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| I. (a) PLAINTIFFS<br>Lightspeed Media Corporation  |  |   |  | <b>DEFENDANTS</b><br>SBC Internet Services, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Internet Services   |  |   |  |
|--|--|---|--|---|--|---|--|
| (b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff State of Arizona<br>(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)   |  |   |  | County of Residence of First Listed Defendant<br>(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)<br>NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF<br>THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED. |  |   |  |
| (c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)<br>See attached   |  |   |  | Attorneys ( <i>If Known</i> )<br>Troy A. Bozarth, HeplerBroom LLC, 130 N. Main Street,<br>Edwardsville, IL 62025 618/656-0184   |  |   |  |
| II. BASIS OF JURISD  | <b>CTION</b> (Place an "X"   | in One Box Only)  | <b>IZENSHIP OF PF</b><br>For Diversity Cases Only) | RINCIPAL PARTIES (  | Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff)<br>and One Box for Defendant)         |   |  |
| □ 1 U.S. Government<br>Plaintiff   |  |   |  | PTF     DEF     PTF     DEF       Citizen of This State     1     1     Incorporated or Principal Place     4     4       of Business In This State                     |  |   |  |
| □ 2 U.S. Government<br>Defendant   |  |   | Citizen  | Citizen of Another State 2 2 Incorporated and Principal Place S 5 5 5 of Business In Another State  |  |   |  |
|  |  |   |  | or Subject of a   | 3 3 Foreign Nation   |   |  |
| IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |
| CONTRACT 110 Insurance   | TO<br>PERSONAL INJURY  | RTS   |  | RFEITURE/PENALTY<br>Drug Related Seizure  | BANKRUPTCY 422 Appeal 28 USC 158   | OTHER STATUTES  |  |
| ☐ 110 Insurance<br>☐ 120 Marine<br>☐ 130 Miller Act<br>☐ 140 Negotiable Instrument   | 310 Airplane     365 Personal Injury -       315 Airplane Product     Product Liability       Liability     367 Health Care/ |   |  | of Property 21 USC 881  | 423 Withdrawal<br>28 USC 157   | <ul> <li>400 State Reapportionment</li> <li>410 Antitrust</li> <li>430 Banks and Banking</li> </ul> |  |
| ☐ 150 Recovery of Overpayment<br>& Enforcement of Judgment   | ☐ 320 Assault, Libel &<br>Slander  | Pharmaceutical<br>Personal Injury                                 |  |   | PROPERTY RIGHTS B20 Copyrights   | □ 450 Commerce<br>□ 460 Deportation   |  |
| ☐ 151 Medicare Act<br>☐ 152 Recovery of Defaulted  | □ 330 Federal Employers'<br>Liability  | Product Liability<br>368 Asbestos Persona                         | 1  |   | □ 820 Copyrights<br>□ 830 Patent<br>□ 840 Trademark                          | 470 Racketeer Influenced and<br>Corrupt Organizations   |  |
| Student Loans<br>(Excl. Veterans)  | ☐ 340 Marine<br>☐ 345 Marine Product   | Injury Product<br>Liability                                       |  | LABOR   | SOCIAL SECURITY  | <ul> <li>↓ 480 Consumer Credit</li> <li>↓ 490 Cable/Sat TV</li> </ul>                               |  |
| ☐ 153 Recovery of Overpayment  | Liability  | PERSONAL PROPER   | <b>TY</b> 710                                      | Fair Labor Standards  | 861 HIA (1395ff)   | 850 Securities/Commodities/   |  |
| of Veteran's Benefits<br>160 Stockholders' Suits   | ☐ 350 Motor Vehicle<br>☐ 355 Motor Vehicle   | <ul> <li>370 Other Fraud</li> <li>371 Truth in Lending</li> </ul> | 720  | Act<br>Labor/Mgmt. Relations  | <ul> <li>□ 862 Black Lung (923)</li> <li>□ 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g))</li> </ul> | Exchange<br>890 Other Statutory Actions   |  |
| <ul> <li>190 Other Contract</li> <li>195 Contract Product Liability</li> </ul>   | Product Liability<br>360 Other Personal  | 380 Other Personal<br>Property Damage                             | □ 740  | Railway Labor Act<br>Family and Medical   | ☐ 864 SSID Title XVI<br>☐ 865 RSI (405(g))                                   | <ul> <li>891 Agricultural Acts</li> <li>893 Environmental Matters</li> </ul>                        |  |
| 196 Franchise  | Injury   | 385 Property Damage   |  | Leave Act   | □ 803 K31 (403(g))   | □ 895 Freedom of Information  |  |
|  | 362 Personal Injury -<br>Med. Malpractice  | Product Liability   |  | Other Labor Litigation<br>Empl. Ret. Inc.   |  | Act 896 Arbitration   |  |
| REAL PROPERTY  | CIVIL RIGHTS   | PRISONER PETITION   |  | Security Act  | FEDERAL TAX SUITS  | 899 Administrative Procedure  |  |
| 210 Land Condemnation<br>220 Foreclosure   | 440 Other Civil Rights   | 510 Motions to Vacat<br>Sentence                                  | e  |   | 870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff<br>or Defendant)                                   | Act/Review or Appeal of<br>Agency Decision  |  |
| 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment<br>240 Torts to Land  | 442 Employment<br>443 Housing/   | Habeas Corpus:<br>530 General                                     |  |   | 871 IRS—Third Party<br>26 USC 7609   | 950 Constitutionality of<br>State Statutes  |  |
| 245 Tort Product Liability   | Accommodations   | 535 Death Penalty   |  | IMMIGRATION   |  |   |  |
| 290 All Other Real Property  | 445 Amer. w/Disabilities -<br>Employment   | 540 Mandamus & Oth<br>550 Civil Rights                            |  | Naturalization Application<br>Habeas Corpus -   |  |   |  |
|  | 446 Amer. w/Disabilities -<br>Other  | 555 Prison Condition<br>560 Civil Detainee -                      |  | Alien Detainee<br>(Prisoner Petition)   |  |   |  |
|  | 448 Education  | Conditions of<br>Confinement                                      | 465  | Other Immigration<br>Actions  |  |   |  |
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|  | 18 U.S.C. Section 10   | tute under which you at 30 and 17 U.S. C. Section                 |  | o not cite jurisdictional sta   | tutes unless diversity):   |   |  |
| VI. CAUSE OF ACTION<br>Brief description of cause:<br>Computer Fraud and Abuse   |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |
| VII. REQUESTED IN<br>COMPLAINT:       CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION<br>UNDER F.R.C.P. 23       DEMAND \$ 774,850.00       CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:<br>JURY DEMAND: |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |
| VIII. RELATED CASE(S) (See instructions):<br>IF ANY JUDGE DOCKET NUMBER  |  |   |  |   |  |   |  |
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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR ATTORNEYS COMPLETING CIVIL COVER SHEET FORM JS 44

## Authority For Civil Cover Sheet

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**I.** (a) **Plaintiffs-Defendants.** Enter names (last, first, middle initial) of plaintiff and defendant. If the plaintiff or defendant is a government agency, use only the full name or standard abbreviations. If the plaintiff or defendant is an official within a government agency, identify first the agency and then the official, giving both name and title.

(b) County of Residence. For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)

(c) Attorneys. Enter the firm name, address, telephone number, and attorney of record. If there are several attorneys, list them on an attachment, noting in this section "(see attachment)".

**II.** Jurisdiction. The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.C.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.

United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here.

United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box.

Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.

Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.)

**III. Residence (citizenship) of Principal Parties.** This section of the JS 44 is to be completed if diversity of citizenship was indicated above. Mark this section for each principal party.

**IV.** Nature of Suit. Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If the nature of suit cannot be determined, be sure the cause of action, in Section VI below, is sufficient to enable the deputy clerk or the statistical clerks in the Administrative Office to determine the nature of suit. If the cause fits more than one nature of suit, select the most definitive.

V. Origin. Place an "X" in one of the seven boxes.

Original Proceedings. (1) Cases which originate in the United States district courts.

Removed from State Court. (2) Proceedings initiated in state courts may be removed to the district courts under Title 28 U.S.C., Section 1441. When the petition for removal is granted, check this box.

Remanded from Appellate Court. (3) Check this box for cases remanded to the district court for further action. Use the date of remand as the filing date.

Reinstated or Reopened. (4) Check this box for cases reinstated or reopened in the district court. Use the reopening date as the filing date.

Transferred from Another District. (5) For cases transferred under Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a). Do not use this for within district transfers or multidistrict litigation transfers.

Multidistrict Litigation. (6) Check this box when a multidistrict case is transferred into the district under authority of Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1407. When this box is checked, do not check (5) above.

Appeal to District Judge from Magistrate Judgment. (7) Check this box for an appeal from a magistrate judge's decision.

 VI.
 Cause of Action. Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. Do not cite jurisdictional Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553

 Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service

VII. Requested in Complaint. Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P.

Demand. In this space enter the dollar amount (in thousands of dollars) being demanded or indicate other demand such as a preliminary injunction.

Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.

VIII. Related Cases. This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related pending cases, if any. If there are related pending cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

Date and Attorney Signature. Date and sign the civil cover sheet.