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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO

MAURY BLACKMAN, an individual,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
v.  
  
SUBSTACK, INC., a Delaware corporation;  
AMAZON WEB SERVICES, INC., a  
Delaware corporation; JACK POULSON, an  
individual; TECH INQUIRY, INC., a  
Delaware corporation; DOES 1-25, inclusive,  
  
Defendants.

CASE NO.: CGC-24-618681

**REPLY TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION  
TO FILE PORTIONS OF SPECIAL  
MOTION TO STRIKE PLAINTIFF'S  
COMPLAINT AND DEFENDANTS'  
DEMURRER UNDER SEAL**

Date: January 6, 2025  
Time: 9:30 AM  
Dept.: 301  
Before: Hon. Joseph M. Quinn

Action Filed: October 3, 2024  
Trial Date: None Set

1 On December 06, 2024, Defendant filed a Motion to Seal portions of Defendant's Special  
2 Motion to Strike and Defendant's Demurrer. As noted in the Motion: "Defendant files this Motion  
3 out of an abundance of caution...However, Plaintiff might believe that good cause exists for  
4 granting this Motion to Seal." Plaintiff filed a joint Motion to Seal and Opposition to Defendant's  
5 Motion to Seal on December 16, 2024.

6 Defendant opposes sealing any document filed in this case for the reasons stated in  
7 Defendants Tech Inquiry Inc. and Jack Poulson's Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Seal filed on  
8 December 20, 2024.

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11 Dated: December 27, 2024

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