## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

Manuel de Jesus Ortega Melendres, et al.,	No. CV-07-2513-PHX-GMS
Plaintiffs,	ORDER
v. )	
Joseph m. Arpaio, et al.,	
Defendants.	
}	

Pending before the Court is Defendant's Motion for Protective Order (Doc. 383). The Motion sets forth no justification for the entry of protective order pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(c). Further, "[t]he Motion does not include a certification that the movant has in good faith conferred or attempted to confer with other affected parties in an effort to resolve the dispute without court action." To the extent that arguments are cursorily raised for the first time in the reply, the Court does not consider arguments raised for the first time in a reply. Should a Defendant deem that any of the arguments raised for the first time in a reply justifies an order of protection pursuant to Rule 26(c) it may renew the motion upon compliance with the rule. Therefore,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** denying the Motion for Prote ctive Order without prejudice (Doc. 383).

DATED this 9th day of December, 2010.

G. Murray Snow
United States District Judge