

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

JOSEPH ZIMMERMAN, ANTHONY
DEVITO, and SEAN DONNELLY,
individually and on behalf of all others
similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

PARAMOUNT GLOBAL, COMEDY
PARTNERS and DOES 1-10,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:23-cv-2409 (VSB)

Hon. Vernon S. Broderick

MICHAEL KAPLAN, an individual on
behalf of himself and all others similarly
situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

COMEDY PARTNERS, a New York general
partnership,

Defendant.

Consolidated with:

Case No. 1:22-cv-09355 (VSB)

**PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF MOTION FOR REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES,
COSTS AND SERVICE AWARDS**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on July 22, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard in the Courtroom of the Honorable Vernon S. Broderick, United States District Court, Southern District of New York, Plaintiffs Joseph Zimmerman, Anthony DeVito, Sean Donnelly, and Michael Kaplan, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated, will and hereby does move the Court, pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 23(h) and

54(d)(2), for an order approving and awarding attorneys' fees, costs and service awards. By way of this Motion, Plaintiff seeks:

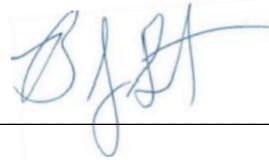
1. \$3,666,666.66 in attorneys' fees;
2. \$78,073.50 in verified litigation costs to Class Counsel;¹ and
3. \$20,000 in service awards to Plaintiffs.

This Motion is made on the grounds that: (1) Plaintiffs' requested attorneys' fees are fair and reasonable in light of the efforts of Class Counsel in obtaining the settlement; (2) the requested attorneys' fees comport with the applicable law; (3) the expenses for which reimbursement is sought were reasonably and necessarily incurred in connection with the prosecution of this action; and, (4) a reasonable payment to Plaintiffs for their efforts on behalf of the Class is warranted and appropriate.

This Motion is based upon this Notice of Motion, the accompanying Memorandum of Points and Authorities, the declarations of Class Counsel, and the pleadings and records on file herein, and upon such additional evidence or argument as may be accepted by the Court at or prior to the hearing.

Dated: May 5, 2025

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ This sum includes an estimated \$10,000 for travel and lodging to and from the final fairness hearing. Plaintiffs will present the final total of costs before the hearing on this Motion.

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