UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

LOCATION OF HEARING for November CALENDAR:

Revised Notice:

Richard H. Chambers US Court of Appeals Bldg. 125 South Grand Avenue Pasadena, California 91105

October 19, 2011

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Monday, November 14, 2011 9:00 a.m. Courtroom 1

() *	08-70455	Rivera-Peraza v. Holder
() *	10-55298	Blundell v. County of Los Angeles
() *	11-50017	United States v. Perez
() **	10-55624)	Rock and Roll Religion v.Cels
		10-55976)	
() **	10-55638	Stuart v. Cadbury Adams USA, LLC
() **	10-55654	In re Ebell Media, Inc.

Tuesday, November 15, 2011 9:00 a.m. Courtroom 1

() **	10-50373)	United States v. Bamdad	
		10-50396)		
() **	10-56424	Rodriguez-Lugo v. United States	
()	10-55371	USA v. CB&I Constructors, Inc.	
()	10-56219	GECCMC v. JPMorgan Chase Bank	<note added="" case<="" th=""></note>

Wednesday, November 16, 2011 9:00 a.m. Courtroom 1

() *	10-50461	United States v. Hernandez-Servera
() *	10-55471	Nelson v. Patel
() *	10-55475	Bone v. City of Los Angeles
() **	09-50574	United States v. Yepiz
() **	09-55442	Chades v. Lattimore
() **	10-55650	Nichols v. Northwestern Mut. Life Ins. Co.

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() *	09-55686	Poslof v. Yates
() *	09-56162	South v. Hall
() **	10-56405	Bell v. Haws
() *	10-55348	Stern v. Sony Corp.
() **	10-55520	Diversified Product Industries, Ltd. V. Skyline Steel
() **	10-55708	Uche-Uwakwe v. Nicholson

Friday, November 18, 2011 9:00 a.m. Courtroom 1

() *	06-73043	Mussa v. Holder	
() *	09-55428	Keenan v. First California	
() *	10-50338	United States v. Pendleton	
() **	09-50612)	United States v. Tucker	
		09-50625)		
		10-50127)	United States v. Tucker	
() **	10-55524	Blanchard v. LaHood	
() **	10-56081	Outdoor Media v. City of Beaumont	<note added="" case<="" th=""></note>

Tuesday, November 29, 2011 10:00 a.m. Courtroom 1

() + 11-35122) Washington State Republican Party v. Washington State Grange 11-35124) 11-35125)

+ MAXIMUM ARGUMENT TIME 30 MINUTES PER SIDE
* MAXIMUM ARGUMENT TIME 10 MINUTES PER SIDE
** MAXIMUM ARGUMENT TIME 15 MINUTES PER SIDE
OTHER CASES 20 MINUTES PER SIDE

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NOTICE OF CASES SET FOR HEARING

Your case has been set for hearing as indicated on the attached calendar. Please take special note of the time and place of hearing. In order that the court may make proper arrangements for oral argument, it is essential that you immediately complete the attached acknowledgment of hearing notice and return it to the Clerk's Office via the Appellate ECF system [or by hardcopy for those granted an exemption from using the Appellate ECF system.]

In preparing for oral argument, the parties should be guided by Rule 34 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure. The following information is provided to ensure the effectiveness of the hearing process:

- **Possibility of Mootness or Settlement** If your case has become moot or a settlement is imminent, immediately advise the Clerk's office in writing and **BY TELEPHONE**. For ECF-registered parties, this must be filed electronically as "Correspondence to Court."
- **Notification of Related Cases** If you are aware of other cases pending in this court which are related to and which should be calendared with your case(s) on the attached calendar, please notify this office.
- Admission for Oral Argument Any attorney who will be presenting oral argument must have been admitted to the bar of this court. The forms necessary for admission may be obtained through the court's website [<u>WWW.Ca9.Uscourts.gov</u>] under Forms. If you have not been admitted, or need to verify you have applied, please call the Attorney Admissions Inquiry line at (415) 355-7800 and leave the requested information. While admission in open court on the day of hearing is discouraged, you may elect such an admission procedure. Candidates for admission in open court must appear in the Clerk's Office with a sponsor who has already been admitted to the bar of the circuit, and who can orally move the admission before the calendar is called.
- Submission Without Oral Argument A party who feels that oral argument would not be of assistance to the court may present a written motion asking the court to submit the case on the briefs for decision without oral argument. Such a motion must be served on all parties. For ECF-registered parties, this motion must be filed electronically. The court may, on its own motion, determine that oral argument would not be of assistance. In such cases, all parties will be advised by separate notice pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 34(a).

- **Appearing for Argument** If oral argument is to be presented, please register with the courtroom deputy in the courtroom posted for your case 30 minutes before the time of the hearing. All parties for all cases must be registered and present at the time the session is convened.
- **Hearing Order of Cases** Cases are generally heard in the order in which they appear on the calendar. On the other hand, a panel may elect to poll the calendar prior to the commencement of argument and to rearrange the order of cases based on the projected length of the argument. Nevertheless, parties in the first case should be prepared to begin argument immediately after the court is convened in the event that the entire calendar is not polled.
- **Time for Oral Argument** Cases scheduled for oral argument will be assigned ten, fifteen, twenty, or occasionally thirty minutes per side. Check your Location of Hearing Notice to determine your time allotment.
- **Subject of Oral Argument** At the time of hearing, the judges of the panel will have studied the briefs and the excerpts of record and will be familiar with the facts and issues of the case. Argument should be devoted to clarifying issues as needed and to responding to questions raised by the judges of the panel.
- **Presenting Additional Citations** Additional citations of relevant decisions rendered since the filing of the party's last brief -or after oral argument but before decision- may be submitted by letter, showing proof of service on all counsel and parties not represented by counsel. For ECF-registered parties, this letter must be filed electronically, but if filed by paper, **only the** original must be submitted to the court. The letter must state the reasons for the citations, referring to either the page of the brief or to a point argued orally. The body of the letter must not exceed 350 words. Any response must be made promptly and similarly limited. [FRAP 28j, Cir. R. 28-6]
- Identity of Panel Members Not earlier than the week before the court week in which your case will be heard, the names of judges hearing the currently calendared cases will be announced. The names will be posted on the public bulletin board of the Clerk's Office of your local U.S. District Court and on this Court's web page. You may also determine the names of the judges by submitting with the enclosed acknowledgment form, a self-addressed, postage-paid envelope and a card listing the case number, date and time of hearing. We will write the names of the judges hearing your case on this card and mail it to you at the same time that the official calendars are mailed to the District Court Clerk's Offices for posting. [www.ca9.uscourts.gov]
- **Continuances** After a case has been calendared, continuances are not granted except for a showing of extraordinarily good cause. If oral argument is essential but you find it impossible to be present, you must, immediately after receipt of this hearing notice, submit a formal motion and supporting affidavit for continuance. For ECF-registered parties, this motion must be filed electronically. Presentation of the motion does not ensure that the continuance is granted. The court will not consider the motion for continuance after the identity of the panel of judges has been divulged.

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- 3. In courtrooms, persons may use such devices to take notes, transmit and receive data communications, and access the Internet. This includes media members who are transmitting written accounts of the proceeding to a wider audience using various means. Persons may not use these devices for telephone calls, photographs or audio or video recording or transmission. Telephone ring tones and other functional sounds produced by devices must be disabled while in the courtroom. Only quiet keyboards may be used in the courtrooms.
- 4. The presiding judge of a judicial panel may prohibit or further restrict use of such devices by all persons prior to or during a proceeding when necessary to protect the rights of the parties or to assure the orderly conduct of the proceedings.
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