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Northern District of California**

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Judge: EDWARD M. CHEN

Case No.: [21-cv-01418-EMC](#)

Case Name: Brooks v. Thomson Reuters Corporation

Attorney for Plaintiff: Andre Mura and Ezekiel Wald

Attorney for Defendant: Nicola Menaldo (Thomson Reuters Corp.) and Jason Wu (Non-Party File & ServeXpress, LLC)

Deputy Clerk: Vicky Ayala

Court Reporter: Joan Columbini

PROCEEDINGS

Motion for Protective Order - held

SUMMARY

Parties stated appearances.

MINUTE ORDER

The Court **GRANTS in part** and **DENIES in part** the Non-party's, FSX's, motion to intervene and motion for a protective order pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 24(b), 26(b), and 26(c). In addition, the Court orders the Parties to designate FSX's service agreement as "Highly Confidential – Attorney's Eyes Only."

The Court grants permissive intervention for the limited purpose of preserving confidentiality of the Non-Party's service agreement.

Plaintiff demonstrated that FSX's service agreement appears relevant to the claims plead and is thus entitled to it in discovery. There is no significant burden in providing the service agreement particularly in view of its protection by the AEO protective order.

This order disposes of Docket No. 88.