

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

**Civil Division**

Central District, Spring Street Courthouse, Department 6

**23STCV12111**

**LATOYA JEFFERSON vs FASHION NOVA, LLC**

September 6, 2023

10:00 AM

Judge: Honorable Elihu M. Berle

Judicial Assistant: M. Fregoso

Courtroom Assistant: M. Molinar

CSR: A. L. Pittman, CSR # 13298

ERM: None

Deputy Sheriff: None

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**APPEARANCES:**

For Plaintiff(s): Laura E. Goolsby via LACC

For Defendant(s): Anna Tutundjian

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**NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS:** Hearing on Motion to Compel Arbitration

The matter is called for hearing.

Pursuant to Government Code sections 68086, 70044, California Rules of Court, rule 2.956, and the stipulation of appearing parties, Adra L. Pittman, CSR # 13298, certified shorthand reporter is appointed as an official Court reporter pro tempore in these proceedings, and is ordered to comply with the terms of the Court Reporter Agreement. The Order is signed and filed this date.

The Motion to Compel Arbitration is heard and argued.

The Court after reviewing and considering all moving party and opposing party papers, and arguments of counsel, makes the following ruling:

The Motion to Compel Arbitration is DENIED, for the reasons stated on the record. However, Defendant may renew the motion if plaintiff amends the complaint to seek relief beyond injunction. The Court's ruling is more fully reflected in the notes of the Official Court Reporter incorporated herein by reference.

Deadline for defendant to file an answer to the complaint is October 6, 2023.

Status Conference set for December 6, 2023, remains on calendar. The parties are to meet and confer and file a joint status report by November 29, 2023, with proposals for going forward.

Plaintiff is directed to give notice and post a copy of same on the parties' electronic service website.