



Superior Court of California
County of Mendocino

Civil Law & Motion or Probate Tentative Ruling for the following:

Case Name: MOYE, EGYPT VS SCP HOSPITALITY MANAGER LLC, SCP ALBION LLC, SCP HOSPITALITY LLC, SCP HOSPITALITY II LLC, SCP LAGUNA LLC, SCP MENDOCINO LLC, SCP SEVEN4ONE LLC, SOUL COMMUNITY PLANET, INC

Case Number: 25CV02108

Hearing Date: 2/6/2026

Prior to a Civil Law & Motion or Probate hearing, the Court may issue a tentative ruling (CRC 3.1308). After reviewing the issued tentative ruling, a party may request to present oral argument and must notify both opposing parties and the Court no later than 4:00 p.m. on the court day before the hearing of their intent to appear. Notice to the Court should be sent by e-mail to tr@mendocino.courts.ca.gov. The tentative ruling will become the ruling of the Court if oral argument has not been requested timely. The prevailing party must prepare and submit a proposed order unless an order that is consistent with the tentative decision has been previously lodged (Local Rule 2.6).

Tentative Ruling is as Follows:

The court finds it is premature to entertain the motion to compel arbitration until after the issue of whether the matter will proceed as a class action lawsuit. If class action status is granted, defendants may necessarily need to show that all members of the class are similarly situated regarding the arbitration agreement contained in this plaintiff's employment contract. Assuming, **arguendo**, that the court grants the motion to compel arbitration at this stage, that ruling may severely prejudice other members of the proposed class who did not enter the same employment contract with the same arbitration clause as plaintiff in this case. Thus, the court defers entertaining the motion to compel arbitration until the class action status is determined. The parties are ordered to appear to schedule a new case management conference date.