

**U.S. District Court
California Northern District (San Francisco)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 3:08-cv-04945-MHP**

Chapman et al v. Dell Inc.
Assigned to: Hon. Marilyn H. Patel
Cause: 42:2000e Job Discrimination (Employment)

Date Filed: 10/29/2008
Date Terminated: 12/17/2008
Jury Demand: Plaintiff
Nature of Suit: 442 Civil Rights: Jobs
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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10/29/2008	<u>1</u>	CLASS ACTION COMPLAINT; Jury Trial Requested against Dell Inc. (Filing fee \$ 350.00, receipt number 34611024915). Filed by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 10/29/2008) (gba, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 10/29/2008)
10/29/2008	<u>2</u>	ADR SCHEDULING ORDER: Case Management Statement due by 2/2/2009. Case Management Conference set for 2/9/2009 04:00 PM. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> MHP Standing Order, # <u>2</u> New Standing Order)(gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 10/29/2008) (Entered: 10/29/2008)
10/29/2008	<u>3</u>	Summons Issued as to Dell Inc.. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 10/29/2008) (Entered: 10/29/2008)
10/29/2008		CASE DESIGNATED for Electronic Filing. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 10/29/2008) (Entered: 10/29/2008)
10/31/2008	<u>4</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>First Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 10/31/2008) (Entered: 10/31/2008)
10/31/2008	<u>5</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Second Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 10/31/2008) (Entered: 10/31/2008)
10/31/2008	<u>6</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Third Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 10/31/2008) (Entered: 10/31/2008)
11/03/2008	<u>7</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Fourth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/3/2008) (Entered: 11/03/2008)
11/03/2008	<u>8</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>SIXTH Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/3/2008) Modified on 11/12/2008 (ewn, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 11/03/2008)
11/06/2008	<u>9</u>	EXHIBITS re <u>4</u> Notice (Other) <i>Exhibit A</i> filed by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (Related document(s) <u>4</u>) (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/6/2008) (Entered: 11/06/2008)
11/10/2008	<u>10</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>FIFTH Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/10/2008) Modified on 11/12/2008 (ewn, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 11/10/2008)
11/11/2008	<u>11</u>	NOTICE by Mildred J. Chapman <i>SEVENTH NOTICE OF FILING OF CONSENT TO JOIN FORM</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/11/2008) (Entered: 11/11/2008)
11/12/2008	<u>12</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Eighth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/12/2008) (Entered: 11/12/2008)
11/13/2008	<u>13</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Ninth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/13/2008) (Entered: 11/13/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>14</u>	Certificate of Interested Entities by Dell Inc. [<i>Certification of Interested Parties</i>] (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>15</u>	NOTICE by Dell Inc. <i>Notice of Pendency of Other Action or Proceeding Pursuant to L.R. 3-13</i> (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>16</u>	MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] filed by Dell Inc.. Motion Hearing set for 12/22/2008 02:00 PM in Courtroom 15, 18th Floor, San Francisco. (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>17</u>	Brief re <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] filed by Dell Inc.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit A, # <u>2</u> Exhibit B, # <u>3</u> Exhibit C, # <u>4</u> Exhibit D, # <u>5</u> Exhibit E, # <u>6</u> Exhibit F, # <u>7</u> Exhibit G, # <u>8</u> Exhibit

		H, # <u>9</u> Exhibit I, # <u>10</u> Exhibit J)(Related document(s) <u>16</u>) (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>18</u>	Declaration of Richard Bye in Support of <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] filed by Dell Inc.. (Related document(s) <u>16</u>) (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>19</u>	Declaration of Craig Briscoe in Support of <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] filed by Dell Inc.. (Related document(s) <u>16</u>) (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>20</u>	Proposed Order re <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] by Dell Inc.. (Eisen, Rebecca) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/14/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>21</u>	MOTION for Admission of Attorney Michael S. Burkhardt Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 210.00, receipt number 34611025563) filed by Dell Inc.. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (Entered: 11/17/2008)
11/14/2008	<u>22</u>	Received Order re <u>21</u> MOTION for leave to appear in Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 210.00, receipt number 34611025563) by Dell Inc.. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/14/2008) (gba, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 11/17/2008)
11/17/2008	<u>23</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Tenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/17/2008) (Entered: 11/17/2008)
11/18/2008	<u>24</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Eleventh Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/18/2008) (Entered: 11/18/2008)
11/19/2008	<u>25</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Twelvth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/19/2008) (Entered: 11/19/2008)
11/19/2008	<u>26</u>	ORDER by Judge Marilyn H. Patel granting <u>21</u> Motion for Pro Hac Vice by Michael S. Burkhardt. (rbe, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/19/2008) (Entered: 11/19/2008)
11/19/2008	<u>29</u>	MOTION for Admission of Steven L. Wittels Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 210.00, receipt number 34611025675) filed by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/19/2008) (Entered: 11/25/2008)
11/19/2008	<u>30</u>	Received Order re <u>29</u> MOTION for leave to appear in Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 210.00, receipt number 34611025675) by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/19/2008) (gba, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 11/25/2008)
11/19/2008	<u>31</u>	MOTION for Admission of David Sanford Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 210.00, receipt number 34611025676) filed by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/19/2008) (Entered: 11/25/2008)
11/19/2008	<u>32</u>	Received Order re <u>31</u> MOTION for leave to appear in Pro Hac Vice (Filing fee \$ 210.00, receipt number 34611025676) by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 11/19/2008) (gba, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 11/25/2008)
11/20/2008	<u>27</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Thirteenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/20/2008) (Entered: 11/20/2008)
11/21/2008	<u>28</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Fourteenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join Form</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 11/21/2008) (Entered: 11/21/2008)

12/01/2008	<u>33</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Fifteenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join Form</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/1/2008) (Entered: 12/01/2008)
12/01/2008	<u>34</u>	MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] filed by Mildred J. Chapman. Motion Hearing set for 12/22/2008 10:00 AM. (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/1/2008) (Entered: 12/01/2008)
12/01/2008	<u>35</u>	Declaration of Steven L. Wittels in Support of <u>34</u> MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] filed by Mildred J. Chapman. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1 and 2)(Related document(s) <u>34</u>) (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/1/2008) (Entered: 12/01/2008)
12/01/2008	<u>36</u>	Proposed Order re <u>34</u> MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] by Mildred J. Chapman. (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/1/2008) (Entered: 12/01/2008)
12/01/2008	<u>37</u>	CERTIFICATE of Counsel re <u>34</u> MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] MOTION for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply as to <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case [<i>Defendant's Notice of Motion and Motion to Transfer Venue</i>] <i>Certificate of Service</i> by Thomas Marc Litton on behalf of Mildred J. Chapman (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/1/2008) (Entered: 12/01/2008)
12/02/2008	<u>38</u>	ORDER by Judge Marilyn Hall Patel granting <u>29</u> plaintiffs' Motion for attorney Steven L Wittels to appear Pro Hac Vice (awb, COURT-STAFF) (Filed on 12/2/2008) (Entered: 12/02/2008)
12/02/2008	<u>39</u>	ORDER by Judge Marilyn Hall Patel granting <u>31</u> plaintiffs' Motion for attorney David Sanford to appear Pro Hac Vice (awb, COURT-STAFF) (Filed on 12/2/2008) (Entered: 12/02/2008)
12/04/2008	<u>40</u>	ORDER by Judge Marilyn Hall Patel DENYING/MODIFYING <u>34</u> Motion for Extension of Time to File Response/Reply re <u>16</u> MOTION to Transfer Case; Responses due by 12/15/2008; Replies due by 12/22/2008; Motion to be heard 1/5/2009 at 2:00 pm (awb, COURT-STAFF) (Filed on 12/4/2008) (Entered: 12/04/2008)
12/05/2008	<u>41</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Sixteenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join Form</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/5/2008) (Entered: 12/05/2008)
12/08/2008	<u>42</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Seventeenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join Form</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/8/2008) (Entered: 12/08/2008)
12/08/2008	<u>43</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Eighteenth Notice of Filing of Consent to Join Form</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/8/2008) (Entered: 12/08/2008)
12/15/2008	<u>44</u>	NOTICE by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey <i>Revocation of Consent to Join Collective Action and Become Party Plaintiff</i> (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/15/2008) (Entered: 12/15/2008)
12/15/2008	<u>45</u>	*** FILED IN ERROR. PLEASE SEE DOCKET # <u>46</u> . *** STIPULATION <i>Stipulation Consenting to Transfer Venue</i> by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/15/2008) Modified on 12/18/2008 (ewn, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 12/15/2008)

12/17/2008	<u>46</u>	STIPULATION <i>Stipulation Consenting to Transfer Venue</i> by Bethany Riches, Mildred J. Chapman, Angela Hopkins, Julia M. Mahaffey. (Litton, Thomas) (Filed on 12/17/2008) (Entered: 12/17/2008)
12/17/2008	<u>47</u>	STIPULATION AND ORDER TRANSFERRING CASE to Western District of Texas; Signed by Judge Marilyn Hall Patel on 12/16/2008. (awb, COURT-STAFF) (Filed on 12/17/2008) (Entered: 12/17/2008)
12/31/2008		ERRONEOUS ENTRY Transferring case to the Western District of Texas electronically. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 12/31/2008) Modified on 1/5/2009 (gba, COURT STAFF). (Entered: 12/31/2008)
01/05/2009	<u>48</u>	Certified copy of transfer order and docket sheet along with the original case file sent to Western District of Texas. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/5/2009) (Entered: 01/05/2009)
01/12/2009	<u>49</u>	Acknowledgement Receipt from Western District of Texas of transferred case. (gba, COURT STAFF) (Filed on 1/12/2009) (Entered: 01/12/2009)