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PLAINTIFFS  
Lubov Azria

DEFENDANTS  
BCBG Max Azria Global Holdings, LLC, BCBG Max Azria Group, LLC, BCBG Max Azria Intermediate Holdings, LLC, Max Rave, LLC, and MLA Multibrand Holdings, LLC

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CAUSE OF ACTION (CITE THE U.S. CIVIL STATUTE UNDER WHICH YOU ARE FILING AND WRITE A BRIEF STATEMENT OF CAUSE)  
(DO NOT CITE JURISDICTIONAL STATUTES UNLESS DIVERSITY)

Appeal from Bankr. Case No. 17-10466 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 158 and Fed. R. Bankr. P. 8003

Has this action, case, or proceeding, or one essentially the same been previously filed in SDNY at any time? No  Yes  Judge Previously Assigned

If yes, was this case Vol.  Invol.  Dismissed. No  Yes  If yes, give date \_\_\_\_\_ & Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

IS THIS AN INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CASE? No  Yes

(PLACE AN [x] IN ONE BOX ONLY)

NATURE OF SUIT

Table with columns: TORTS, ACTIONS UNDER STATUTES, CONTRACT, PERSONAL INJURY, PERSONAL INJURY, FORFEITURE/PENALTY, BANKRUPTCY, OTHER STATUTES, REAL PROPERTY, CIVIL RIGHTS, PRISONER CIVIL RIGHTS, IMMIGRATION, LABOR, SOCIAL SECURITY, FEDERAL TAX SUITS. Includes various legal categories and checkboxes for selection.

Check if demanded in complaint:

CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23

DO YOU CLAIM THIS CASE IS RELATED TO A CIVIL CASE NOW PENDING IN S.D.N.Y. AS DEFINED BY LOCAL RULE FOR DIVISION OF BUSINESS 13? IF SO, STATE:

DEMAND \$ \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_ JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_ DOCKET NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

Check YES only if demanded in complaint  
JURY DEMAND:  YES  NO

NOTE: You must also submit at the time of filing the Statement of Relatedness form (Form IH-32)

(PLACE AN X IN ONE BOX ONLY)

- 1 Original Proceeding
- 2 Removed from State Court
- 3 Remanded from Appellate Court
- 4 Reinstated or Reopened
- 5 Transferred from (Specify District)
- 6 Multidistrict Litigation (Transferred)
- 7 Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judge
- 8 Multidistrict Litigation (Direct File)
- a. all parties represented
- b. At least one party is pro se.

(PLACE AN X IN ONE BOX ONLY)

**BASIS OF JURISDICTION**

**IF DIVERSITY, INDICATE CITIZENSHIP BELOW.**

- 1 U.S. PLAINTIFF
  - 2 U.S. DEFENDANT
  - 3 FEDERAL QUESTION
  - 4 DIVERSITY
- (U.S. NOT A PARTY)

**CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (FOR DIVERSITY CASES ONLY)**

(Place an [X] in one box for Plaintiff and one box for Defendant)

CITIZEN OF THIS STATE	PTF [ ] 1	DEF [ ] 1	CITIZEN OR SUBJECT OF A FOREIGN COUNTRY	PTF [ ] 3	DEF [ ] 3	INCORPORATED and PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN ANOTHER STATE	PTF [ ] 5	DEF [ ] 5
CITIZEN OF ANOTHER STATE	[ ] 2	[ ] 2	INCORPORATED or PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THIS STATE	[ ] 4	[ ] 4	FOREIGN NATION	[ ] 6	[ ] 6

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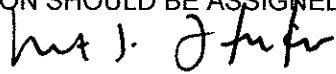
**DEFENDANT(S) ADDRESS UNKNOWN**

REPRESENTATION IS HEREBY MADE THAT, AT THIS TIME, I HAVE BEEN UNABLE, WITH REASONABLE DILIGENCE, TO ASCERTAIN THE RESIDENCE ADDRESSES OF THE FOLLOWING DEFENDANTS:

**COURTHOUSE ASSIGNMENT**

I hereby certify that this case should be assigned to the courthouse indicated below pursuant to Local Rule for Division of Business 18, 20 or 21.

Check one: THIS ACTION SHOULD BE ASSIGNED TO:  WHITE PLAINS  MANHATTAN



DATE 08/15/2017 SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE IN THIS DISTRICT  
 NO  
 YES (DATE ADMITTED Mo. Nov. Yr. 2003 )  
 Attorney Bar Code # 4168043

RECEIPT # 12012040

Magistrate Judge is to be designated by the Clerk of the Court.

Magistrate Judge \_\_\_\_\_ is so Designated.

Ruby J. Krajick, Clerk of Court by \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk, DATED \_\_\_\_\_.