IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS FAYETTEVILLE DIVISION

CURTIS J. NEELEY, Jr.

PLAINTIFF

VS.

CASE NO. 5:09-cv-05151-JLH

NAMEMEDIA, INC.; NETWORK SOLUTIONS, INC.; and GOOGLE, INC.

DEFENDANTS

BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF NAMEMEDIA'S MOTION TO STRIKE PLAINTIFF'S AMENDED BRIEF OBJECTING TO HARASSING ANSWERS

NameMedia, Inc. ("NameMedia") moves the Court to strike Plaintiff's Amended Brief Objecting to Harassing Answers (Docket # 35) and states as follows:

- 1. An objection to harassing answers is not a permitted pleading under Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.
- 2. Docket # 35 is essentially an amended brief in support of Plaintiff's motion for sanctions, although Plaintiff has withdrawn his motion for sanctions. *See* Docket # 34.
- 3. To the extent Docket #35 is considered a new motion for sanctions, Plaintiff failed to comply with the procedures set forth in Fed. R. Civ. P. 11(c)(2) and *Gordon v. Unifund CCR Partners*, 345 F.3d 1028 (8th Cir. 2003).

WHEREFORE, NameMedia requests the Court strike Docket #35.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 12th day of January, 2010, I mailed a copy of the foregoing to the following *pro se* plaintiff:

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