

**TENTATIVE RULINGS for LAW and MOTION**  
**October 15, 2020**

Pursuant to Yolo County Local Rules, the following tentative rulings will become the order of the court unless, by 4:00 p.m. on the court day before the hearing, a party requests a hearing and notifies other counsel of the hearing. To request a hearing, you must contact the clerk of the department where the hearing is to be held. Copies of the tentative rulings will be posted on Yolo Court’s Website, at [www.yolo.courts.ca.gov](http://www.yolo.courts.ca.gov). If you are scheduled to appear and there is no tentative ruling in your case, you should appear as scheduled.

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Telephone number for the clerk in Department Nine (530) 406-6819

**NOTICE:** Effective May 4, 2020, all court appearances are by Zoom or Conference call. Yolo Superior Court Virtual Courtroom and conference call information is posted on the Yolo Court’s Website at [www.yolo.courts.ca.gov](http://www.yolo.courts.ca.gov).

**TENTATIVE RULING**

**Case:** Cameron v. Fortis  
Case No. CV 2019-1  
**Hearing Date:** October 15, 2020 **Department Nine** **9:00 a.m.**

Geoffrey O. Evers of Evers Law Group, A.P.C.’s unopposed motion to be relieved as counsel for respondent Jeffrey Fortis is **GRANTED**. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.1362.) This order is not effective until Geoffrey O. Evers files a proof of service with the Court showing service of a copy of the signed order on his client. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.1362(e).)

**TENTATIVE RULING**

**Case:** Izhari v. CP Capital Group  
Case No. CV 2019-2172  
**Hearing Date:** October 15, 2020 **Department Ten** **9:00 a.m.**

Defendant CP Capital Group, Inc., d/b/a Country Inn & Suites’ unopposed motion to compel plaintiffs’ discovery responses is **GRANTED IN PART**. (Code Civ. Proc., §§ 2030.290, 2031.300.) The Court awards monetary sanctions for defendant, in the total amount of amount of \$850.00, against plaintiffs Kfir Izhari, Ravid Meir, Izhak Givoni, and Avi Knafo. (Code Civ. Proc., §§ 2023.010, 2023.030; Harris decl., ¶ 7.) The Court declines to award sanctions for time not yet incurred. Plaintiffs shall pay the sanction by November 13, 2020.

Based on attorney Dana Cole’s representations, defendant’s motion is otherwise moot. The Court will not rule on the adequacy of plaintiff’s responses. If defendant finds plaintiffs’ responses inadequate, then defendant can file a motion for further responses. (Code Civ. Proc., §§ 2030.300, 2031.310.)

The notice of motion does not provide notice of this Court’s tentative ruling system as required by Local Rule 11.4(b). Counsel for moving party, or the moving party if unrepresented by

counsel, is ordered to notify the opposing party or parties immediately of the tentative ruling system.

If no hearing is requested, and no party appears at the hearing, this tentative ruling is effective immediately. No formal order pursuant to California Rule of Court 3.1312 or further notice is required.

**TENTATIVE RULING**

**Case: Jane Doe 5 v. Storybook Cottage  
Case No. CV 2018-1551**

**Hearing Date: October 15, 2020 Department Nine 9:00 a.m.**

The petitioner, Mary Doe, is directed to appear. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 7.952.) The Court finds good cause to excuse the minor's personal appearance. However, petitioner has not filed a declaration showing good cause for the Court to excuse her personal appearance. If the petitioner fails to appear at the hearing and good cause is not shown, the petition will be denied without prejudice. No request for a hearing is required.