

United States District Court
Northern District of California

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE PERSONALWEB
TECHNOLOGIES, LLC, ET AL., PATENT
LITIGATION

AMAZON.COM, INC. And AMAZON
WEB SERVICES, INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

PERSONALWEB TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,
et al.,

Defendants.

PERSONALWEB TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,
et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

TWITCH INTERACTIVE, INC.,

Defendant.

Case No. 18-md-02834-BLF

Case No. 18-cv-00767-BLF

Case No. 18-cv-05619-BLF

**ORDER EXTENDING DEADLINE FOR
(1) PARTIES TO FILE STIPULATION
TO REDUCTION IN ATTORNEYS'
FEES AND (2) AMAZON TO FILE
RESPONSE TO PERSONALWEB
TECHNOLOGIES, LLC'S
SUPPLEMENTAL OPPOSITION TO
MOTION FOR FURTHER
SUPPLEMENTAL FEES**

On November 16, 2023, the Court heard oral argument on Amazon.com, Inc., Amazon Web Services, Inc., and Twitch Interactive, Inc.'s (collectively, "Amazon") Motion for Further Supplemental Fees (the "Motion"). *See* ECF No. 906.¹ On November 21, 2023, pursuant to the Court's request during the hearing, PersonalWeb Technologies, LLC ("PersonalWeb") filed a supplemental opposition to the Motion in which it proposed reductions to Amazon's requested attorneys' fees based on time Amazon's attorneys billed for work performed in pursuit of Amazon's alter ego theory against PersonalWeb's alleged alter egos. *See* Suppl. Opp'n, ECF No.


¹ All ECF citations refer to the docket of the lead case. *In re PersonalWeb Technologies Patent*

1 910. PersonalWeb concurrently submitted a supporting Declaration of Patrick Emerson
2 McCormick, in which Mr. McCormick described initial discussions between the parties regarding
3 a potential stipulated fee reduction. *See* McCormick Decl. ¶¶ 4–16, ECF No. 911. Mr.
4 McCormick stated that PersonalWeb “wants to continue discussions to potentially reach a
5 mutually agreeable dollar amount following this filing.” *Id.* ¶ 17. Amazon’s response to
6 PersonalWeb’s supplemental opposition is currently due on November 28, 2023.

7 Based on the representations in the McCormick Declaration, it appears that the parties
8 would benefit from additional time to discuss resolution of the issue of a potential stipulated
9 reduction in Amazon’s request for attorneys’ fees related to work performed in pursuit of an alter
10 ego theory. Accordingly, the Court hereby ORDERS that the deadlines for both (1) the parties’
11 filing of a stipulated fee reduction and (2) Amazon’s response to PersonalWeb’s supplemental
12 opposition are extended to December 1, 2023. If the parties reach an agreement on the alter ego
13 fee issue and file a related stipulation on or before December 1, 2023, Amazon need not also file a
14 response to PersonalWeb’s supplemental opposition.

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16 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

17 Dated: November 22, 2023

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22 United States District Judge
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