

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
DIVISION OF ST. CROIX

WALEED HAMED, as Executor of the Estate of MOHAMMAD HAMED,)	
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)	
Plaintiff/Counterclaim Defendant,)	CIVIL NO. SX-12-CV-370
v.)	
)	
FATHI YUSUF and UNITED CORPORATION,)	ACTION FOR INJUNCTIVE
	)	RELIEF, DECLARATORY
	)	JUDGMENT, AND
Defendants/Counterclaimants,	)	PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION,
v.	)	WIND UP, AND ACCOUNTING
)	
WALEED HAMED, WAHEED HAMED, MUFEED HAMED, HISHAM HAMED, and PLESSEN ENTERPRISES, INC.,)	
<u>Additional Counterclaim Defendants.</u>	)	Consolidated With
WALEED HAMED, as Executor of the Estate of MOHAMMAD HAMED,)	
)	
	)	CIVIL NO. SX-14-CV-287
Plaintiff,)	
v.	)	ACTION FOR DAMAGES AND
	)	DECLARATORY JUDGMENT
UNITED CORPORATION,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
WALEED HAMED, as Executor of the Estate of MOHAMMAD HAMED,)	
	)	CIVIL NO. SX-14-CV-278
)	
Plaintiff,	)	ACTION FOR DEBT AND
v.	)	CONVERSION
)	
FATHI YUSUF,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
FATHI YUSUF and UNITED CORPORATION,)	
)	
	)	CIVIL NO. ST-17-CV-384
Plaintiffs,)	
v.	)	ACTION TO SET ASIDE
	)	FRAUDULENT TRANSFERS
)	
THE ESTATE OF MOHAMMAD HAMED, Waleed Hamed as Executor of the Estate of Mohammad Hamed, and THE MOHAMMAD A. HAMED LIVING TRUST,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

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**RESPONSE TO HAMED'S SECOND REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION OF
DOCUMENTS PURSUANT TO THE CLAIMS DISCOVERY PLAN OF 1/29/2018
NOS. 6-7 OF 50 AS TO Y-6, BLACK BOOK BALANCE OWED UNITED,
Y-7 LEDGER BALANCES OWED UNITED, AND
Y-9 UNREIMBURSED TRANSFERS OWED UNITED**

Defendant/Counterclaimants Fathi Yusuf ("Yusuf") and United Corporation ("United")(collectively, the "Defendants") through their attorneys, Dudley, Topper and Feuerzeig, LLP, hereby provide their Responses to Hamed's Second Request for Production of Documents Pursuant to the Claims Discovery Plan of 1/29/2018, Nos. 6-7 of 50 As To Y-6, Black Book Balance Owed United, Y-7 Ledger Balances Owed United, and Y-9 – Unreimbursed Transfers Owed United.

GENERAL OBJECTIONS

Defendants make the following general objections to the Interrogatories. These general objections apply to all or many of the Interrogatories, thus, for convenience, they are set forth herein and are not necessarily repeated after each objectionable Request to Admit. The assertion of the same, similar, or additional objections in the individual responses to the Interrogatories, or the failure to assert any additional objections to a discovery request does not waive any of Defendants' objections as set forth below:

(1) Defendants object to these Interrogatories to the extent they may impose obligations different from or in addition to those required under the Virgin Islands Rules of Civil Procedure.

(2) Defendants object to these Requests for Production to the extent that they use the words "any" and "all" as being overly broad, unduly burdensome, immaterial, irrelevant, and not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence.

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(3) Defendants object to these Requests for Production to the extent they seek information which is protected by the attorney-client privilege or work-product doctrine, including information prepared in anticipation of litigation, or for trial, by or on behalf of Defendants or relating to mental impressions, conclusions, opinions, or legal theories of their attorneys or representatives, or any other applicable privilege or doctrine under federal or territorial statutory, constitutional or common law. Defendants' answers shall not include any information protected by such privileges or doctrine, and documents or information inadvertently produced which includes such privileged information shall not be deemed a waiver by Defendants of such privilege or doctrine.

(4) Defendants object to these Requests for Production to the extent that they seek information and documents concerning any matter that is irrelevant to the claims or defenses of any party to this action, and not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence.

(5) Defendants object to these Requests for Production to the extent that they use terms or phrases that are vague, ambiguous, or undefined. Defendants' response to such request will be based upon their understanding of the request.

(6) Defendants object to these Requests for Production to the extent they seek documents or information not in the possession, custody or control of Defendants, on the grounds that it would subject them to undue burden, oppression and expense, and impose obligations not required by the Virgin Islands Rules of Civil Procedure.

(7) Defendants have not completed either their discovery or preparation for trial of this matter. Accordingly, Defendants' responses to these Requests for Production are made

without prejudice to their right to make any use of, or proffer at any hearing or at trial evidence later discovered, and are based only upon information presently available. If any additional, non-privileged, responsive information is discovered, these Requests for Production will be supplemented to the extent that supplementation may be required by the Virgin Islands Rules of Civil Procedure.

(8) Defendants object to these Requests for Production to the extent that they are compound and not a single Request. Hence, these Requests for Production should be counted as more than a single Request such that when all of the subparts are included together with other Requests for Production they exceed the 50 Requests for Production established in the Joint Discovery and Scheduling Plan.

RESPONSES TO REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION

RFPDs 6 of 50:

Request for the production of documents, number 6 of 50, relates to Claims Y-6, Y-7 and Y-9 – as described in Hamed's November 16, 2017 Motion for a Hearing Before Special Master as "Y-6 – Black Book Balances Owned United," "Y-7 –Ledger Balances Owed United," and "Y-9 – Unreimbursed Transfers from United."

Please provide all United Tenant Account bank statements from 1992 to the present, including all deposit slips and canceled checks; all Plaza Extra adjusted journal entries related to United transfers and general ledger statements from 1992 to the present (excluding those provided to the Hamed accountants on the Sage 50 system); as well as all invoices, receipts or other documentation substantiating each entry on Yusuf Exhibits to the Original Claims, G- Relevant

Black Book Entries, H- Ledger Sheets Reflecting United's Payments for Plaza Extra, and I- Summary and Supporting Documentation of Unreimbursed Transfers from United.

Response:

Defendants object to this interrogatory as vague, ambiguous, and compound such that the total number of requests for production together with their sub parts and other discovery exceeds the maximum allowable number of requests for production under the JDSP and violates both the spirit and the terms of the JDSP limiting the number of requests for production.

Defendants further object to the production of the United Tenant Account bank statements from 1992 to the present as overly broad and unduly burdensome. Yusuf Claim Y-9 relates to payments made by United in 1996 and attached to Yusuf's Accounting Claim was the supporting documentation for said claims for that limited period. Production of United's Tenant Account bank statements for four years prior to the claims at issue and for decades thereafter is unduly burdensome and unreasonably cumulative and duplicative, particularly as the information reflecting the substantive basis of the claim has been previously produced in the case and is re-produced as Exhibit I to Yusuf's Accounting Claims. V.I. R. Civ. P. 26(b)(2)(C)(i) and 26(b)(2)(D).

Defendants further object to the production of the ledger statements for 1992 through the present (with the exception of what has previously been produced) as unduly burdensome and unreasonably cumulative and duplicative given that the claims for Y-9 are limited to a single year 1996 and same was produced. V.I. R. Civ. P. 26(b)(2)(C)(i) and 26(b)(2)(D).

Further responding, Yusuf identifies and produces (where not previously produced) the following documents which are otherwise non-objectionable and responsive to this request:

The complete Black Book bate-stamped FY 004411 – 004477 (previously produced).
See also attached Bates FY 014955 which was previously produced as Exhibit H to Yusuf's Accounting Claims.

RFPDs 7 of 50:

Request for the production of documents, number 7 of 50, relates to Claims Y-6 and Y-7 – as described in Hamed's November 16, 2017 Motion for a Hearing Before Special Master as "Y-6 – Black Book Balances Owed United" and "Y-7- Ledger Balances Owed United."

Please provide the complete Black Book referenced in Yusuf Exhibits to the Original Claims, G- Relevant Black Book Entries and the complete ledger document referenced in Exhibit H – Ledger Sheets Reflecting United's Payments for Plaza Extra.

Response:

The complete Black Book bate-stamped FY 004411 – 004477 was previously produced. *See* also attached Bates FY 014955 which was previously produced as Exhibit H to Yusuf's Accounting Claims.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that on this 15th day of May, 2018, I caused the foregoing a true and exact copy of the foregoing **RESPONSE TO HAMED'S SECOND REQUESTS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS PURSUANT TO CLAIMS DISCOVERY PLAN OF 1/29/2018** to be served upon the following via Case Anywhere docketing system:

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