Order 10/10/2019 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Plaintiff's Limited Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits A, B, D, and G-K to Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award in Part, and References Thereto 10/10/2019 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC Defendants' Limited Opposition to Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [The Sun's Opposition and Exhibits to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award] 10/10/2019

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Opposition to Motion

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC

Defendants' (1) Limited Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint and (2) Countermotion to Continue Trial

10/11/2019

Reply in Support

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC

Reply in Support of Defendants' Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal

10/11/2019

Motion to Seal/Redact Records

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas

Review-Journal Inc

Defendants' Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal

10/11/2019

Reply in Support

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas

Review-Journal Inc

Defendants' Reply In Support Of Motion To Vacate Arbitration Award

10/11/2019

Reply to Opposition

Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Plaintiff's Reply to Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc.'s Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part and Defendants' Conditional Countermotion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate the Award, in Part

(Redacted)

10/11/2019

Motion to Seal/Redact Records

Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 3-6 to Reply to Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively,

Modify or Correct the Award, in Part, and References Thereto]

10/11/2019

Reply to Opposition

Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Reply to Defendants' Limited Opposition to Motions for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim and Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or

Correct the Award, In Part]

10/11/2019

🔼 Reply

Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Reply to Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Production of Documents

10/14/2019

Clerk's Notice of Hearing

Notice of Hearing

10/14/2019

🛍 Filed Under Seal

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas

Review-Journal Inc

Defendant's Reply in Support of Motion to Vacate Arbotratopm Award (FUS from Motion

dated 10/11/19)

10/14/2019

Reply in Support

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas

Review-Journal Inc

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Reply In Support Of Defendants Nesw+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Conditional Countermotion To Confirm Arbitration Award, In Part, And To Vacate The Award. In Part

10/14/2019

🚹 Filed Under Seal

Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Plaintiff's Reply to Defendants' News & Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc.'s Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part and Defendant's Conditional Countermotion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate the Award, in Part

10/14/2019

Motion to Dismiss

Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or, Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action

10/15/2019

Clerk's Notice of Hearing

Notice of Hearing

10/15/2019

Stipulation and Order

Filed by: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Stipulation And Order To Continue Hearing On All Motions Set For Hearing On October 16, 2010

10/15/2019

Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Notice Of Entry Of Stipulation And Order To Continue Hearing On All Motions Set For Hearing On October 16, 2019

10/21/2019

Opposition to Motion

Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Plaintiff's Limited Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits E-H to Defendants' Reply in Support of Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award, and References Thereto in Motion to Vacate]

10/21/2019

Opposition to Motion

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC

Defendants' Limited Opposition to Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 3-6 to Reply to Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part, and References Thereto]

10/23/2019

Stipulation and Order

Filed by: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Stipulation And Order To Extend Time For Defendants To File A Response In Opposition To Plaintiff's Motion To Dismiss

10/23/2019

Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Notice Of Entry Of Stipulation And Order To Extend Time For Defendants To File A Response In Opposition To Plaintiff's Motion To Dismiss

10/25/2019

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Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

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Order Granting Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim on Order Shortening Time

10/28/2019



Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Notice of Entry of Order Granting Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim on

Order Shortening Time

10/28/2019



Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal's Opposition To Counter-Defendant Las Vegas Sun's Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims

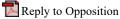
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Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Plaintiff's (1) Reply to Limited Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint and (2) Opposition to Countermotion to Continue Trial

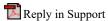
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Reply to Defendants' Limited Opposition to Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [The Sun's Opposition and Exhibits to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award]

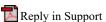
11/01/2019



Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC

Reply in Support of Defendants' Motion to Seal Opposition and Exhibits A-K

11/04/2019



Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas

Review-Journal Inc

Reply In Support Of Defendants' Countermotion To Continue Trial

11/05/2019



Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Plaintiff's Status Report for Status Check Regarding Outstanding Discovery Issues

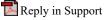
11/08/2019

Reply to Opposition

Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Reply to Defendants' Limited Opposition to Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 3-6 to Reply to Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and References Thereto]

11/08/2019



Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Reply In Support Of Defendants' Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal (Exhibits E-H To Defendants' Reply In Support Of Motion To Vacate Arbitration Award And References Thereto)

11/12/2019



Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s (1) Objection To Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Binder Of Exhibits Submitted To The Court On November 6, 2019, And (2) Request For Court To Defer Ruling On Arbitration Motions

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11/12/2019	Order Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Order Granting Plaintiff's Motoin for Leave to Amend Complaint and Granting in Part Defendants' Countermotion to Continue Trial
11/14/2019	Notice of Entry Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Notice of Entry of Order Granting Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint and Granting in Part Defendants' Countermotion to Continue Trial
11/15/2019	First Amended Complaint Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc First Amended Complaint
11/18/2019	Reply in Support Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Reply In Support Of Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims Or, Alternatively, To Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action
11/18/2019	Appendix Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Appendix To Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Reply In Support Of Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims Or, Alternatively, To Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action
11/18/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 7 And 9 To Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Reply In Support Of Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims Or, Alternatively, To Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action And References Thereto]
11/18/2019	Motion for Protective Order Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Motion for Protective Order Staying Discovery Pending Resolution of Sun's Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims, or Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action
11/19/2019	Clerk's Notice of Hearing Notice of Hearing
11/19/2019	Clerk's Notice of Hearing Notice of Hearing
11/19/2019	Motion Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.s' Motion To Modify Protective Order On Order Shortening Time
11/19/2019	Notice of Change of Hearing Notice of Change of Hearing
11/19/2019	Filed Under Seal Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or Alternatively, to Stay Counterc laims Pending Federal Court Action

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	CASE NO. A-18-//2591-B
11/19/2019	Filed Under Seal Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Appendix to Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action
11/20/2019	Amended Order Setting Jury Trial 2nd Amended Order Setting Civil Jury Trial, Pre-Trial, Calendar Call, and Deadlines for Motions; Amended Discovery Scheduling Order
11/21/2019	Stipulation and Order Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Stipulation and Order to Extend Deadline for Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or, Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action (First Request)
11/21/2019	Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order to Extend Deadline for Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or, Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action (First Request)
11/22/2019	Motion to Stay Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Emergency Motion To Stay Case And Postpone Action On Arbitration-Related Motions On Order Shortening Time
11/25/2019	Stipulation and Order Filed by: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Stipulation And Order To Extend Time For Defendants To File Response To Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint
11/25/2019	Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Notice Of Entry Of Stipulation And Order To Extend Time For Defendants To File Response To Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint
11/27/2019	Notice of Rescheduling of Hearing Filed by: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Notice of Rescheduling
12/02/2019	Non Opposition Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Defendants' Non-Opposition To Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal (Exhibits 7 And 9 To Plaintiff's Reply In Support Of Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims Or, Alternatively, To Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action And References Thereto)
12/02/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 5, 7, and 9 to Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to Defendants' Emergency Motion to Stay Case and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on OST and References Thereto]

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12/02/2019	Opposition and Countermotion Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review- Journal, Inc.'s Emergency Motion to Stay Case and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on Order Shortening Time and Countermotion to Stay Defendants' Tenth, Twenty- Sixth and Twenty-Seventh Affirmative Defenses (Redacted)
12/02/2019	Opposition and Countermotion Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc News+Media Capital Group LLC's And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s (1) Opposition To Plaintiff's Motion For Protective Order Staying Discovery Pending Resolution Of Sun's Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims, Or Alternatively, To Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action, And In The Alternative, (2) Countermotion To Stay All Discovery
12/02/2019	Opposition to Motion Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review- Journal, Inc.'s Motion to Modify Protective Order on Order Shortening Time
12/03/2019	Reply in Support Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Reply In Support Of News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Emergency Motion to Stay Case and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on Order Shortening Time and Opposition to Countermotion to Stay Defendants' Tenth, Twenty-Sixth And Twenty-Seventh Affirmative Defenses
12/03/2019	Filed Under Seal Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun Inc's Opposition to News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review- Journal Inc's Emergency Motion to Stay CAse and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on Order Shortening Time and Countermotion to Stay Defendants' Tenth, Twenty- Sixth and Twenty-Seventh Affirmative Defenses 12/02/19 Motion to Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 5,7, and 9 to Las Vegas Inc's Opposition to Defendants' Emergency Motion to Stay Case and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on OST and References Thereto
12/03/2019	Clerk's Notice of Hearing Notice of Hearing
12/17/2019	Order Granting Order Granting in Part and Denying in Part Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Production of Documents
12/18/2019	Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Notice Of Entry Of Order Granting In Part And Denying In Part Plaintiff's Motion To Compel Production Of Documents
01/03/2020	Objection Filed By: Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc News+Media Capital Group LLC's and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Objection to Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Proposed Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order Affirming the Arbitration Award
01/09/2020	Order Granting Motion

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CASE NO. A-10-//2591-D	
Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc	
Order Granting in Part and Denving in Part Pltf's Motion to Dismiss Coun	torclai

Alternatively to Stay

01/13/2020 Notice of Entry of Order

Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Notice of Entry of Order Granting in Part and Denying in Part Plaintiff's Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action

01/16/2020 Motion for Leave to File

News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion For Leave To File Additional Briefing Requested By Court On Order Shortening Time

01/21/2020 Notice of Withdrawal of Attorney

Filed by: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Notice of Withdrawal of Attorney Akke Levin

01/28/2020 Deposition to Motion

Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to News+Media Capital Groups LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to File Additional Briefing Requested by Court on Order Shortening Time

01/28/2020 Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Findings Of Facts, Conclusions Of Law, And Order Affirming The Arbitration Award

01/28/2020 Notice of Entry

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Notice Of Entry Of Findings Of Facts, Conclusions Of Law And Order Affirming The Arbitration Award

01/28/2020 Notice of Appeal

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Notice Of Appeal

01/28/2020 Case Appeal Statement

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Case Appeal Statement

01/31/2020 Order

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

Order Granting In Part And Denying In Part News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Emergency Motion To Stay Case And Postpone Action On Arbitration-Related Motions On Order Shortening Time And Denying Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s

Countermotion To Stay Defendants' Touth Twenty Sixth And Twenty Sweeth Affirmative

Countermotion To Stay Defendants' Tenth, Twenty-Sixth And Twenty-Seventh Affirmative Defenses

02/04/2020 Notice of Entry of Order

Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas

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	Review-Journal Inc Notice Of Entry Of Order
02/10/2020	Stipulation and Order Filed by: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Stipulation and Order to Withdraw as Co-Counsel of Record
02/10/2020	Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Notice of Entry of Stipulation and Order to Withdraw as Co-Counsel of Record
02/11/2020	Notice of Appeal Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Notice of Cross-Appeal
02/11/2020	Case Appeal Statement Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Case Appeal Statement
02/12/2020	Motion to Seal/Redact Records Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Defendant News+Media Capital Group, LLC's and Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion to Seal All Materials Generated in the Private Arbitration
02/14/2020	Clerk's Notice of Nonconforming Document Clerk's Notice of Nonconforming Document
02/14/2020	Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Order Granting In Part And Denying In Part News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion For Leave To File Additional Briefing Requested By Court On Order Shortening Time
02/14/2020	Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Notice Of Entry Of Order
02/14/2020	Request Filed by: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Request For Transcripts
02/14/2020	Reporters Transcript Court Reporters transcript of Proceedings (Civil) October 22, 2019
02/14/2020	Reporters Transcript Court Reporters transcript of Proceedings (Civil) December 4, 2019
02/18/2020	Judgment Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

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	Judgment
02/18/2020	Notice of Entry of Judgment Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Notice of Entry of Judgment
02/26/2020	Opposition to Motion Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Seal All Materials Generated in the Private Arbitration
02/28/2020	Amended Notice of Appeal Party: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review- Journal Inc News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Amended Notice Of Appeal
02/28/2020	Amended Case Appeal Statement Party: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review- Journal Inc News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Amended Case Appeal Statement
03/04/2020	Motion for Leave to File Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC's And Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion For Leave To File Under Seal (Exhibits 9-10 To Reply In Support Of Motion To Seal All Materials Generated In The Private Arbitration)
03/04/2020	Reply in Support Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Defendant News+Media Capital Group, LLC's And Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Reply In Support Of Motion To Seal All Materials Generated In the Private Arbitration
03/05/2020	Clerk's Notice of Hearing Notice of Hearing
03/05/2020	Filed Under Seal Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Defendant News + Media Capital Group LLC's and Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc's Reply in Support of Motion to Seal All Materials Generated in the Private Arbitration (Per Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC's and Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc's Motion for Leave to File Under Seal [Exhibits 9-10 to Reply in Support of Motion to Seal All Materials Generated in the Private Arbitration]; Filed 3/4/2020)
03/06/2020	Motion Filed By: Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC; Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC's And Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion To Approve Alternate Security And Stay Execution On Judgment Pending Appeal On Order Shortening Time
03/13/2020	Notice of Appeal Filed By: Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc

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Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Notice of Appeal

03/13/2020

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Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Case Appeal Statement

DISPOSITIONS

02/18/2020

Judgment Plus Interest (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Debtors: News+Media Capital Group LLC (Defendant), Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

(Defendant)

Creditors: Las Vegas Sun Inc (Plaintiff) Judgment: 02/18/2020, Docketed: 02/19/2020

Total Judgment: 1,924,179.94

Debtors: News+Media Capital Group LLC (Defendant), Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc

(Defendant)

Creditors: Las Vegas Sun Inc (Plaintiff) Judgment: 02/18/2020, Docketed: 02/19/2020

Total Judgment: 40,666.38

HEARINGS

08/22/2018

Minute Order (2:27 PM) (Judicial Officer: Denton, Mark R.)

Minute Order: Recusal

Minute Order - No Hearing Held; Minute Order: Recusal

Journal Entry Details:

GIVEN the Court's previous professional relationship with one of the parties and its previous professional and long-time personal friendship with principals of the same, and to avoid the appearance of impropriety, the Court RECUSES from further involvement in this case and directs that it be reassigned to another Business Court Department. CANON 2, Rule 2.11, Commentary [1]. IT IS SO ORDERED. CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order was electronically served by Courtroom Clerk, April Watkins, to all registered parties for Odyssey File & serve. aw:

10/24/2018

Motion to Compel (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel Arbitration

Minute Order Dated 08-22-18

Motion Granted;

10/24/2018

Motion to Dismiss (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Minute Order Dated 08-22-18

Motion Denied:

10/24/2018

All Pending Motions (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

MINUTES

Matter Heard;

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, representative of Las Vegas Sun, present. DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS...PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION Arguments by counsel on Motions. Court stated ITS FINDINGS and ORDERED, Motion to Dismiss DENIED; Motion to Compel GRANTED. Pltf. to prepare order and circulate to counsel.;

12/04/2018

Motion (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Motion to Extend Deadline for the Filing of Defendants Response to Plaintiffs Motion for Partial Summary Judgment and to Vacate and Reschedule Hearing on Order Shortening Time (First Request)

Motion Granted;

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, representative of Las Vegas Sun, present.

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Matter of Motion to Extend Deadline for the Filing of Defendants Response to Plaintiffs Motion for Partial Summary Judgment and to Vacate and Reschedule Hearing on Order Shortening Time (First Request). Arguments by counsel. Colloquy regarding possible continuance of all pending matters and scheduling briefing. COURT ORDERED, Motion GRANTED; Response to Motion for Partial Summary Judgment DUE 12/10/18; Reply thereto DUE 12/17/18 by 12:00 p.m. COURT FURTHER ORDERED, following matters CONTINUED: Pltf's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment and Defts' Motion for Reconsideration on Order Shortening Time. CONTINUED TO: 12/19/18 1:15 P.M.;

12/19/2018

Motion for Partial Summary Judgment (1:15 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Plaintiff's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment for Declaratory Relief and Breach of
Contract/Specific Performance (First and Fourth Claims for Relief)

Motion Denied; See 2/4/19 Minute Order

12/19/2018

Motion For Reconsideration (1:15 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Defendants' Motion for Reconsideration of Court's Order Granting Plaintiff's Motion to

Compel Arbitration and Denying Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, and Request for Stay on

Order Shortening Time

Motion Denied;

12/19/2018

All Pending Motions (1:15 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Matter Heard;

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Nicole Scott, Esq. present for Pltf. Las Vegas Sun.
Representatives of Las Vegas Sun present: Brian Greenspun, Myra Greenspun, and Robert
Cauthorn, present. DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF COURT'S
ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION AND DENYING
DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS, AND REQUEST FOR STAY ON ORDER
SHORTENING TIME Arguments by counsel. COURT ORDERED, Motion DENIED; Ms.
Martini to prepare detailed amended order within a week. PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR
PARTIAL SUMMARY JUDGMENT FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF AND BREACH OF
CONTRACT/SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE Arguments by counsel. Court advised decision
forthcoming within a week.;

02/04/2019

Minute Order (8:13 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

re: Plaintiff LVS s Motion for Partial Summary Judgment for Declaratory Relief and Breach of Contract for Specific Performance (First and Fourth Claims for Relief)
Minute Order - No Hearing Held;

Journal Entry Details:

After a review and consideration of the points and authorities on file herein, and the argument of counsel, the Court determined as follows: The Court has reviewed the issues raised by Plaintiff, Las Vegas, Sun, Inc. (LVS) in its Motion for Partial Summary Judgment for Declaratory Relief and Breach of Contract/Specific Performance (First and Fourth Claims for Relief). It is clear that the Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) is binding and controls the contractual relationship as to LVS and the News+Media Capital Group, LLC. (News-Media). However, issues as to whether there is a material breach of Section 5.1 and Appendices A and B of the JOA by Defendant, News-Media are questions of fact and not the proper basis to support granting summary judgment at this time. Additionally, the remedy of specific performance is only available as an alternative claim to monetary damage where the remedy at law is inadequate. It is premature at this time to reach such a conclusion. Ultimately, the Court anticipates that all issues of compliance and/or breach of Section 5.1 and Appendices A and B of the JOA will require expert testimony to assist the trier of fact in reaching their decision in this matter. Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff LVS s Motion for Partial Summary Judgment for Declaratory Relief and Breach of Contract for Specific Performance (First and Fourth Claims for Relief) shall be DENIED. Counsel for News-Media shall prepare a detailed Order, Findings of Facts, and Conclusions of Law, based not only on the foregoing Minute Order, but also on the record on file herein. This is to be submitted to adverse counsel for review and approval and/or submission of a competing Order or objections, prior to submitting to the Court for review and signature. CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.;

04/03/2019

Mandatory Rule 16 Conference (9:15 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Matter Heard;

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Journal Entry Details:

Matter of Mandatory Discovery Conference. Ms. Martini advised related arbitration begins 4/15/19 and concludes 4/26/19. Colloquy regarding impact of the arbitration as to discovery proceeding in this case and claims anticipated for trial. Court stated 2 weeks to be set aside for trial. As to witnesses, Ms. Martini advised 13 total which accounts for 3 duplicates. Ms. Levin advised a confidentiality and protective order and ESI to be negotiated. There being agreement, COURT ORDERED, Trial dates SET; Close of Discovery SET 9/27/19. Department to issue scheduling order. 1/9/20 10:30 AM PRETRIAL/CALENDAR CALL 1/27/20 9:30 AM BENCH TRIAL;

08/21/2019

Motion for Protective Order (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Motion for Protective Order and Objections Under NRCP 45 Granted in Part; See 9/4/19 Minute Order

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Benjamin Lipman, Esq. also present as General Counsel for Las Vegas Review-Journal. Matter of Review-Journal's Motion for Protective Order and Objections Under NRCP 45. Mr. Jones argued for opportunity for review and privilege log, and for expansive view as to a representative. Ms. Martini proposed monthly case management conferences and argued burden not met as to whether fact witness at issue covered. Court stated decision to issue next week by way of Minute Order. Colloquy regarding proposed monthly conferences. Court stated if efforts to resolve issue discussed are unsuccessful, Court will entertain motion on order shortening time from Ms. Martini.;

09/04/2019

Minute Order (12:12 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Motion for Protective Order and Objections Under NRCP 45

Minute Order - No Hearing Held;

Journal Entry Details:

After review and consideration of the arguments of counsel and the moving papers on file herein, the Court determined as follows: Upon reflection, the Court has considered Defendant News+Media Capital Group, LLC and Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc. s (Collectively the R.J.s.) Motion for a Protective Order as it relates to Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc. s (LV Sun) Notice of Subpoena Duces Tecum regarding the files of J. Ford Huffman. According to the declaration of Keith Moyer dated August 14, 2019, Mr. Huffman was retained to perform two functions. The first task was to assist R.J. employees and managers in the redesign of the newspaper, including the LV Sun insert portion of the newspaper. Mr. Huffman also consulted with and assisted the R.J. as a litigation consultant in responding to the LV Sun s Motion for Summary Judgment. The Court is well aware of positions asserted by the parties and would probably be required to conduct an evidentiary hearing to determine if Mr. Huffman s role in assisting the R.J. rose to the level of functional equivalent of an employee and thus subject to attorney client privilege. Additionally, Defendant R.J. alleges that Mr. Huffman was retained as a litigation consultant resulting in the application of the work product doctrine. Considering the totality of the arguments presented, without a more developed record, it is uncertain as to whether the functional equivalent doctrine applies at this time. However, it is patently apparent that Mr. Huffman has been retained by Defendant R.J. in the dual capacity to work on the newspaper redesign and as a litigation consultant. As a result of Mr. Huffman s dual capacity, the Court will take a cautious approach to the production of documents in Mr. Huffman s possession. In order to prevent the inadvertent disclosure of privileged documents, the Court feels that in order to save time and expedite discovery in this matter and without the necessity of an evidentiary hearing, the Court shall require Mr. Huffman to supply all documents in his possession to Defendant R.J., who then shall be required to prepare a privilege log identifying all documents with particularity and assert the basis, if any for privileged documents for the record. The privileged log shall be prepared and exchanged by counsel within ten days from entry of this Court s order. In addition, the Court shall set a status check on 10/16/2019 at 9:00AM to expedite the discovery and to address the applicability of any asserted privileges. Consequently, Defendant R.J. s Motion for Protective Order shall be Granted in Part as to potential work product privileged based on work as a litigation consultant and Denied in Part as to the functional equivalent employer classifications. Counsel for Defendant R.J. shall prepare a detailed Order, Findings of Facts, and Conclusions of Law, based not only on the foregoing Minute Order, but also on the record on file herein. This is to be submitted to adverse counsel for review and approval and/or submission of a competing Order or objections, prior to submitting to the Court for review and signature. CLERK'S NOTE: The above Minute Order has been corrected with regards to the status check date as was brought to the Court's attention. The initial 10/4/19 setting was a date on which the Court is unavailable; the correct status check date is 10/16/19 at 9:00 a.m. as reflected above. This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile. /cd 9-26-19/;

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09/25/2019	Motion for Leave (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)
	Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim on Order Shortening Time Motion Granted; Journal Entry Details:
	APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Representatives of Pltf. present: Brian Greenspun, Myra Greenspun, and Amy Greenspun. Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal. Attorney David Singer, Pro Hac pending, present for Defts. Matter of Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim on Order Shortening Time. Mr. Jones requested pending Motions to Associate Counsel David Singer, Amy Gallegos, and Richard Stone be granted. Mr. Reid advised no opposition to the Motions. COURT ORDERED, Motions to Associate Counsel GRANTED. Arguments by Mr. Jones and Mr. Pisanelli regarding Motion for Leave. COURT ORDERED, Motion for Leave GRANTED; no rights have been waived. Mr. Jones advised will prepare the order and circulate to counsel.;
10/16/2019	CANCELED Status Check (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Vacated - per Stipulation and Order Status Check re Trial Readiness
10/16/2019	CANCELED Motion to Associate Counsel (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Vacated Defendant's Motion To Associate Counsel (Richard Lee Stone, Esq.)
10/16/2019	CANCELED Motion to Associate Counsel (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Vacated Defendant's Motion To Associate Counsel (Amy Marshall Gallegos, Esq.)
10/16/2019	CANCELED Motion to Associate Counsel (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Vacated Motion To Associate Counsel (David Ransen Singer, Esq.)
10/22/2019	Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award (1:30 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part Granted in Part; See 12/4/19 Minute Order
10/22/2019	Motion to Vacate (1:30 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Defendants' Motion To Vacate Arbitration Award

Motion Denied; See 12/4/19 Minute Order

10/22/2019 All Pending Motions (1:30 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Matter Heard;

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal. PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART...DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO VACATE ARBITRATION AWARD Argument by Mr. Reid. CONFERENCE AT BENCH. Arguments by Mr. Reid and Mr. Jones. Mr. Jones provided document for Court's review. Colloquy regarding scheduling other pending matters from today. As to the Arbitration Motions, Court stated will issue decision after review of issues regarding exceeding powers, common law, sufficient evidence, and manifest disregard. COURT ORDERED, outstanding pending matters from today CONTINUED. CONTINUED TO: 10/31/19 1:00 PM PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD...DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO MOTION TO VACATE...PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND ANSWER AND ASSERT COUNTERCLAIM...PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF

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	DOCUMENTSSTATUS CHECK: EXPEDITED DISCOVERY AND APPLICABILITY OF ASSERTED PRIVILEGES;
10/31/2019	Motion to Compel (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Plaintiff's Motion to Compel Production of Documents Per 9/17/19 Stipulation and Order Motion Granted;
10/31/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Plaintiff's Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal as to Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim Under Advisement; See 11/12/19 Minutes
10/31/2019	Motion for Leave (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal as to Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award Under Advisement; See 11/12/19 Minutes
10/31/2019	Motion for Leave (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Defendants' Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal Under Advisement; See 11/12/19 Minutes
10/31/2019	Status Check (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Status Check: Expedited Discovery and Applicability of Asserted Privileges Matter Heard;
10/31/2019	All Pending Motions (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Matter Heard; Journal Entry Details: PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS Arguments by Ms. Martini and Mr. Jones. COURT ORDERED, Motion GRANTED; documents must be provided; no sanctions at this time in light of third-party issues. Colloquy regarding a status check as to outstanding issues and electronically stored information ("ESI"). COURT FURTHER ORDERED, Status Check regarding same SET for time of 11/6/19 matters hearing. PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARDPLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND ANSWER AND ASSERT COUNTERCLAIMDEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL Arguments by Mr. Smith and Mr. Jones. Discussion regarding an appendix with tabs for submission of the Motions. Court directed the supplement delivered by Monday next week for a decision. STATUS CHECK: EXPEDITED DISCOVERY AND APPLICABILITY OF ASSERTED PRIVILEGES Court noted matter previously addressed. 11/4/19 3:00 AM (CHAMBERS) STATUS CHECK: SUPPLEMENT TO MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL 11/6/19 9:00 AM STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESI;
11/06/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Defendants Motion to Seal Opposition and Exhibits A-K Under Advisement; See 11/12/19 Minutes
11/06/2019	Opposition and Countermotion (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) 11/06/2019, 11/12/2019 Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc's Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in part, and to Vacate or Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in part, and Conditional Countermotion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in part, and to Vacate the Award, in Part Matter Continued; Granted in Part; See 12/4/19 Minute Order Matter Continued; Granted in Part; See 12/4/19 Minute Order

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11/06/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [The Sun's Opposition and Exhibits to Defendants' Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award] Under Advisement; See 11/12/19 Minutes
11/06/2019	Motion for Leave (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint Motion Granted;
11/06/2019	Opposition and Countermotion (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Defendants' (1) Limited Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint and (2) Countermotion to Continue Trial Decision Made;
11/06/2019	Status Check (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) 11/06/2019, 11/12/2019 Status Check: Outstanding Discovery and ESI Matter Continued; Matter Heard; Matter Continued; Matter Heard; Matter Heard;
11/06/2019	Matter Heard; Journal Entry Details: APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, COO of Las Vegas Sun, also present. DEFENDANTS MOTION TO SEAL OPPOSITION AND EXHIBITS A-KMOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL (THE SUN'S OPPOSITION AND EXHIBITS TO DEFENDANTS MOTION TO VACATE ARBITRATION AWARD] Arguments by Mr. Smith and Mr. Jones. Court stated will review matters and issue detailed minute order shortly. Court further stated records at issue remain in their current state until time of the order. Colloquy regarding supplementation provided today by counsel as relates to forthcoming decision on sealing Motions. Court stated it sought documents Arbitrator was relying upon, namely, the joint operating agreements. Court also stated no preclusion from supplementing the matter further. Mr. Gayan advised will provide a supplement by tomorrow or Friday. PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND COMPLAINTDEFENDANTS' (1) LIMITED OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND COMPLAINT AND (2) COUNTERMOTION TO CONTINUE TRIAL Arguments by Mr. Reid and Mr. Jones. COURT ORDERED, Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint GRANTED. Prevailing party to prepare the order. Discussion and argument by counsel regarding Countermotion to Continue Trial in light of two new claims. As to the Countermotion, COURT FURTHER ORDERED, case schedule as follows: Initial Experts 1/20/20; Rebuttal Experts 2/19/20; Close of Discovery 4/20/20; Dispositive Motions 5/18/20; Trial 6/15/20. Department to issue amended trial order. STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESLDEFENDANTS NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW JOURNAL, INC'S OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND CONDITIONAL COUNTERMOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE THE AWARD, IN PART Colloquy regarding rescheduling remaining matters from today as well as 11/13/19 matters. COURT ORDERED, today's pending matters CONTINUED to 1/1/2/19 1:15 PM STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESLDEFE

PRETRIAL/CALENDAR CALL 6/15/20 9:30 AM JURY TRIAL;

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11/12/2019	CANCELED Status Check (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Vacated Status Check: Supplement to Motions for Leave to File Documents Under Seal (Pending UA)
	from 10/31 and 11/6 Hearings)
11/12/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records (1:15 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Defendants' Motion For Leave To File Documents Under Seal Under Advisement;
11/12/2019	Motion to Seal/Redact Records (1:15 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 3-6 to Reply to Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part, and References Thereto] Under Advisement;
11/12/2019	All Pending Motions (1:15 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Matter Heard;
	Journal Entry Details: MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL [EXHIBITS 3-6 TO REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND REFERENCES THERETO]DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL Matters submitted. Court stated will decide all seal issues together and notify counsel if assistance needed. DEFENDANTS NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW JOURNAL, INC'S OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND CONDITIONAL COUNTERMOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE THE AWARD, IN PART Mr. Gayan presented binder of materials for Court's review. Court noted receipt of materials needed for decision on the confirmation or vacate matter; decision anticipated before Thanksgiving Holiday. STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESI Mr. Reid advised Ms. Martini unable to attend due to health issue. Mr. Gayan reviewed history of issues with vendor, the rational review, and custodians. Upon inquiry by Mr. Reid as to prior production compelled, Mr. Gayan advised will provide within two (2) weeks and earlier if possible. Court so noted. Discussion and arguments by counsel regarding custodians, search terms with respect to those involved in redesign, and second set of outstanding discovery. Mr. Jones presented documents for Court's review. Mr. Jones advised will perform search as discussed. Colloquy regarding special setting for results of ESI search and related issues as well as the Motion to Dismiss previously set 11/20. COURT ORDERED, Motion to Dismiss REST from 11/20/19 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.; Status Check SET 11/20/19 at 10:00 a.m. as to the ESI search, custodian issues, and second set of outstanding discovery. Mr. Reid advised will prepare order from today's hearing, 11/20/19 10:00 AM STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTAND
11/20/2019	Motion to Dismiss (10:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or, Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action Decision Made;
11/20/2019	Status Check (10:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) 11/20/2019, 12/04/2019 Status Check: Results of ESI Search/Custodian Issues/Second Set of Outstanding Discovery Matter Continued; Matter Heard; Matter Continued; Matter Heard;
11/20/2019	All Pending Motions (10:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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Matter Heard;

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review Journal. MOTION TO DISMISS COUNTERCLAIMS OR, ALTERNATIVELY, TO STAY COUNTERCLAIMS PENDING FEDERAL COURT ACTION...STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY Arguments by Mr. Pisanelli and Mr. Jones regarding the Motion. COURT ORDERED, as to Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims, claims have merit until final adjudication; as to alternative Motion to Stay, matter stayed; will reserve ruling on subject matter jurisdiction and defer to pending resolution of action in Federal Court; Status Check SET in ninety (90) days regarding stay as to federal action. Colloquy regarding stay of entire case in light of anticipated issues with discovery. Court stated counsel may file appropriate motion for stay on order shortening time with setting not less than ten (10) days for response. Court directed Mr. Pisanell prepare today's Motion order and circulate to counsel. As to today's Status Check, Mr. Reid advised the production outstanding of six months is promised next week. Court stated today's stay is not for purpose of the production. Mr. Gayan reviewed extensive search results, advised parties have agreed on certain terms and anticipates parties will meet and confer on issues. There being agreement, COURT ORDERED. Status Check matter CONTINUED to 12/4/19, CONTINUED TO: 12/4/19 9:00 AM STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY 2/19/20 9:00 AM STATUS CHECK: STAY FOR FEDERAL ACTION:

11/27/2019

Minute Order (9:42 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Motions re: Arbitration Award Minute Order - No Hearing Held;

Journal Entry Details:

At the prior hearing in the instant matter, the Court restated its intention to publish a decision by a minute order on Defendants, New+MEDIA Capital Group LLC; Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc. (The RJ), Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award, and the Plaintiff s, Las Vegas Sun, Inc., Countermotion to Confirm the Arbitration Award, in Part and to Vacate the Award in Part before November 28, 2019. The Court has reviewed the parties submissions and has finalized its decision and minute order. However, in light of the recent filing by the RJ seeking to stay all aspects of this case, the Court believes out of fairness it cannot publish its decision until after a hearing on the merits of the RJ s Motion to Stay is held. CLERK'S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.;

12/04/2019

Motion to Stay (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Emergency Motion to Stay Case And Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on Order Shortening Time Granted in Part;

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Status Check (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Status Check: Decision on Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award; Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award

Matter Heard;

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Opposition and Countermotion (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas ReviewJournal, Inc.'s Emergency Motion to Stay Case and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related
Motions on Order Shortening Time and Countermotion to Stay Defendants' Tenth, TwentySixth and Twenty-Seventh Affirmative Defenses (Redacted)

Decision Made;

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All Pending Motions (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Matter Heard;

Journal Entry Details:

APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, COO for Pltf. Las Vegas Sun, present. Representatives of Pltf. present: Brian Greenspun and Myra Greenspun. Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal. Representative of Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal, Keith Moyer, present. EWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC.'S EMERGENCY MOTION TO STAY CASE AND POSTPONE ACTION ON ARBITRATION-RELATED MOTIONS ON ORDER SHORTENING

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TIME...LAS VEGAS SUN, INC.'S OPPOSITION TO NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC.'S EMERGENCY MOTION TO STAY CASE AND POSTPONE ACTION ON ARBITRATION-RELATED MOTIONS ON ORDER SHORTENING TIME AND COUNTERMOTION TO STAY DEFENDANTS' TENTH, TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY-SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES (REDACTED)...STATUS CHECK: DECISION ON MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD; MOTION TO VACATE ARBITRATION AWARD...STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY Arguments by Mr. Jones and Mr. Pisanelli. COURT ORDERED, Motion GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART; DENIED as to issue with respect to decision on arbitration; will stay all other case matters. Prevailing party to submit the order. Court stated a minute order is anticipated today as to arbitration confirmation or vacation. Further stated will issue decision without prejudice as to sealing motions, maintaining status quo, subject to future briefing as discussed.;

12/04/2019

Minute Order (5:11 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Motions re Arbitration Award
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Journal Entry Details:

After a review and consideration of the points and authorities on file herein, the Court determined as follows: First, the Court will address collectively Defendant News + Media Capital Group, LLC s and the Review Journal s (Review Journal) Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award, and then Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc. s (LV Sun) Motion to confirm the Arbitration Award, in Part and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award in Part. The first issue raised by the Review Journal as the basis to vacate the Arbitrator's Award focused on whether the Arbitrator disregarded the plain language of the Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) by failing to subtract editorial expenses from revenues in order to calculate EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) for the purposes of determining the LV Sun's share of profits under the JOA. Under Nevada Law, [t]he party seeking to attack the validity of an arbitration award has the burden of proving, by clear and convincing evidence, the statutory or common-law ground relied upon for challenging the award. Washoe Cty. Sch. Dist. v. White, 133 Nev. 301, 303, 396 P.3d 834, 838 (2017) quoting Health Plan of Nev., Inc. v. Rainbow Med., LLC, 120 Nev. 689, 695, 100 P.3d 172, 176 (2004). Additionally, [t]here are two common-law grounds recognized in Nevada under which a court may review private binding arbitration award: (1) whether the award is arbitrary, capricious, or unsupported by the agreement; and (2) whether the arbitrator manifestly disregarded the law. Id. at 306. The Nevada Supreme Court explained the distinction between the two as: the former standard ensures that the arbitrator does not disregard the facts or the terms of the arbitration agreement, while the latter standard ensures that the arbitrator recognizes applicable law. Id. Moreover, [j]udicial inquiry under the manifest-disregard-of-the-law standard is extremely limited. Id. When a party seeks to vacate an arbitration award based on manifest disregard of the law, they must show more than a mere objection to the results of the arbitration. Id. Consequently, the Court s focus is not on whether the Arbitrator correctly interpreted the law, but whether the arbitrator, knowing the law and recognizing that the law required a particular result, simply disregarded the law. Id. In the instant action, the Arbitrator recognized the JOA s plain language, considered its EBITDA, and determined that under the JOA deductions should be calculated for editorial expenses. Thus, there appears to be, at a minimum, a colorable justification for the Arbitrator s findings on this issue. The Arbitrator concluded: The term Retention was very similar to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA). The prior (pre-2005) computation of Retention included Editorial Expenses of the RJ as allowable deductible expenses. On the other hand, a specific provision of the JOA (4.2), a provision which was new to the calculation in the 2005 JOA, specifically indicates that the RJ and Sun would each bear their own editorial costs meaning that the RJ would not, in keeping the books of the JOA, be permitted to deduct editorial expenses of the RJ in computing EBITDA of the JOA and the subsequent annual profits payments (if any) to the Sun. The weight of the evidence leads to the conclusion that the RJ has improperly deducted the RJ editorial expenses reducing the EBITDA of the JOA resulting in improperly low annual profits payments to the Sun. Arbitrator s Decision at page 5. Consequently, the Court finds that the Defendant Review Journal has failed to meet its burden by clear and convincing evidence that the Arbitrator manifestly disregarded the JOAs contract provisions as to the deduction of editorial expenses. Next, the Arbitrator focused on Section 5.1.4 of the JOA to determine the impact of promotional activities and expense on the EBITDA. After he weighed the evidence, he concluded that under his interpretation of Section 5.1.4 there was evidence of impermissible deductions. The Arbitrator noted: The weight of the evidence indicated that the RJ charged all promotional expenses to the JOA (both expenses that would be allowed as promotion of both the RJ and Sun in equal prominence and additional promotional activities expenses of the RJ only) resulting in lower EBITDA and

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payments to the Sun. There was not enough evidence presented in this matter to make a definitive damages calculation of wrongfully charged additional promotional activities expenses by the RJ. A crucial element of a breach of contract action is the proof of damages beyond speculation. Fortunately, the audit awarded in this matter could determine the damages (and additional profits payments due), if any, from the RJ s charging of all (both proper and additional) promotional expenses to the JOA EBITDA. It is the finding of this tribunal that additional promotional activities may not be included in the expenses charged to the JOA EBITDA. Arbitrator's Decision at page 6. In light of the Arbitrator's analysis and reliance of Section 5.1.4 of the JOA, the Court finds that there is not clear and convincing evidence that the Arbitrator manifestly disregarded the JOA s contract provisions as to promotional activities and expenses. Next, the Court reviews Defendant Review Journal's contentions that the Arbitrator exceeded his authority when he issued a two-page supplementary non-binding interpretation regarding the ordered audit. In determining the grounds for invalidating an arbitration award based on the assertion that an Arbitrator exceeded his authority, in Washoe, the Nevada Supreme Court noted: "The Nevada Arbitration Act provides specific grounds for invalidating an arbitration award. NRS 38.241(1)(d) dictates that a court shall vacate an arbitration award if the arbitrator exceeded his powers." Health Plan of Nev., Inc., 120 Nev. at 697, 100 P.3d at 178 (internal citation omitted). In particular, "[a]rbitrators exceed their powers when they address issues or make awards outside the scope of the governing contract." Id. "However, allegations that an arbitrator misinterpreted the agreement or made factual or legal errors do not support vacating an award as being in excess of the arbitrator's powers." Id. Moreover, "[a]rbitrators do not exceed their powers if their interpretation of an agreement, even if erroneous, is rationally grounded in the agreement." Id. at 698, 100 P.3d at 178. As such, "[t]he question is whether the arbitrator had the authority under the agreement to decide an issue, not whether the issue was correctly decided." Id. Therefore, "[a]n award should be enforced so long as the arbitrator is arguably construing or applying the contract" and "there is a colorable justification for the outcome." Id. Nonetheless, "[t]he deference accorded an arbitrator . . . is not limitless; he is not free to contradict the express language of the contract." Int l Ass'n of Firefighters, Local 1285 v. City of Las Vegas, 107 Nev. 906, 910, 823 P.2d 877, 879 (1991). Washoe, 133 Nev. at 304. It must be pointed out that Appendix D to the JOA provide that Plaintiff LV Sun has a right to a yearly audit as the Arbitrator noted: Appendix D to the JOA allowing for the Claimant to appoint an certified public accounting firm or law firm as Sun s representative to examine and audit the books and records of the Review-Journal and the other publications whose earnings are included in EBITDA for the purposes of verifying the determinations of the changes to the Annual Profit Payments (this provision has been referred to by both parties as audit). Respondent indicated that an audit has never been refused however the conduct of Respondent certainly has done just about everything possible to blunt, avoid, deter and postpone an audit. In accordance with the scope of this tribunal s authority, Claimant s request for an audit is granted. Claimant may undertake the audit for the periods covered by this award (December 15, 2015 through March 31, 2018) and forward per the declaratory relief granted. Respondent had requested that this award, if an audit be directed, limit the scope and/or party to conduct the audit. This award does not define the scope of the audit as part of the award as such specificity may be beyond the scope of the tribunal s authority. Arbitrator s Decision, page 6. In review of the Arbitrator s decision, the Arbitrator ordered an audit but recognized there is no provision for the creation of audit rules or guidelines in the JOA. Additionally, the Arbitrator noted that neither party requested any of audit rules or guidelines. It is clear in review of the Arbitrator's decision he was well aware of the limits of his authority and simply suggested a non-binding legal evaluation and recommendation as to the guideline for an audit. Thus, a non-binding legal opinion is not a sufficient basis to vacate an arbitration decision. Next, the Court has to consider whether the Arbitrator issued an Award that was arbitrary and capricious. Under Nevada law, a court's review of the arbitrary-and- capricious standard is limited to whether the arbitrator's findings are supported by substantial evidence in the record. Washoe, 133 Nev. at 308. Further, The arbitrary-and-capricious standard does not permit a reviewing court to vacate an arbitrator's award based on a misinterpretation of the law. Id. As this Court has already found, the Arbitrator based his rulings on his interpretations of the JOA. Under the facts of this case and the JOA, there is substantial evidence to support the Arbitrator's Award. Finally, although the Court has addressed the primary contested issues raised by Defendant Review Journal in its Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award, the Court will briefly address the issues raised by the LV Sun. After reviewing Section 5.1.4, the Arbitrator determined that House Ads were not additional promotional activities and expenses. The LV Sun argues that the Arbitrator's ruling is arbitrary and capricious and a manifest disregard of the law. Nonetheless, the Court finds that the Arbitrator did consider section 5.1.4 in relation to House Ads, and as a result the Court Affirms the Arbitrator's ruling. Additionally, after weighing the evidence in this matter, the Arbitrator denied the LV Sun s tortious breach claims. The Court again reiterates that its inquiry under the manifest-disregard-of-the law standard is extremely limited. Consequently, the Court will not reassess and weigh the evidence that the Arbitrator relied on to make his

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decision. It is clear to the Court that the Arbitrator understood that there is a distinction between contract and tort claims, and the unique nature of the covenant of good faith and fair dealing as it relates to contracts vs. torts. Further, the Arbitrator noted the sections of the JOA that the tort claims potentially applied. Although it s not set forth in detail how the Arbitrator evaluated the party s unique relationship, it appears he determined there was insufficient evidence of intentional conduct on this issue, and therefore, he found that the party s conduct does not qualify for tortious breach. Consequently, the Court cannot find that the Arbitrator manifestly disregarded the law or the JOA or that the decision was arbitrary and capricious. Also, the Arbitrator noted that both parties requested attorneys fees, costs, and the cost of arbitration; but, found that no provision in the JOA addressed awarding attorney s fees and costs in connection with this matter. Rather, the Arbitrator interpreted Appendix D of the JOA and found that Appendix D addressed the award of arbitration fees and costs. As a consequence, the Arbitrator awarded only fees and costs of the arbitration. Thus, the Court finds that the Arbitrator did consider the entire JOA and more specifically Appendix D to support his ruling. Accordingly, the Court Affirms the Arbitrator's ruling on costs and fees. Lastly, the LV Sun argues that the Arbitrator failed to enter a ruling on whether the Review Journal breached the JOA audit provision. However, the Arbitrator noted that while the Review Journal has done just about everything possible to blunt, avoid, deter and postpone an audit, yet he determined that the Review Journal has never refused to conduct an audit. Therefore, the Arbitrator simply ordered that an audit be conducted and this decision is affirmed. As a result of the foregoing, the Review Journal's Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award shall be DENIED. The LV Sun s Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part shall be GRANTED in Part and DENIED in Part. The LV Sun s motion is granted as to the request to confirm the Arbitration Award. The LV Sun s motion is denied as to all requests to vacate, modify, or correct the Arbitrator's Award. Lastly, the Review Journal's Conditional Countermotion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate the Award, in Part shall be GRANTED in Part and DENIED in Part. The Review Journal's countermotion is granted as to the request to confirm the Arbitration Award. The Review Journal's countermotion is denied as to the request to vacate the Arbitration Award. Lastly, in order to alleviate any potential misunderstanding in light of the confusing procedural posture of the pleadings and request for relief in this case, it is the Court's intention to AFFIRM the entire Arbitration Decision as written. Counsel for Plaintiff shall prepare a detailed Order, Findings of Facts, and Conclusions of Law, based not only on the foregoing Minute Order, but also on the record on file herein. This is to be submitted to adverse counsel for review and approval and/or submission of a competing Order or objections, prior to submitting to the Court for review and signature. CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.;

12/11/2019

CANCELED Motion to Modify or Dissolve TPO (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion to Modify Protective Order on Order Shortening Time

01/09/2020

CANCELED Pretrial/Calendar Call (10:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.) Vacated - per Stipulation and Order

01/10/2020

Minute Order (11:45 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Motions re: Sealing of Documents Minute Order - No Hearing Held;

Journal Entry Details:

On January 9, 2020, a stay was entered in this case. Therefore, the Court hereby vacates the pending motions under submission regarding sealing of documents. In the event of the stay being lifted, these matters will renew for consideration and decision. CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.;

01/22/2020

CANCELED Status Check (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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Status Check re Trial Readiness

01/27/2020

CANCELED Jury Trial (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Vacated - per Stipulation and Order

01/29/2020

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Motion for Leave (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

News+Media Capital Group LLC And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion For Leave To File Additional Briefing Requested By Court On Order Shortening Time Motion Granted;

Journal Entry Details:

Upon Court's inquiry as to federal action status, Mr. Gayan advised Motions to Dismiss fully briefed, hearings not set, his client moved to stay pending dismissal, conference report submitted, and there is a 2/4/20 hearing before Magistrate on stay issue and the report. Arguments by Mr. Gayan and Mr. Smith regarding the instant Motion. Court stated there appears jurisdiction on the issue. COURT ORDERED, Motion For Leave To File Additional Briefing Requested By Court GRANTED. Colloquy regarding briefing and hearing schedule as to sealing issue and modification of stipulated protective order. There being agreement, COURT FURTHER ORDERED, briefing and hearing as follows: Motion DUE 2/12/20; Opposition DUE 2/26/20; Reply DUE 3/4/20; Hearing SET 3/11/20. Court directed Mr. Gayan to prepare today's order. COURT FURTHER ORDERED, 2/19/20 Status Check matters VACATED. 3/11/20 9:30 AM HEARING ON SEALING AND MODIFICATION ISSUE CLERK'S NOTE: Subsequent to proceedings, Court hereby clarifies as to the briefing there will be no strict page number limit; parties are to follow customary limit pursuant to the Rules. This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.;

02/05/2020

CANCELED Motion for Leave (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Vacated

Plaintiff/Counter Defendant - Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 7 and 9 to Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims or, Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action and References Thereto

02/05/2020

CANCELED Motion for Protective Order (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Vacated

Motion for Protective Order Staying Discovery Pending Resolution of Sun's Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims, or Alternatively, to Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action

02/05/2020

CANCELED Motion to Seal/Redact Records (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Vacated

Motion for Leave to File Documents Under Seal [Exhibits 5, 7, and 9 to Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Opposition to Defendants' Emergency Motion to Stay Case and Postpone Action on Arbitration-Related Motions on OST and References Thereto]

02/05/2020

CANCELED Opposition and Countermotion (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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News+Media Capital Group LLC's And Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s (1) Opposition To Plaintiff's Motion For Protective Order Staying Discovery Pending Resolution Of Sun's Motion To Dismiss Counterclaims, Or Alternatively, To Stay Counterclaims Pending Federal Court Action, And In The Alternative, (2) Countermotion To Stay All Discovery

02/19/2020

CANCELED Status Check (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Vacated

Status Check: Stay for Federal Action/Rescheduling Motions from 2/5/20 vacated per stay

02/19/2020

CANCELED Status Check (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Vacated

Status Check: Decision on Pending Motions re Sealing of Documents

03/11/2020

Hearing (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Hearing on Sealing and Modification Issue (Confirming 6/15/20 Trial date) Supplemental Briefing Due;

Journal Entry Details:

Court noted case stayed. COURT ORDERED, Trial dates VACATED. Arguments and discussion by counsel regarding sealing issues with respect to the private arbitration. Colloquy regarding supplemental briefing on specific items in dispute and whether to submit under seal. Ms. Martini advised objection to request to seal the briefs by Mr. Jones. Court

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directed briefs to be submitted under seal. COURT ORDERED, supplemental brief from Pltf. DUE 3/25/20; responsive supplemental brief from Defense DUE 4/8/20; Chambers hearing SET 4/15/20. 4/15/20 CHAMBERS DECISION: SEALING AND MODIFICATION ISSUE;

03/12/2020

Minute Order (3:21 PM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

re: 3/18/20 Hearing

Minute Order - No Hearing Held;

Journal Entry Details:

As a precautionary measure in light of public health concerns with respect to Coronavirus CoVID-19, this Court orders that any party intending to appear before Department 16 for law and motion matters between now and April 30, 2020 do so by Court-approved telephonic means only. As a result, your matter scheduled Tuesday, March 18, 2020 in this case will be held telephonically via CourtCall. You are hereby requested to make arrangements with CourtCall if you intend to participate that day. Please refer to Department 16's guidelines with regard to CourtCall scheduling: "Department 16 utilizes CourtCall for telephonic appearances. Please contact CourtCall for approved appearances and to schedule. They can be reached toll-free at 1-888-882-6878 and/or on-line at www.courtcall.com no later than one judicial day preceding your hearing date. Please note, all witnesses appearing telephonically must have ... court-approved notary and/or official present on their end to swear them in." If you have questions or concerns with respect to your matter and this interim telephonic requirement, please contact JEA Lynn Berkheimer. CLERK'S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.;

03/18/2020

Motion (10:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC's And Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion To Approve Alternate Security And Stay Execution On Judgment Pending Appeal On Order Shortening Time

04/08/2020

Motion for Leave (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC's And Defendant/Counterclaimant Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion For Leave To File Under Seal (Exhibits 9-10 To Reply In Support Of Motion To Seal All Materials Generated In The Private Arbitration)

04/09/2020

Status Check (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Internal Status Check: Receipt of Supplemental Briefs on Sealing and Modification Issue; UA thereafter

04/15/2020

Decision (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

Chambers Decision: Sealing and Modification Issue

04/23/2020

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05/06/2020

CANCELED Status Check: Trial Readiness (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy

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05/11/2020

CANCELED Jury Trial (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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05/28/2020

CANCELED Pretrial/Calendar Call (10:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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06/15/2020

CANCELED Jury Trial (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Williams, Timothy C.)

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Counter Claimant Las Vegas Review-Journal Inc Total Charges Total Payments and Credits Balance Due as of 3/17/2020

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Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC Total Charges Total Payments and Credits Balance Due as of 3/17/2020	2,033.00 2,033.00 0.00
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Defendant News+Media Capital Group LLC Appeal Bond Balance as of 3/17/2020	500.00
Counter Defendant Las Vegas Sun Inc Appeal Bond Balance as of 3/17/2020	500.00

BUSINESS COURT CIVIL COVER SHEET

Case No. County, Nevada

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(Assigned by Clerk's Office) I. Party Information (provide both home and mailing addresses if different)							
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Commercial Instrument	Writ of Mandamus		Trademark/Trade Name (NRS 600)				
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April 9, 2018

Date

Signature of initiating party or representative

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On January 28, 2020, this Court entered its Findings of Facts, Conclusions of Law, and Order Affirming the Arbitration Award, which, *inter alia*, confirmed the arbitrator's award of \$1,662,720 in damages on Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc.'s Third Claim for Relief (Breach of Contract—Editorial Costs: Section 4.2 and Related Provisions), and \$261,459.94 of simple interest on this damages award through January 28, 2020, against Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC's and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a "Judgment" was entered on February 18, 2020. A copy of	
the Judgment is attached hereto.	
DATED this 18th day of February, 2020.	
By: /s/ Kristen L. Martini	
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Nevada Rule of Civil Procedure 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of LEWIS ROCA ROTHGERBER CHRISTIE LLP, and that on this date, I caused the foregoing **NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT** to be served by electronically filing the foregoing with the Odyssey electronic filing system, which will send notice of electronic filing to the following:

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vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

August 22, 2018

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Recusal

HEARD BY: Denton, Mark R. **COURTROOM:** Chambers

COURT CLERK: April Watkins

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- GIVEN the Court's previous professional relationship with one of the parties and its previous professional and long-time personal friendship with principals of the same, and to avoid the appearance of impropriety, the Court RECUSES from further involvement in this case and directs that it be reassigned to another Business Court Department. CANON 2, Rule 2.11, Commentary [1].

IT IS SO ORDERED.

CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order was electronically served by Courtroom Clerk, April Watkins, to all registered parties for Odyssey File & serve. aw

PRINT DATE: 03/17/2020 Page 1 of 36 Minutes Date: August 22, 2018

COURT MINUTES

October 24, 2018

A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

Other Business Court Matters

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

October 24, 2018 9:00 AM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Dana J. Tavaglione

PARTIES

PRESENT: Martini, Kristen L. Attorney

Pocker, Richard J. Attorney Reid, Leif Attorney

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- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, representative of Las Vegas Sun, present.

DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS...PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION

Arguments by counsel on Motions. Court stated ITS FINDINGS and ORDERED, Motion to Dismiss DENIED; Motion to Compel GRANTED. Pltf. to prepare order and circulate to counsel.

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Other Business Court Matters

COURT MINUTES

December 04, 2018

A-18-772591-B

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

December 04, 2018

9:00 AM

Motion

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C.

COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT:

Martini, Kristen L. Attorney

Pocker, Richard J.

Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, representative of Las Vegas Sun, present.

Matter of Motion to Extend Deadline for the Filing of Defendants Response to Plaintiffs Motion for Partial Summary Judgment and to Vacate and Reschedule Hearing on Order Shortening Time (First Request).

Arguments by counsel. Colloquy regarding possible continuance of all pending matters and scheduling briefing. COURT ORDERED, Motion GRANTED; Response to Motion for Partial Summary Judgment DUE 12/10/18; Reply thereto DUE 12/17/18 by 12:00 p.m. COURT FURTHER ORDERED, following matters CONTINUED: Pltf's Motion for Partial Summary Judgment and Defts' Motion for Reconsideration on Order Shortening Time.

CONTINUED TO: 12/19/18 1:15 P.M.

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COURT MINUTES

December 19, 2018

A-18-772591-B

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

December 19, 2018

1:15 PM

All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C.

Other Business Court Matters

COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Martini, Kristen L.

Attorney

Pocker, Richard J.

Attorney

Reid, Leif

Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Nicole Scott, Esq. present for Pltf. Las Vegas Sun. Representatives of Las Vegas Sun present: Brian Greenspun, Myra Greenspun, and Robert Cauthorn, present.

DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF COURT'S ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL ARBITRATION AND DENYING DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS, AND REQUEST FOR STAY ON ORDER SHORTENING TIME Arguments by counsel. COURT ORDERED, Motion DENIED; Ms. Martini to prepare detailed amended order within a week.

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PARTIAL SUMMARY JUDGMENT FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF AND BREACH OF CONTRACT/SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE

Arguments by counsel. Court advised decision forthcoming within a week.

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

February 04, 2019 8:13 AM Minute Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. COURTROOM: Chambers

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- After a review and consideration of the points and authorities on file herein, and the argument of counsel, the Court determined as follows:

The Court has reviewed the issues raised by Plaintiff, Las Vegas, Sun, Inc. (LVS) in its Motion for Partial Summary Judgment for Declaratory Relief and Breach of Contract/Specific Performance (First and Fourth Claims for Relief).

It is clear that the Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) is binding and controls the contractual relationship as to LVS and the News+Media Capital Group, LLC. (News-Media). However, issues as to whether there is a material breach of Section 5.1 and Appendices A and B of the JOA by Defendant, News-Media are questions of fact and not the proper basis to support granting summary judgment at this time. Additionally, the remedy of specific performance is only available as an alternative claim to monetary damage where the remedy at law is inadequate. It is premature at this time to reach such a conclusion. Ultimately, the Court anticipates that all issues of compliance and/or breach of Section 5.1 and Appendices A and B of the JOA will require expert testimony to assist the trier of fact in reaching their decision in this matter.

Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff LVS s Motion for Partial Summary Judgment for Declaratory Relief

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and Breach of Contract for Specific Performance (First and Fourth Claims for Relief) shall be DENIED.

Counsel for News-Media shall prepare a detailed Order, Findings of Facts, and Conclusions of Law, based not only on the foregoing Minute Order, but also on the record on file herein. This is to be submitted to adverse counsel for review and approval and/or submission of a competing Order or objections, prior to submitting to the Court for review and signature.

CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.

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COURT MINUTES

April 03, 2019

A-18-772591-B

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

April 03, 2019

9:15 AM

Mandatory Rule 16

Conference

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C.

COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

Other Business Court Matters

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT: Levin, Akke Attorney Attorney

Martini, Kristen L.

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Matter of Mandatory Discovery Conference. Ms. Martini advised related arbitration begins 4/15/19 and concludes 4/26/19. Colloquy regarding impact of the arbitration as to discovery proceeding in this case and claims anticipated for trial. Court stated 2 weeks to be set aside for trial. As to witnesses, Ms. Martini advised 13 total which accounts for 3 duplicates. Ms. Levin advised a confidentiality and protective order and ESI to be negotiated. There being agreement, COURT ORDERED, Trial dates SET; Close of Discovery SET 9/27/19. Department to issue scheduling order.

1/9/20 10:30 AM PRETRIAL/CALENDAR CALL

1/27/20 9:30 AM BENCH TRIAL

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

August 21, 2019 9:00 AM Motion for Protective See 9/4/19 Minute

Order Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Jones, Jon Randall Attorney

Levin, Akke Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Scott, Nicole Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Benjamin Lipman, Esq. also present as General Counsel for Las Vegas Review-Journal.

Matter of Review-Journal's Motion for Protective Order and Objections Under NRCP 45. Mr. Jones argued for opportunity for review and privilege log, and for expansive view as to a representative. Ms. Martini proposed monthly case management conferences and argued burden not met as to whether fact witness at issue covered. Court stated decision to issue next week by way of Minute Order. Colloquy regarding proposed monthly conferences. Court stated if efforts to resolve issue discussed are unsuccessful, Court will entertain motion on order shortening time from Ms. Martini.

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

September 04, 2019 12:12 AM Minute Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. COURTROOM: Chambers

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- After review and consideration of the arguments of counsel and the moving papers on file herein, the Court determined as follows:

Upon reflection, the Court has considered Defendant News+Media Capital Group, LLC and Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc. s (Collectively the R.J.s.) Motion for a Protective Order as it relates to Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc. s (LV Sun) Notice of Subpoena Duces Tecum regarding the files of J. Ford Huffman. According to the declaration of Keith Moyer dated August 14, 2019, Mr. Huffman was retained to perform two functions. The first task was to assist R.J. employees and managers in the redesign of the newspaper, including the LV Sun insert portion of the newspaper. Mr. Huffman also consulted with and assisted the R.J. as a litigation consultant in responding to the LV Sun s Motion for Summary Judgment. The Court is well aware of positions asserted by the parties and would probably be required to conduct an evidentiary hearing to determine if Mr. Huffman's role in assisting the R.J. rose to the level of functional equivalent of an employee and thus subject to attorney client privilege. Additionally, Defendant R.J. alleges that Mr. Huffman was retained as a litigation consultant resulting in the application of the work product doctrine. Considering the totality of the arguments presented, without a more developed record, it is uncertain as to whether the functional equivalent doctrine applies at this time. However, it is patently apparent that Mr. Huffman has been retained by Defendant R.J. in the dual capacity to work on the newspaper redesign and as a litigation

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consultant. As a result of Mr. Huffman's dual capacity, the Court will take a cautious approach to the production of documents in Mr. Huffman's possession. In order to prevent the inadvertent disclosure of privileged documents, the Court feels that in order to save time and expedite discovery in this matter and without the necessity of an evidentiary hearing, the Court shall require Mr. Huffman to supply all documents in his possession to Defendant R.J., who then shall be required to prepare a privilege log identifying all documents with particularity and assert the basis, if any for privileged documents for the record. The privileged log shall be prepared and exchanged by counsel within ten days from entry of this Court's order. In addition, the Court shall set a status check on 10/16/2019 at 9:00AM to expedite the discovery and to address the applicability of any asserted privileges. Consequently, Defendant R.J. s Motion for Protective Order shall be Granted in Part as to potential work product privileged based on work as a litigation consultant and Denied in Part as to the functional equivalent employer classifications.

Counsel for Defendant R.J. shall prepare a detailed Order, Findings of Facts, and Conclusions of Law, based not only on the foregoing Minute Order, but also on the record on file herein. This is to be submitted to adverse counsel for review and approval and/or submission of a competing Order or objections, prior to submitting to the Court for review and signature.

CLERK'S NOTE: The above Minute Order has been corrected with regards to the status check date as was brought to the Court's attention. The initial 10/4/19 setting was a date on which the Court is unavailable; the correct status check date is 10/16/19 at 9:00 a.m. as reflected above. This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile. /cd 9-26-19/

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September 25, 2019

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Other Business Court Matters

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

September 25, 2019 9:00 AM Motion for Leave

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Scott, Nicole Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Representatives of Pltf. present: Brian Greenspun, Myra Greenspun, and Amy Greenspun. Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal. Attorney David Singer, Pro Hac pending, present for Defts.

Matter of Defendants News+Media Capital Group LLC and Las Vegas Review-Journal, Inc.'s Motion for Leave to Amend Answer and Assert Counterclaim on Order Shortening Time. Mr. Jones requested pending Motions to Associate Counsel David Singer, Amy Gallegos, and Richard Stone be granted. Mr. Reid advised no opposition to the Motions. COURT ORDERED, Motions to Associate Counsel GRANTED. Arguments by Mr. Jones and Mr. Pisanelli regarding Motion for Leave. COURT ORDERED, Motion for Leave GRANTED; no rights have been waived. Mr. Jones advised will prepare the order and circulate to counsel.

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

October 22, 2019 1:30 PM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Scott, Nicole Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney
Stone, Richard L. Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal.

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART...DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO VACATE ARBITRATION AWARD

Argument by Mr. Reid. CONFERENCE AT BENCH. Arguments by Mr. Reid and Mr. Jones. Mr. Jones provided document for Court's review. Colloquy regarding scheduling other pending matters from today. As to the Arbitration Motions, Court stated will issue decision after review of issues regarding exceeding powers, common law, sufficient evidence, and manifest disregard. COURT

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ORDERED, outstanding pending matters from today CONTINUED.

CONTINUED TO: 10/31/19 1:00 PM PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD...DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO MOTION TO VACATE...PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND ANSWER AND ASSERT COUNTERCLAIM...PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS...STATUS CHECK: EXPEDITED DISCOVERY AND APPLICABILITY OF ASSERTED PRIVILEGES

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COURT MINUTES

October 31, 2019

A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

October 31, 2019 1:00 PM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

Other Business Court Matters

PARTIES

PRESENT: Jones, Jon Randall Attorney

Kaveh, Mona Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

Arguments by Ms. Martini and Mr. Jones. COURT ORDERED, Motion GRANTED; documents must be provided; no sanctions at this time in light of third-party issues. Colloquy regarding a status check as to outstanding issues and electronically stored information ("ESI"). COURT FURTHER ORDERED, Status Check regarding same SET for time of 11/6/19 matters hearing.

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD...PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL AS TO OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND ANSWER AND ASSERT COUNTERCLAIM...DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL

Arguments by Mr. Smith and Mr. Jones. Discussion regarding an appendix with tabs for submission

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of the Motions. Court directed the supplement delivered by Monday next week for a decision.

STATUS CHECK: EXPEDITED DISCOVERY AND APPLICABILITY OF ASSERTED PRIVILEGES Court noted matter previously addressed.

11/4/19 3:00 AM (CHAMBERS) STATUS CHECK: SUPPLEMENT TO MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL

11/6/19 9:00 AM STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESI

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s) vs.

November 06, 2019 9:00 AM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Kaveh, Mona Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Scott, Nicole Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, COO of Las Vegas Sun, also present.

DEFENDANTS MOTION TO SEAL OPPOSITION AND EXHIBITS A-K...MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL [THE SUN'S OPPOSITION AND EXHIBITS TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO VACATE ARBITRATION AWARD]

Arguments by Mr. Smith and Mr. Jones. Court stated will review matters and issue detailed minute order shortly. Court further stated records at issue remain in their current state until time of the order. Colloquy regarding supplementation provided today by counsel as relates to forthcoming decision on sealing Motions. Court stated it sought documents Arbitrator was relying upon, namely, the joint operating agreements. Court also stated no preclusion from supplementing the matter further. Mr. Gayan advised will provide a supplement by tomorrow or Friday.

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PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND COMPLAINT...DEFENDANTS' (1) LIMITED OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND COMPLAINT AND (2) COUNTERMOTION TO CONTINUE TRIAL

Arguments by Mr. Reid and Mr. Jones. COURT ORDERED, Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint GRANTED. Prevailing party to prepare the order. Discussion and argument by counsel regarding Countermotion to Continue Trial in light of two new claims. As to the Countermotion, COURT FURTHER ORDERED, case schedule as follows: Initial Experts 1/20/20; Rebuttal Experts 2/19/20; Close of Discovery 4/20/20; Dispositive Motions 5/18/20; Trial 6/15/20. Department to issue amended trial order.

STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESI...DEFENDANTS NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW JOURNAL, INC'S OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND CONDITIONAL COUNTERMOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE THE AWARD, IN PART

Colloquy regarding rescheduling remaining matters from today as well as 11/13/19 matters. COURT ORDERED, today's pending matters CONTINUED to 11/12/19 afternoon; 11/13/19 matters RESET to same 11/12/19 session.

CONTINUED TO: 11/12/19 1:15 PM STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESI...DEFENDANTS NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW JOURNAL, INC'S OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND CONDITIONAL COUNTERMOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE THE AWARD, IN PART

11/12/19 1:15 PM DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL...MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL [EXHIBITS 3-6 TO REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND REFERENCES THERETO]

5/28/20 10:30 AM PRETRIAL/CALENDAR CALL

6/15/20 9:30 AM JURY TRIAL

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Other Business Court Matters

COURT MINUTES

November 12, 2019

A-18-772591-B

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

November 12, 2019 1:15 PM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Dana J. Tavaglione

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Scott, Nicole Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL [EXHIBITS 3-6 TO REPLY TO OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR, ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND REFERENCES THERETO]...DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL.

Matters submitted. Court stated will decide all seal issues together and notify counsel if assistance needed.

DEFENDANTS NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW JOURNAL, INC'S OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE OR ALTERNATIVELY, MODIFY OR CORRECT THE AWARD, IN PART, AND CONDITIONAL COUNTERMOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD, IN PART, AND TO VACATE THE AWARD, IN PART

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Mr. Gayan presented binder of materials for Court's review. Court noted receipt of materials needed for decision on the confirmation or vacate matter; decision anticipated before Thanksgiving Holiday.

STATUS CHECK: OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY AND ESI

Mr. Reid advised Ms. Martini unable to attend due to health issue. Mr. Gayan reviewed history of issues with vendor, the rational review, and custodians. Upon inquiry by Mr. Reid as to prior production compelled, Mr. Gayan advised will provide within two (2) weeks and earlier if possible. Court so noted. Discussion and arguments by counsel regarding custodians, search terms with respect to those involved in redesign, and second set of outstanding discovery. Mr. Jones presented documents for Court's review. Mr. Jones advised will perform search as discussed. Colloquy regarding special setting for results of ESI search and related issues as well as the Motion to Dismiss previously set 11/20. COURT ORDERED, Motion to Dismiss REST from 11/20/19 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.; Status Check SET 11/20/19 at 10:00 a.m. as to the ESI search, custodian issues, and second set of outstanding discovery. Mr. Reid advised will prepare order from today's hearing.

11/20/19 10:00 AM STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY

CONTINUED TO: 11/20/19 10:00 AM MOTION TO DISMISS COUNTERCLAIMS OR, ALTERNATIVELY, TO STAY COUNTERCLAIMS PENDING FEDERAL COURT ACTION

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

November 20, 2019 10:00 AM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Scott, Nicole Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney
Stone, Richard L. Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review Journal.

MOTION TO DISMISS COUNTERCLAIMS OR, ALTERNATIVELY, TO STAY COUNTERCLAIMS PENDING FEDERAL COURT ACTION...STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY

Arguments by Mr. Pisanelli and Mr. Jones regarding the Motion. COURT ORDERED, as to Motion to Dismiss Counterclaims, claims have merit until final adjudication; as to alternative Motion to Stay, matter stayed; will reserve ruling on subject matter jurisdiction and defer to pending resolution of action in Federal Court; Status Check SET in ninety (90) days regarding stay as to federal action. Colloquy regarding stay of entire case in light of anticipated issues with discovery. Court stated

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counsel may file appropriate motion for stay on order shortening time with setting not less than ten (10) days for response. Court directed Mr. Pisanell prepare today's Motion order and circulate to counsel. As to today's Status Check, Mr. Reid advised the production outstanding of six months is promised next week. Court stated today's stay is not for purpose of the production. Mr. Gayan reviewed extensive search results, advised parties have agreed on certain terms and anticipates parties will meet and confer on issues. There being agreement, COURT ORDERED, Status Check matter CONTINUED to 12/4/19.

CONTINUED TO: 12/4/19 9:00 AM STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY

2/19/20 9:00 AM STATUS CHECK: STAY FOR FEDERAL ACTION

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

November 27, 2019 9:42 AM Minute Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. COURTROOM: Chambers

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- At the prior hearing in the instant matter, the Court restated its intention to publish a decision by a minute order on Defendants , New+MEDIA Capital Group LLC; Las Vegas Review Journal, Inc. (The RJ), Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award, and the Plaintiff s, Las Vegas Sun, Inc., Countermotion to Confirm the Arbitration Award, in Part and to Vacate the Award in Part before November 28, 2019. The Court has reviewed the parties submissions and has finalized its decision and minute order. However, in light of the recent filing by the RJ seeking to stay all aspects of this case, the Court believes out of fairness it cannot publish its decision until after a hearing on the merits of the RJ s Motion to Stay is held.

CLERK'S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

December 04, 2019 9:30 AM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Singer, David R. Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- APPEARANCES CONTINUED: Robert Cauthorn, COO for Pltf. Las Vegas Sun, present. Representatives of Pltf. present: Brian Greenspun and Myra Greenspun. Benjamin Lipman, Esq. present as General Counsel for Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal. Representative of Deft. Las Vegas Review-Journal, Keith Moyer, present.

EWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC.'S EMERGENCY MOTION TO STAY CASE AND POSTPONE ACTION ON ARBITRATION-RELATED MOTIONS ON ORDER SHORTENING TIME...LAS VEGAS SUN, INC.'S OPPOSITION TO NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP LLC AND LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC.'S EMERGENCY MOTION TO STAY CASE AND POSTPONE ACTION ON ARBITRATION-RELATED MOTIONS ON ORDER SHORTENING TIME AND COUNTERMOTION TO STAY DEFENDANTS' TENTH, TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY-SEVENTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES (REDACTED)...STATUS CHECK:

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DECISION ON MOTION TO CONFIRM ARBITRATION AWARD; MOTION TO VACATE ARBITRATION AWARD...STATUS CHECK: RESULTS OF ESI SEARCH/CUSTODIAN ISSUES/SECOND SET OF OUTSTANDING DISCOVERY

Arguments by Mr. Jones and Mr. Pisanelli. COURT ORDERED, Motion GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART; DENIED as to issue with respect to decision on arbitration; will stay all other case matters. Prevailing party to submit the order. Court stated a minute order is anticipated today as to arbitration confirmation or vacation. Further stated will issue decision without prejudice as to sealing motions, maintaining status quo, subject to future briefing as discussed.

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

December 04, 2019 5:11 PM Minute Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. COURTROOM: Chambers

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- After a review and consideration of the points and authorities on file herein, the Court determined as follows:

First, the Court will address collectively Defendant News + Media Capital Group, LLC s and the Review Journal s (Review Journal) Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award, and then Plaintiff Las Vegas Sun, Inc. s (LV Sun) Motion to confirm the Arbitration Award, in Part and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award in Part.

The first issue raised by the Review Journal as the basis to vacate the Arbitrator's Award, focused on whether the Arbitrator disregarded the plain language of the Joint Operating Agreement (JOA) by failing to subtract editorial expenses from revenues in order to calculate EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization) for the purposes of determining the LV Sun's share of profits under the JOA.

Under Nevada Law, [t]he party seeking to attack the validity of an arbitration award has the burden of proving, by clear and convincing evidence, the statutory or common-law ground relied upon for challenging the award. Washoe Cty. Sch. Dist. v. White, 133 Nev. 301, 303, 396 P.3d 834, 838 (2017) quoting Health Plan of Nev., Inc. v. Rainbow Med., LLC, 120 Nev. 689, 695, 100 P.3d 172, 176 (2004).

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Additionally, [t]here are two common-law grounds recognized in Nevada under which a court may review private binding arbitration award: (1) whether the award is arbitrary, capricious, or unsupported by the agreement; and (2) whether the arbitrator manifestly disregarded the law. Id. at 306. The Nevada Supreme Court explained the distinction between the two as: the former standard ensures that the arbitrator does not disregard the facts or the terms of the arbitration agreement, while the latter standard ensures that the arbitrator recognizes applicable law. Id.

Moreover, [j]udicial inquiry under the manifest-disregard-of-the-law standard is extremely limited. Id. When a party seeks to vacate an arbitration award based on manifest disregard of the law, they must show more than a mere objection to the results of the arbitration. Id. Consequently, the Court s focus is not on whether the Arbitrator correctly interpreted the law, but whether the arbitrator, knowing the law and recognizing that the law required a particular result, simply disregarded the law. Id.

In the instant action, the Arbitrator recognized the JOA s plain language, considered its EBITDA, and determined that under the JOA deductions should be calculated for editorial expenses. Thus, there appears to be, at a minimum, a colorable justification for the Arbitrator's findings on this issue. The Arbitrator concluded:

The term Retention was very similar to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA). The prior (pre-2005) computation of Retention included Editorial Expenses of the RJ as allowable deductible expenses. On the other hand, a specific provision of the JOA (4.2), a provision which was new to the calculation in the 2005 JOA, specifically indicates that the RJ and Sun would each bear their own editorial costs meaning that the RJ would not, in keeping the books of the JOA, be permitted to deduct editorial expenses of the RJ in computing EBITDA of the JOA and the subsequent annual profits payments (if any) to the Sun. The weight of the evidence leads to the conclusion that the RJ has improperly deducted the RJ editorial expenses reducing the EBITDA of the JOA resulting in improperly low annual profits payments to the Sun.

Arbitrator s Decision at page 5.

Consequently, the Court finds that the Defendant Review Journal has failed to meet its burden by clear and convincing evidence that the Arbitrator manifestly disregarded the JOA's contract provisions as to the deduction of editorial expenses.

Next, the Arbitrator focused on Section 5.1.4 of the JOA to determine the impact of promotional activities and expense on the EBITDA. After he weighed the evidence, he concluded that under his interpretation of Section 5.1.4 there was evidence of impermissible deductions. The Arbitrator noted:

The weight of the evidence indicated that the RJ charged all promotional expenses to the JOA (both expenses that would be allowed as promotion of both the RJ and Sun in equal prominence and additional promotional activities expenses of the RJ only) resulting in lower EBITDA and payments

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to the Sun. There was not enough evidence presented in this matter to make a definitive damages calculation of wrongfully charged additional promotional activities expenses by the RJ. A crucial element of a breach of contract action is the proof of damages beyond speculation. Fortunately, the audit awarded in this matter could determine the damages (and additional profits payments due), if any, from the RJ s charging of all (both proper and additional) promotional expenses to the JOA EBITDA. It is the finding of this tribunal that additional promotional activities may not be included in the expenses charged to the JOA EBITDA.

Arbitrator s Decision at page 6.

In light of the Arbitrator's analysis and reliance of Section 5.1.4 of the JOA, the Court finds that there is not clear and convincing evidence that the Arbitrator manifestly disregarded the JOA's contract provisions as to promotional activities and expenses.

Next, the Court reviews Defendant Review Journal's contentions that the Arbitrator exceeded his authority when he issued a two-page supplementary non-binding interpretation regarding the ordered audit.

In determining the grounds for invalidating an arbitration award based on the assertion that an Arbitrator exceeded his authority, in Washoe, the Nevada Supreme Court noted:

"The Nevada Arbitration Act provides specific grounds for invalidating an arbitration award. NRS 38.241(1)(d) dictates that a court shall vacate an arbitration award if the arbitrator exceeded his powers." Health Plan of Nev., Inc., 120 Nev. at 697, 100 P.3d at 178 (internal citation omitted). In particular, "[a]rbitrators exceed their powers when they address issues or make awards outside the scope of the governing contract." Id. "However, allegations that an arbitrator misinterpreted the agreement or made factual or legal errors do not support vacating an award as being in excess of the arbitrator's powers." Id. Moreover, "[a]rbitrators do not exceed their powers if their interpretation of an agreement, even if erroneous, is rationally grounded in the agreement." Id. at 698, 100 P.3d at 178. As such, "[t]he question is whether the arbitrator had the authority under the agreement to decide an issue, not whether the issue was correctly decided." Id. Therefore, "[a]n award should be enforced so long as the arbitrator is arguably construing or applying the contract" and "there is a colorable justification for the outcome." Id. Nonetheless, "[t]he deference accorded an arbitrator . . . is not limitless; he is not free to contradict the express language of the contract." Int l Ass'n of Firefighters, Local 1285 v. City of Las Vegas, 107 Nev. 906, 910, 823 P.2d 877, 879 (1991).

Washoe, 133 Nev. at 304.

It must be pointed out that Appendix D to the JOA provide that Plaintiff LV Sun has a right to a yearly audit as the Arbitrator noted:

Appendix D to the JOA allowing for the Claimant to appoint an certified public accounting firm or law firm as Sun's representative to examine and audit the books and records of the Review-Journal

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and the other publications whose earnings are included in EBITDA for the purposes of verifying the determinations of the changes to the Annual Profit Payments (this provision has been referred to by both parties as audit). Respondent indicated that an audit has never been refused however the conduct of Respondent certainly has done just about everything possible to blunt, avoid, deter and postpone an audit. In accordance with the scope of this tribunal s authority, Claimant s request for an audit is granted. Claimant may undertake the audit for the periods covered by this award (December 15, 2015 through March 31, 2018) and forward per the declaratory relief granted. Respondent had requested that this award, if an audit be directed, limit the scope and/or party to conduct the audit. This award does not define the scope of the audit as part of the award as such specificity may be beyond the scope of the tribunal s authority. Arbitrator s Decision, page 6.

In review of the Arbitrator's decision, the Arbitrator ordered an audit but recognized there is no provision for the creation of audit rules or guidelines in the JOA. Additionally, the Arbitrator noted that neither party requested any of audit rules or guidelines. It is clear in review of the Arbitrator's decision he was well aware of the limits of his authority and simply suggested a non-binding legal evaluation and recommendation as to the guideline for an audit. Thus, a non-binding legal opinion is not a sufficient basis to vacate an arbitration decision.

Next, the Court has to consider whether the Arbitrator issued an Award that was arbitrary and capricious. Under Nevada law, a court's review of the arbitrary-and- capricious standard is limited to whether the arbitrator's findings are supported by substantial evidence in the record. Washoe, 133 Nev. at 308. Further, The arbitrary-and-capricious standard does not permit a reviewing court to vacate an arbitrator's award based on a misinterpretation of the law. Id.

As this Court has already found, the Arbitrator based his rulings on his interpretations of the JOA. Under the facts of this case and the JOA, there is substantial evidence to support the Arbitrator's Award.

Finally, although the Court has addressed the primary contested issues raised by Defendant Review Journal in its Motion to Vacate the Arbitration Award, the Court will briefly address the issues raised by the LV Sun.

After reviewing Section 5.1.4, the Arbitrator determined that House Ads were not additional promotional activities and expenses. The LV Sun argues that the Arbitrator's ruling is arbitrary and capricious and a manifest disregard of the law. Nonetheless, the Court finds that the Arbitrator did consider section 5.1.4 in relation to House Ads, and as a result the Court Affirms the Arbitrator's ruling.

Additionally, after weighing the evidence in this matter, the Arbitrator denied the LV Sun s tortious breach claims. The Court again reiterates that its inquiry under the manifest-disregard-of-the law standard is extremely limited. Consequently, the Court will not reassess and weigh the evidence that the Arbitrator relied on to make his decision. It is clear to the Court that the Arbitrator understood

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that there is a distinction between contract and tort claims, and the unique nature of the covenant of good faith and fair dealing as it relates to contracts vs. torts. Further, the Arbitrator noted the sections of the JOA that the tort claims potentially applied. Although it s not set forth in detail how the Arbitrator evaluated the party s unique relationship, it appears he determined there was insufficient evidence of intentional conduct on this issue, and therefore, he found that the party s conduct does not qualify for tortious breach. Consequently, the Court cannot find that the Arbitrator manifestly disregarded the law or the JOA or that the decision was arbitrary and capricious.

Also, the Arbitrator noted that both parties requested attorneys fees, costs, and the cost of arbitration; but, found that no provision in the JOA addressed awarding attorney s fees and costs in connection with this matter. Rather, the Arbitrator interpreted Appendix D of the JOA and found that Appendix D addressed the award of arbitration fees and costs. As a consequence, the Arbitrator awarded only fees and costs of the arbitration. Thus, the Court finds that the Arbitrator did consider the entire JOA and more specifically Appendix D to support his ruling. Accordingly, the Court Affirms the Arbitrator s ruling on costs and fees.

Lastly, the LV Sun argues that the Arbitrator failed to enter a ruling on whether the Review Journal breached the JOA audit provision. However, the Arbitrator noted that while the Review Journal has done just about everything possible to blunt, avoid, deter and postpone an audit, yet he determined that the Review Journal has never refused to conduct an audit. Therefore, the Arbitrator simply ordered that an audit be conducted and this decision is affirmed.

As a result of the foregoing, the Review Journal s Motion to Vacate Arbitration Award shall be DENIED. The LV Sun s Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate or, Alternatively, Modify or Correct the Award, in Part shall be GRANTED in Part and DENIED in Part. The LV Sun s motion is granted as to the request to confirm the Arbitration Award. The LV Sun s motion is denied as to all requests to vacate, modify, or correct the Arbitrator s Award. Lastly, the Review Journal s Conditional Countermotion to Confirm Arbitration Award, in Part, and to Vacate the Award, in Part shall be GRANTED in Part and DENIED in Part. The Review Journal s countermotion is granted as to the request to confirm the Arbitration Award. The Review Journal s countermotion is denied as to the request to vacate the Arbitration Award.

Lastly, in order to alleviate any potential misunderstanding in light of the confusing procedural posture of the pleadings and request for relief in this case, it is the Court's intention to AFFIRM the entire Arbitration Decision as written.

Counsel for Plaintiff shall prepare a detailed Order, Findings of Facts, and Conclusions of Law, based not only on the foregoing Minute Order, but also on the record on file herein. This is to be submitted to adverse counsel for review and approval and/or submission of a competing Order or objections, prior to submitting to the Court for review and signature.

CLERK S NOTE: This Minute Order has been electronically served to the parties through Odyssey eFile.

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

January 10, 2020 11:45 AM Minute Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. COURTROOM: Chambers

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- On January 9, 2020, a stay was entered in this case. Therefore, the Court hereby vacates the pending motions under submission regarding sealing of documents. In the event of the stay being lifted, these matters will renew for consideration and decision.

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COURT MINUTES

January 29, 2020

A-18-772591-B

Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

January 29, 2020

9:00 AM

Motion for Leave

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C.

COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Peggy Isom

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney Martini, Kristen L. Attorney Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

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- Upon Court's inquiry as to federal action status, Mr. Gayan advised Motions to Dismiss fully briefed, hearings not set, his client moved to stay pending dismissal, conference report submitted, and there is a 2/4/20 hearing before Magistrate on stay issue and the report. Arguments by Mr. Gayan and Mr. Smith regarding the instant Motion. Court stated there appears jurisdiction on the issue. COURT ORDERED, Motion For Leave To File Additional Briefing Requested By Court GRANTED. Colloquy regarding briefing and hearing schedule as to sealing issue and modification of stipulated protective order. There being agreement, COURT FURTHER ORDERED, briefing and hearing as follows: Motion DUE 2/12/20; Opposition DUE 2/26/20; Reply DUE 3/4/20; Hearing SET 3/11/20. Court directed Mr. Gayan to prepare today's order. COURT FURTHER ORDERED, 2/19/20 Status Check matters VACATED.

3/11/20 9:30 AM HEARING ON SEALING AND MODIFICATION ISSUE

CLERK'S NOTE: Subsequent to proceedings, Court hereby clarifies as to the briefing there will be no strict page number limit; parties are to follow customary limit pursuant to the Rules. This Minute

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March 11, 2020

A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)

VS.

News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

March 11, 2020 9:00 AM Hearing

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 03H

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

Other Business Court Matters

RECORDER:

REPORTER: Dana J. Tavaglione

PARTIES

PRESENT: Gayan, Michael J Attorney

Jones, Jon Randall Attorney
Martini, Kristen L. Attorney
Pisanelli, James J Attorney
Reid, Leif Attorney
Smith, Jordan T., ESQ Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Court noted case stayed. COURT ORDERED, Trial dates VACATED. Arguments and discussion by counsel regarding sealing issues with respect to the private arbitration. Colloquy regarding supplemental briefing on specific items in dispute and whether to submit under seal. Ms. Martini advised objection to request to seal the briefs by Mr. Jones. Court directed briefs to be submitted under seal. COURT ORDERED, supplemental brief from Pltf. DUE 3/25/20; responsive supplemental brief from Defense DUE 4/8/20; Chambers hearing SET 4/15/20.

4/15/20 CHAMBERS DECISION: SEALING AND MODIFICATION ISSUE

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A-18-772591-B Las Vegas Sun Inc, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
News+Media Capital Group LLC, Defendant(s)

March 12, 2020 3:21 PM Minute Order

HEARD BY: Williams, Timothy C. COURTROOM: Chambers

COURT CLERK: Christopher Darling

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- As a precautionary measure in light of public health concerns with respect to Coronavirus CoVID-19, this Court orders that any party intending to appear before Department 16 for law and motion matters between now and April 30, 2020 do so by Court-approved telephonic means only. As a result, your matter scheduled Tuesday, March 18, 2020 in this case will be held telephonically via CourtCall. You are hereby requested to make arrangements with CourtCall if you intend to participate that day. Please refer to Department 16's guidelines with regard to CourtCall scheduling:

"Department 16 utilizes CourtCall for telephonic appearances. Please contact CourtCall for approved appearances and to schedule. They can be reached toll-free at 1-888-882-6878 and/or on-line at www.courtcall.com no later than one judicial day preceding your hearing date. Please note, all witnesses appearing telephonically must have ... court-approved notary and/or official present on their end to swear them in."

If you have questions or concerns with respect to your matter and this interim telephonic requirement, please contact JEA Lynn Berkheimer.

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EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY ON APPEAL TO NEVADA SUPREME COURT

E. LEIF REID 1 E. LIBERTY ST., SUITE 300 RENO, NV 89501

DATE: March 17, 2020 CASE: A-18-772591-B

RE CASE: LAS VEGAS SUN, INC. vs. NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP, LLC; LAS VEGAS REVIEW-

JOURNAL, INC.

NOTICE OF APPEAL FILED: March 13, 2020

YOUR APPEAL HAS BEEN SENT TO THE SUPREME COURT.

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- \$500 Cost Bond on Appeal (Make Check Payable to the District Court)**
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- ☐ Case Appeal Statement
 - NRAP 3 (a)(1), Form 2
- ☐ Order
- ☐ Notice of Entry of Order

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State of Nevada
County of Clark
SS

I, Steven D. Grierson, the Clerk of the Court of the Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County, State of Nevada, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of the hereinafter stated original document(s):

LAS VEGAS SUN, INC.'S NOTICE OF APPEAL; LAS VEGAS SUN, INC.'S CASE APPEAL STATEMENT; DISTRICT COURT DOCKET ENTRIES; CIVIL COVER SHEET; JUDGMENT; NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT; DISTRICT COURT MINUTES; NOTICE OF DEFICIENCY

LAS VEGAS SUN, INC.,

Plaintiff(s),

VS.

NEWS+MEDIA CAPITAL GROUP, LLC; LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL, INC.,

Defendant(s),

now on file and of record in this office.

Case No: A-18-772591-B

Dept No: XVI

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto Set my hand and Affixed the seal of the Court at my office, Las Vegas, Nevada This 17 day of March 2020.

Steven D. Grierson, Clerk of the Court

Heather Ungermann, Deputy Clerk