

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF
CALIFORNIA

Vampire Family Brands, LLC v. Williams-Sonoma, Inc.

Vampire Family Brands · No. 2:25-cv-08158-SVW-AS · Decided October 8, 2025

SUMMARY

The United States District Court for the Central District of California ordered Vampire Family Brands, LLC to show cause why the action should not be dismissed for lack of prosecution. The court noted that Williams-Sonoma, Inc. had not answered the complaint and directed the plaintiff to seek entry of default or dismiss the complaint by October 20, 2025.

OPINION

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL
MINUTES - GENERAL Case No.: 2:25-cv-08158-SVW-AS Date: October 8, 2025 Title: Vampire
Family Brands, LLC v. Williams-Sonoma, Inc. Present: The Honorable STEPHEN V. WILSON,
United States District Judge Daniel Tamayo N/A Deputy Clerk Court Reporter Attorney(s) Present
for Plaintiff(s): Attorney(s) Present for Defendant(s): None Appearing None Appearing
Proceedings: [In Chambers] Order To Show Cause Re: Dismissal for Lack of Prosecution
Plaintiff(s) are ORDERED to show cause why this case should not be dismissed for lack of
prosecution.

Link v. Wabash R. Co., 370 U.S. 626 (1962) (Court has inherent power to dismiss for lack of
prosecution on its own motion). The below time period(s) has not been met. Accordingly, the
Court, on its own motion, orders Plaintiff(s) to show cause, in writing, on or before October 20,
2025, why this action should not be dismissed for lack of prosecution. This matter will stand
submitted upon the filing of Plaintiff(s) response.

See Fed. R. Civ. P. 78. Failure to respond will be deemed consent to the dismissal of the action. ☒
Defendant(s) Williams Sonoma Inc did not answer the complaint, yet Plaintiff(s) have failed to
request entry of default, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 55(a). Plaintiff(s) can satisfy this order by
seeking entry of default or by dismissing the complaint. IT IS SO ORDERED.