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SAUDER MANUFACTURING )  
COMPANY, )  
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Plaintiff, )  
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-vs- )  
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J SQUARED, INC. d/b/a )  
UNIVERSITY LOFT COMPANY, )  
 )  
Defendant. )

CIVIL ACTION NO.  
3:14-cv-00962-JL

DEPOSITION OF ADAM L. ANDERSON



The deposition upon oral examination of  
ADAM L. ANDERSON, a witness produced and sworn  
before me, Kelly S. Horsley, RPR, CSR #98-R-3004,  
Notary Public in and for the County of Hendricks,  
State of Indiana, taken on behalf of the Plaintiff,  
at the offices of Taft, Stettinius & Hollister LLP,  
Indianapolis, Indiana, on the 24th day of July,  
2015, at 10:00 A.M., pursuant to the Federal Rules  
of Civil Procedure with written notice as to time  
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1 Q Do you have any plans to change your address in  
2 the next six months?

3 A No.

4 Q Okay. Where are you currently employed?

5 A I'm self-employed in my own shop, A&T Auto  
6 Service and Tires.

7 Q Where is that located?

8 A 8101 East Washington Street, Indianapolis,  
9 Indiana, 46219.

10 Q Okay. Was there a time when you became employed  
11 by the company known as University Loft Company?  
12 And I say that because I know there's a more  
13 formal name to the company as J Squared, but it  
14 does business as University Loft. Are you  
15 familiar with both of those names?

16 A Yes, I am.

17 Q Okay. And was there --

18 A Yes, I was employed there December 4th, '99,  
19 1999.

20 Q Okay. When did you terminate your employment  
21 there?

22 A June 2nd, 2013.

23 Q Okay. Would you mind repeating the first date?  
24 It was 1999?

25 A December 4th, 1999, if I remember correctly.

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1 Q Until?

2 A June 2nd, 2013.

3 Q Okay. Continuously employed -- employed during  
4 that time?

5 A Yes.

6 Q Okay. What -- what were your -- what did your  
7 job entail? And you can use titles if -- if you  
8 had any.

9 A You want progression of just what I did?

10 Q Sure, yeah.

11 A Assistant plant manager is what I was hired as.  
12 I was over all the production in the Indiana  
13 facility, set up distribution, oversaw the whole  
14 facility operation. And then I went to plant  
15 manager, did pretty much the same thing; then  
16 started entailing communication with overseas  
17 production and product development.

18 And then I went to technical director,  
19 which pretty much oversees operations, product  
20 development, sourcing.

21 Q Okay. Well, that's an impressive resume. Why  
22 did you leave?

23 A Disagreements with the owner.

24 Q What kind of disagreements?

25 A Treatment.

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1 A Yes.

2 Q Okay. Everything under that you think comes  
3 from the U.S.?

4 A I believe it's made in the U.S.

5 Q Okay. All right. But the piece to the right,  
6 the actual rocker chair for the Vector chair --

7 A The frame, the seat --

8 Q That's all made in China?

9 A -- and the back --

10 THE COURT REPORTER: Wait, wait. You guys  
11 are talking over each other.

12 MR. DEVOE: And again, I want it for the  
13 record that I'm objecting to this whole line of  
14 questioning but --

15 MR. YOUNG: On relevance.

16 Q Okay. Let's talk about China for a minute.

17 Mr. Davis, do you recognize the name

18 Justin Davis?

19 A Yes.

20 Q Did he -- was -- did he work for you?

21 A Yes.

22 Q Or work with you?

23 A He worked with me or for me in my department  
24 for, I want to say, four to five years; but I  
25 can't remember the exact time frame.

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