

**UNPUBLISHED**

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS**

**FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT**

RICHARD L. BAST,

Plaintiff-Appellant.

and

INTER-WORLD DEVELOPMENT  
CORPORATION; INTERNATIONAL  
INVESTIGATIONS, INCORPORATED,  
Plaintiffs.

v.

VICTOR MICHAEL GLASBERG; JEANNE  
GOLDBERG; COHEN, DUNN &  
SINCLAIR, P.C.; J. FREDERICK  
SINCLAIR; THOMAS J. CURCIO; CARTER  
& KRAMER, P.C.; CHARLES WARREN  
KRAMER; JACOBOVITZ, ENGLISH &  
SMITH, P.C.; DAVID BENJAMIN SMITH;

No. 95-2637

BARBARA OZELLA REVES; CLAUDE  
DAVID CONVISSER; WILLIAM G.  
BILLINGHAM; NANCY GERTNER;  
JODY L. NEWMAN; ROGER A. COX,  
Defendants-Appellees.

and

ANTONIA LEIGH PETTIT; PATRICIA  
GRIEST; JOHN F. DAVIS; MARY  
AUDREY LARKIN; LOIS AMES;  
DELMAR D. HARTLEY; ANTHONY  
JOSEPH PETTIT; MADDONA LEA  
SCHAMP PETTIT, removed to  
Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern  
District of Virginia; ANNE CONNELL;  
WILLIAM C. HILLMAN,  
Defendants.

RICHARD L. BAST,  
Plaintiff-Appellant,

and

INTER-WORLD DEVELOPMENT  
CORPORATION; INTERNATIONAL  
INVESTIGATIONS, INCORPORATED,  
Plaintiffs,

v.

JOHN F. DAVIS; ANTHONY JOSEPH  
PETTIT; MADDONA LEA SCHAMP  
PETTIT, removed to Bankruptcy  
Court for the Eastern District of  
Virginia,  
Defendants-Appellees,

and

No. 96-1038

VICTOR MICHAEL GLASBERG; JEANNE  
GOLDBERG; COHEN, DUNN &  
SINCLAIR, P.C.; J. FREDERICK  
SINCLAIR; THOMAS J. CURCIO;  
ANTONIA LEIGH PETTIT; CARTER &  
KRAMER, P.C.; CHARLES WARREN  
KRAMER; JACOBVITZ, ENGLISH &  
SMITH, P.C.; DAVID BENJAMIN SMITH;  
BARBARA OZELLA REVES; CLAUDE  
DAVID CONVISSER; WILLIAM G.  
BILLINGHAM; NANCY GERTNER;  
PATRICIA GRIEST; JODY L. NEWMAN;  
MARY AUDREY LARKIN; LOIS AMES;  
DELMAR D. HARTLEY; ANNE  
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KRAMER; JACOBVITZ, ENGLISH &  
SMITH, P.C.; DAVID SMITH; BARBARA  
OZELLA REVES; CLAUDE DAVID

No. 96-1039

CONVISSER; WILLIAM G. BILLINGHAM;  
NANCY GERTNER; PATRICIA GRIEST;  
JODY L. NEWMAN; JOHN F. DAVIS;  
MARY AUDREY LARKIN; LOIS AMES;  
ANTHONY JOSEPH PETTIT; ROGER A.  
COX,  
Defendants-Appellees,

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Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern  
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WILLIAM C. HILLMAN,  
Defendants.

Appeals from the United States District Court  
for the Eastern District of Virginia, at Alexandria.  
Albert V. Bryan, Jr., Senior District Judge.  
(CA-95-531-A)

Submitted: May 28, 1996

Decided: July 12, 1996

Before HAMILTON, LUTTIG, and WILLIAMS, Circuit Judges.

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Nos. 95-2637 and 96-1038 affirmed and No. 96-1039 affirmed in part, dismissed in part, and remanded by unpublished per curiam opinion.

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Unpublished opinions are not binding precedent in this circuit. See Local Rule 36(c).

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#### **OPINION**

##### **PER CURIAM:**

Appellants Richard L. Bast, Inter-World Development Corp., and International Investigations, Inc., appeal the district court's decisions dismissing their civil action (No. 95-2637), denying their FED. R. CIV. P. 60(b) motion (No. 96-1038), and imposing FED. R. CIV. P. 11 sanctions (No. 96-1039). We have reviewed the record and the district court's opinions and find no reversible errors. Accordingly, we affirm

No. 95-2637 and 96-1038 on the reasoning of the district court, and affirm No. 96-1039 on the reasoning of the district court only as to Appellant Bast. Bast v. Glasberg, No. CA-95-531-A (E.D. Va. Aug. 4, 1995; Nov. 20, 1995; Dec. 6, 1995). As to the corporate Appellants, we dismiss No. 96-1039 for lack of prosecution because they failed to file counsel information, and corporations are not permitted to proceed without representation.

Additionally, we deny Appellants' motions to stay the proceedings because of their petitions for bankruptcy. See Alpern v. Lieb, 11 F.3d 689 (7th Cir. 1993). We deny Appellant Bast's renewed motion to stay on the basis of his medical condition, deny his motion for additional time to obtain counsel for the corporate Appellants, and deny Appellees' motion for summary affirmance. Finally, we grant Appellees' motion for FED. R. APP. P. 38 sanctions and remand to the district court for a determination of costs and attorneys' fees.

No. 95-2637 - AFFIRMED

No. 96-1038 - AFFIRMED

No. 96-1039 - AFFIRMED IN PART, DISMISSED IN PART, AND REMANDED

