## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION, and

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF LEGAL AFFAIRS,

Plaintiffs,

v.

TREASHONNA P. GRAHAM, a/k/a SHONNA GRAHAM, a/k/a TREASHONNA LEE WILLIAMS, a/k/a SHONNA LEE WILLIAMS, also d/b/a The GRANT BAE, GRANT BAE, and GRANT BAE CONSULTING AND MORE, individually and as a member, manager, or owner of C LEE ENTERPRISES LLC, and

C LEE ENTEPRISES LLC, a Florida limited liability company, also d/b/a GRANT BAE and GRANT BAE CONSULTING AND MORE,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:22-cv-655-MMH-JBT

EX PARTE TEMPORARY
RESTRAINING ORDER WITH
ASSET FREEZE, APPOINTMENT OF
A TEMPORARY RECEIVER, AND
OTHER EQUITABLE RELIEF, AND
SETTING A PRELIMINARY
INJUNCTION HEARING

(FILED UNDER SEAL)

Plaintiffs, the Federal Trade Commission ("FTC"), and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Florida, Department of Legal Affairs ("Florida Attorney General"), have filed their Complaint for Permanent Injunction and Other Equitable Relief pursuant to Sections 13(b) and 19 of the Federal Trade Commission Act ("FTC Act"), 15 U.S.C. §§ 53(b) and 57b; Section 1401(c)(1) of the COVID-19

Consumer Protection Act of the 2021 Consolidated Appropriations Act, Pub. L. No. 116-260, 134 Stat. 1182, Title XIV, § 1401(c)(1), 15 U.S.C. § 45 note (Prohibiting Deceptive Acts or Practices in Connection With the Novel Coronavirus ("CCPA") § 1401(c)(1)) ("COVID-19 Consumer Protection Act" or "CCPA"); and the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act, Chapter 501, Part II, Florida Statutes ("FDUTPA"), and have moved, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(b), for a temporary restraining order, asset freeze, other equitable relief, and an order to show cause why a preliminary injunction should not issue against Defendants Treashonna P. Graham and C Lee Enterprises LLC. See Plaintiffs' Ex Parte Motion for Temporary Restraining Order with Asset Freeze, Appointment of a Temporary Receiver, Other Equitable Relief, and Order to Show Cause Why a Preliminary Injunction Should Not Issue, and Memorandum in Support Thereof (Doc. 5; Motion), filed on June 13, 2022.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

The Court, having considered the Complaint, the *ex parte* Motion, the declarations and exhibits, as well as the memorandum of points and authorities filed in support of the Motion, and being otherwise advised, finds that:

A. This Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter of this case, and there is good cause to believe that it will have jurisdiction over all parties hereto and that venue in this district is proper.

- B. There is good cause to believe that in numerous instances, Defendants have operated a grant writing and business consulting scheme in which they, among other things:
  - 1. Falsely represent that Grant Bae clients will receive grant funding;
  - 2. Falsely represent that any minority-owned business will receive a minimum of \$25,000 in grant funding;
  - 3. Falsely represent the amount of grant funding Defendants had historically secured (e.g., that Defendants secured \$32 million in grant funding between May 24, 2021, and August 24, 2021, and secured \$75 million in grant funding during calendar year 2021);
  - 4. Falsely represent that most Grant Bae clients will receive funds within five to seven days of the grant's "closing" date provided by Grant Bae;
  - 5. Falsely represent that Defendants provide a "money-back guarantee";
  - 6. Falsely represent that their Longevity Pilot program would provide consumers access to legal, accounting, branding, and consulting services; and
  - 7. Falsely represent that Grant Bae would apply on consumers' behalves for grant funds under the federal government's COVID-19 Economic Injury Disaster Loan ("EIDL") program.

- C. There is good cause to believe that Defendants Treashonna P. Graham and C Lee Enterprises LLC have engaged in and are likely to engage in acts or practices that violate Section 5(a) of the FTC Act, 15 U.S.C. § 45(a); Section 1401(b)(2) of the CCPA, 15 U.S.C. § 45 note (CCPA § 1401(b)(2)); and the FDUTPA, Chapter 501, Part II, Florida Statutes, and that Plaintiffs are therefore likely to prevail on the merits of this action. As demonstrated by the declarations, and accompanying attachments, of the FTC's investigator, individual consumers, and grant writing expert David Bauer, and the additional documentation filed by the FTC, Plaintiffs have established a likelihood of success in showing that Defendants made numerous false statements to lure consumers into paying for "guaranteed" grant funding that Defendants could not, and did not, obtain.<sup>1</sup>
- D. There is good cause to believe that immediate and irreparable harm will result from Defendants' ongoing violations of the FTC Act, the CCPA, and the FDUTPA unless Defendants are restrained and enjoined by order of this Court.
- E. There is good cause to believe that immediate and irreparable damage to the Court's ability to grant effective final relief for consumers—including monetary restitution, rescission, disgorgement or refunds—will occur from the sale, transfer, destruction or other disposition or concealment by Defendants of their

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Consistent with temporary restraining order practice, these findings are based solely on Plaintiffs' pleadings and declarations and are made for the purpose of resolving the TRO Motion. This conclusion does not foreclose the argument at the preliminary injunction hearing that Plaintiffs cannot establish a likelihood of success on the merits.

assets or records, unless Defendants are immediately restrained and enjoined by order of this Court; and that, in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(b), the interests of justice require that this Order be granted without prior notice to Defendants. Thus, there is good cause for relieving Plaintiffs of the duty to provide Defendants with prior notice of its Motion for a Temporary Restraining Order.

- F. Good cause exists for appointing a temporary receiver over the Receivership Entities, freezing Defendants' assets, authorizing the temporary receiver to take possession of items of Defendants' personal property as governed by Section XIII.E. of this Order, permitting Plaintiffs and the Receiver immediate access to Defendants' business premises, including premises located in residential properties, and permitting Plaintiffs and the Receiver to take expedited discovery.
- G. Weighing the equities and considering Plaintiffs' likelihood of ultimate success on the merits, a temporary restraining order with an asset freeze, the appointment of a temporary receiver, immediate access to business premises, including premises located in residential properties, expedited discovery, and other equitable relief is in the public interest.
- H. This Court has authority to issue this Order pursuant to Sections 13(b) and 19 of the FTC Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 53(b) and 57b; section 501.207 of the Florida Statutes; Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65; and the All Writs Act, 28 U.S.C. § 1651.
- I. No security is required of any agency of the United States for issuance of a temporary restraining order. Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(c).

#### **DEFINITIONS**

For the purpose of this Order, the following definitions shall apply:

- A. "Asset" means any legal or equitable interest in, right to, or claim to, any property, wherever located and by whomever held, whether tangible, intangible, digital, intellectual property, or otherwise.
- B. "Corporate Defendant" means C Lee Enterprises LLC, also doing business as Grant Bae and Grant Bae Consulting and More, and each of its subsidiaries, affiliates, successors, and assigns.
- C. "**Defendants**" means Corporate Defendant and Individual Defendant, individually, collectively, or in any combination.
- D. "Document" is synonymous in meaning and equal in scope to the usage of "document" and "electronically stored information" in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 34(a), Fed. R. Civ. P. 34(a), and includes writings, drawings, graphs, charts, photographs, sound and video recordings, images, Internet sites, web pages, websites, electronic correspondence, including e-mail and instant messages, contracts, accounting data, advertisements, FTP Logs, Server Access Logs, books, written or printed records, handwritten notes, telephone logs, telephone scripts, receipt books, ledgers, personal and business canceled checks and check registers, bank statements, appointment books, computer records, customer or sales databases and any other electronically stored information, including Documents located on remote servers or cloud computing systems, and other data or data compilations

from which information can be obtained directly or, if necessary, after translation into a reasonably usable form. A draft or non-identical copy is a separate document within the meaning of the term.

- E. "Electronic Data Host" means any person or entity in the business of storing, hosting, or otherwise maintaining electronically stored information. This includes, but is not limited to, any entity hosting a website or server, and any entity providing "cloud based" electronic storage.
- F. "Individual Defendant" means Treashonna P. Graham, and by whatever other name she may be known.
- G. "**Receiver**" means the temporary receiver appointed in Section XII of this Order and any deputy receivers that shall be named by the temporary receiver.
- H. "Receivership Entities" means Corporate Defendant and any other entity that has conducted any business related to Defendants' grant writing and business consulting services, including receipt of Assets derived from any activity that is the subject of the Complaint in this matter, and that the Receiver determines is controlled or owned by any Defendant.

#### ORDER

#### I. PROHIBITED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendants, Defendants' officers, agents, employees, and attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation with them, who receive actual notice of this Order by personal service or otherwise, whether acting directly or indirectly, in connection with the

advertising, marketing, promoting, or offering for sale of any goods or services related to business consulting, or the procurement of grants, loans or any other form of traditional or non-traditional funding, are temporarily restrained and enjoined from misrepresenting or assisting others in misrepresenting, expressly or by implication, material facts such as:

- A. That consumers are guaranteed to receive grant funding;
- B. That consumers will receive a certain dollar amount of grant funding;
- C. The amounts of funding Defendants have secured historically;
- D. That consumers will receive funds in a certain amount of time;
- E. That Defendants provide a "money-back guarantee";
- F. The nature and extent of the business consulting services offered by Defendants (for example, the Longevity Pilot and its accompanying services and benefits);
- G. That Defendants will apply on any consumer's behalf for particular grant or loan funding (for example, funds under the Small Business

  Administration's Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) program); and
- H. Any fact regarding the total costs; any restrictions, limitations, or conditions; or any other aspect of the performance, efficacy, nature, or central characteristics of the goods or services offered.
- II. PROHIBITION ON RELEASE OF CUSTOMER INFORMATION

  IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants, Defendants' officers, agents, employees, and attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation

with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, whether acting directly or indirectly, are hereby temporarily restrained and enjoined from disclosing, using, transferring, or benefitting from customer information, including the name, address, telephone number, email address, birth date, social security number, other identifying information, or any data that enables access to a customer's account (including a credit card, bank account, or other financial account), that any Defendant obtained prior to entry of this Order.

Provided, however, that Defendants may disclose such identifying information to a law enforcement agency, to their attorneys as required for their defense, as required by any law, regulation, or court order, or in any filings, pleadings, or discovery in this action in the manner required by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and by any protective order in the case.

#### III. ASSET FREEZE

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendants and their officers, agents, employees, and attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, whether acting directly or indirectly, are hereby temporarily restrained and enjoined from:

- A. Transferring, liquidating, converting, encumbering, pledging, loaning, selling, concealing, dissipating, disbursing, assigning, relinquishing, spending, withdrawing, granting a lien or security interest or other interest in, or otherwise disposing of any Assets that are:
  - 1. owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by any Defendant;

- 2. held, in part or in whole, for the benefit of any Defendant;
- 3. in the actual or constructive possession of any Defendant; or
- 4. owned or controlled by, in the actual or constructive possession of, or otherwise held for the benefit of, any corporation, partnership, asset protection trust, or other entity that is directly or indirectly owned, managed or controlled by any Defendant.
- B. Opening or causing to be opened any safe deposit boxes, commercial mailboxes, or storage facilities titled in the name of any Defendant or subject to access by any Defendant, except as necessary to comply with written requests from the Receiver acting pursuant to its authority under this Order;
- C. Incurring charges or cash advances on any credit, debit, or ATM card issued in the name, individually or jointly, of Corporate Defendant or any corporation, partnership, or other entity directly or indirectly owned, managed, or controlled by any Defendant or of which any Defendant is an officer, director, member, or manager. This includes any corporate bankcard or corporate credit card account for which any Defendant is, or was on the date that this Order was signed, an authorized signor;<sup>2</sup> or
- D. Cashing any checks or depositing any money orders or cash received from consumers, clients, or customers of any Defendant.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> However, this section does <u>not</u> prohibit the Individual Defendant from incurring charges on a personal credit card established prior to entry of this Order as provided in Part IV.A.

The Assets affected by this Section shall include: (1) all Assets of Defendants as of the time this Order is entered; and (2) Assets obtained by Defendants after this Order is entered if those Assets are derived from any activity that is the subject of the Complaint in this matter or that is prohibited by this Order. This Section does not prohibit any transfers to the Receiver or repatriation of foreign Assets specifically required by this Order.

#### IV. DUTIES OF ASSET HOLDERS AND OTHER THIRD PARTIES

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any financial or brokerage institution,
Electronic Data Host, credit card processor, payment processor, merchant bank,
acquiring bank, independent sales organization, third party processor, payment
gateway, insurance company, casino, business entity, or person who receives actual
notice of this Order (by service or otherwise) that:

- (a) has held, controlled, or maintained custody, through an account or otherwise, of any Document on behalf of any Defendant or any Asset that has been: owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by any Defendant; held, in part or in whole, for the benefit of any Defendant; in the actual or constructive possession of any Defendant; or owned or controlled by, in the actual or constructive possession of, or otherwise held for the benefit of, any corporation, partnership, asset protection trust, or other entity that is directly or indirectly owned, managed or controlled by any Defendant;
- (b) has held, controlled, or maintained custody, through an account or otherwise, of any Document or Asset associated with credits, debits, or charges made

on behalf of any Defendant, including reserve funds held by payment processors, credit card processors, merchant banks, acquiring banks, independent sales organizations, third party processors, payment gateways, insurance companies, casinos, or other entities; or

- (c) has extended credit to any Defendant, including through a credit card account, shall:
- A. Hold, preserve, and retain within its control and prohibit the withdrawal, removal, alteration, assignment, transfer, pledge, encumbrance, disbursement, dissipation, relinquishment, conversion, sale, or other disposal of any such Document or Asset, as well as all Documents or other property related to such Assets, except by further order of this Court; provided, however, that this provision does not prohibit Individual Defendant from incurring charges on a personal credit card established prior to entry of this Order, up to the pre-existing credit limit;
- B. Deny any person, except the Receiver, access to any safe deposit box, commercial mailbox, or storage facility that is titled in the name of any Defendant, either individually or jointly, or otherwise subject to access by any Defendant;
- C. Provide Plaintiffs' counsel and the Receiver, within five (5) days of receiving a copy of this Order, a sworn statement setting forth, for each Asset or account covered by this Section:
  - 1. The identification number of each such account or Asset;
  - 2. The balance of each such account, or a description of the nature and value of each such Asset as of the close of business on the

day on which this Order is served, and, if the account or other Asset has been closed or removed, the date closed or removed, the total funds removed in order to close the account, and the name of the person or entity to whom such account or other Asset was remitted; and

- 3. The identification of any safe deposit box, commercial mailbox, or storage facility that is either titled in the name, individually or jointly, of any Defendant, or is otherwise subject to access by any Defendant; and
- D. Upon the request of Plaintiffs' counsel or the Receiver, promptly provide Plaintiffs' counsel and the Receiver with copies of all records or other Documents pertaining to each account covered by this Section or Asset, including originals or copies of account applications, account statements, signature cards, checks, drafts, deposit tickets, transfers to and from the accounts, including wire transfers and wire transfer instructions, all other debit and credit instruments or slips, currency transaction reports, 1099 forms, and all logs and records pertaining to safe deposit boxes, commercial mail boxes, and storage facilities.

Provided, however, that this Section does not prohibit any transfers to the Receiver or repatriation of foreign Assets specifically required by this Order.

#### V. FINANCIAL DISCLOSURES

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that each Defendant, within eight (8) days of service of this Order upon them, shall prepare and deliver to Plaintiffs' counsel and the Receiver:

- A. completed financial statements on the forms attached to this Order as

  Attachment A (Financial Statement of Individual Defendant) for the Individual

  Defendant, and Attachment B (Financial Statement of Corporate Defendant) for the

  Corporate Defendant; and
- B. completed **Attachment C** (IRS Form 4506, Request for Copy of a Tax Return) for the Individual Defendant and the Corporate Defendant.

#### VI. FOREIGN ASSET REPATRIATION

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that within eight (8) days following the service of this Order, each Defendant shall:

A. Provide Plaintiffs' counsel and the Receiver with a full accounting, verified under oath and accurate as of the date of this Order, of all Assets,

Documents, and accounts outside of the United States which are: (1) titled in the name, individually or jointly, of any Defendant; (2) held by any person or entity for the benefit of any Defendant or for the benefit of, any corporation, partnership, asset protection trust, or other entity that is directly or indirectly owned, managed or controlled by any Defendant; or (3) under the direct or indirect control, whether jointly or singly, of any Defendant;

- B. Take all steps necessary to provide Plaintiffs' counsel and Receiver access to all Documents and records that may be held by third parties located outside of the territorial United States of America, including signing the Consent to Release of Financial Records appended to this Order as **Attachment D**.
- C. Transfer to the territory of the United States all Documents and Assets located in foreign countries which are: (1) titled in the name, individually or jointly, of any Defendant; (2) held by any person or entity for the benefit of any Defendant or for the benefit of, any corporation, partnership, asset protection trust, or other entity that is directly or indirectly owned, managed or controlled by any Defendant; or (3) under the direct or indirect control, whether jointly or singly, of any Defendant; and
- D. The same business day as any repatriation, (1) notify the Receiver and counsel for Plaintiffs of the name and location of the financial institution or other entity that is the recipient of such Documents or Assets; and (2) serve this Order on any such financial institution or other entity.

#### VII. NON-INTERFERENCE WITH REPATRIATION

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants, Defendants' officers, agents, employees, and attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, whether acting directly or indirectly, are hereby temporarily restrained and enjoined from taking any action, directly or indirectly, which may result in the encumbrance or dissipation of foreign

Assets, or in the hindrance of the repatriation required by this Order, including, but not limited to:

- A. Sending any communication or engaging in any other act, directly or indirectly, that results in a determination by a foreign trustee or other entity that a "duress" event has occurred under the terms of a foreign trust agreement until such time that all Defendants' Assets have been fully repatriated pursuant to this Order; or
- B. Notifying any trustee, protector or other agent of any foreign trust or other related entities of either the existence of this Order, or of the fact that repatriation is required pursuant to a court order, until such time that all Defendants' Assets have been fully repatriated pursuant to this Order.

#### VIII. CONSUMER CREDIT REPORTS

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiffs may obtain credit reports concerning any Defendants pursuant to Section 604(a)(1) of the Fair Credit Reporting Act, 15 U.S.C. 1681b(a)(1), and that, upon written request, any credit reporting agency from which such reports are requested shall provide them to Plaintiff.

#### IX. PRESERVATION OF RECORDS

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendants, Defendants' officers, agents, employees, and attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, whether acting directly or indirectly, are hereby temporarily restrained and enjoined from:

- A. Destroying, erasing, falsifying, writing over, mutilating, concealing, altering, transferring, or otherwise disposing of, in any manner, directly or indirectly, Documents that relate to: (1) the business, business practices, Assets, or business or personal finances of any Defendant; (2) the business practices or finances of entities directly or indirectly under the control of any Defendant; or (3) the business practices or finances of entities directly or indirectly under common control with any other Defendant; and
- B. Failing to create and maintain Documents that, in reasonable detail, accurately, fairly, and completely reflect Defendants' incomes, disbursements, transactions, and use of Defendants' Assets.

#### X. PRESERVATION OF RECORDS BY THIRD PARTIES

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any person who receives actual notice of this Order (by service or otherwise) that has held, controlled, or maintained custody of any Document on behalf of any Defendant that relates to the business or business practices of any Defendant or of any entity directly or indirectly under the control of any Defendant is hereby temporarily restrained and enjoined from destroying, erasing, falsifying, writing over, mutilating, concealing, altering, transferring, or otherwise disposing of, in any manner, directly or indirectly, any such Documents.

#### XI. REPORT OF NEW BUSINESS ACTIVITY

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendants, Defendants' officers, agents, employees, and attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, whether acting directly or

indirectly, are hereby temporarily restrained and enjoined from creating, operating, or exercising any control over any business entity, whether newly formed or previously inactive, including any partnership, limited partnership, joint venture, sole proprietorship, or corporation, without first providing Plaintiffs' counsel and the Receiver with a written statement disclosing: (1) the name of the business entity; (2) the address and telephone number of the business entity; (3) the names of the business entity's officers, directors, principals, managers, and employees; and (4) a detailed description of the business entity's intended activities.

#### XII. TEMPORARY RECEIVER

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mark Bernet, Partner at Akerman LLP is appointed as temporary receiver of the Receivership Entities with full powers of an equity receiver. The Receiver shall be solely the agent of this Court in acting as Receiver under this Order.

#### XIII. DUTIES AND AUTHORITY OF RECEIVER

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Receiver is directed and authorized to accomplish the following:

A. Assume full control of Receivership Entities by removing, as the Receiver deems necessary or advisable, any director, officer, independent contractor, employee, attorney, or agent of any Receivership Entity from control of, management of, or participation in, the affairs of the Receivership Entity;

- B. Take exclusive custody, control, and possession of all Assets and Documents of, or in the possession, custody, or under the control of, any Receivership Entity, wherever situated;
- C. Take exclusive custody, control, and possession of all Documents or Assets associated with credits, debits, or charges made on behalf of any Receivership Entity, wherever situated, including reserve funds held by payment processors, credit card processors, merchant banks, acquiring banks, independent sales organizations, third party processors, payment gateways, insurance companies, casinos, or other entities;
- D. Take exclusive custody, control, and possession of all computers, electronic devices, mobile devices, machines, and other items that store, or that the Receiver has reason to believe are storing, electronic data related in any way to the business operations of the Receivership Entities, even if such computers, electronic devices, mobile devices, machines, and storage items are also used for non-business purposes; Provided that, after imaging as directed in Part XIV.D., the Receiver **shall return** those items within **seventy-two (72) hours** unless, prior to the expiration of this deadline and upon proper motion, the Court finds good cause to extend the time for retention.
- E. Take exclusive custody, control and possession of all items of personal property in the possession of Defendants that the Receiver (i) has good reason to believe were either used in connection with the operation of the Defendants' business operations or acquired with the proceeds of the Defendants' business operations, and

- (ii) has good reason to believe may be removed, sold, concealed or otherwise disposed of by the Defendants or their agents. The Receiver shall exercise restraint in his use of this authority and shall ensure that the Individual Defendant retains those items of personal property reasonably necessary for daily living, including at least one vehicle.
- F. Conserve, hold, manage, and prevent the loss of all Assets of the Receivership Entities, and perform all acts necessary or advisable to preserve the value of those Assets. The Receiver shall assume control over the income and profits therefrom and all sums of money now or hereafter due or owing to the Receivership Entities. The Receiver shall have full power to sue for, collect, and receive all Assets of the Receivership Entities and of other persons or entities whose interests are now under the direction, possession, custody, or control of the Receivership Entities. Provided, however, that the Receiver shall not attempt to collect any amount from a consumer if the Receiver believes the consumer's debt to the Receivership Entities has resulted from the deceptive acts or practices or other violations of law alleged in the Complaint in this matter, without prior Court approval;
- G. Obtain, conserve, hold, manage, and prevent the loss of all Documents of the Receivership Entities, and perform all acts necessary or advisable to preserve such Documents. The Receiver shall: divert mail; preserve all Documents of the Receivership Entities that are accessible via electronic means (such as online access to financial accounts and access to electronic Documents held onsite or by Electronic Data Hosts) by changing usernames, passwords or other log-in credentials; take

possession of all electronic Documents of the Receivership Entities stored onsite or remotely; take whatever steps necessary to preserve all such Documents; and obtain the assistance of the FTC's Digital Forensic Unit for the purpose of obtaining electronic Documents stored onsite or remotely;

- H. Request permission from the Court to engage, and employ attorneys, accountants, appraisers, and other independent contractors and technical specialists in the event the Receiver believes it to be advisable or necessary in the performance of duties and responsibilities under the authority granted by this Order;
- I. Make payments and disbursements from the receivership estate that are necessary or advisable for carrying out the directions of, or exercising the authority granted by, this Order, and incur, or authorize the making of, such agreements as may be necessary and advisable in discharging his or her duties as Receiver. The Receiver shall apply to the Court for prior approval of any payment of any debt or obligation incurred by the Receivership Entities prior to the date of entry of this Order, except payments that the Receiver deems necessary or advisable to secure Assets of the Receivership Entities, such as rental payments;
- J. Take all steps necessary to secure and take exclusive custody of each location from which the Receivership Entities operate their businesses, excepting locations in residential properties.<sup>3</sup> Such steps may include, but are not limited to,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Nothing about this subsection prevents the Receiver from exercising the authority for immediate <u>access</u> to any residential property owned, controlled, or used by the Receivership Entities as provided in Part XXI. Likewise, as provided in Part XXI, the Receiver is permitted

any of the following, as the Receiver deems necessary or advisable: (1) securing the location by changing the locks and alarm codes and disconnecting any internet access or other means of access to the computers, servers, internal networks, or other records maintained at that location; and (2) requiring any persons present at the location to leave the premises, to provide the Receiver with proof of identification, and/or to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Receiver that such persons are not removing from the premises Documents or Assets of the Receivership Entities. Law enforcement personnel, including, but not limited to, police or sheriffs, may assist the Receiver in implementing these provisions in order to keep the peace and maintain security. If requested by the Receiver, the United States Marshal will provide appropriate and necessary assistance to the Receiver to implement this Order and is authorized to use any necessary and reasonable force to do so;

- K. Take all steps necessary to prevent the modification, destruction, or erasure of any web page or website registered to and operated, in whole or in part, by any Defendants, and to provide access to all such web page or websites to Plaintiffs' representatives, agents, and assistants, as well as Defendants and their representatives;
- L. Enter into and cancel contracts and purchase insurance as advisable or necessary;

to exclude Defendants, Receivership Entities, and their employees from such residential locations during the period of immediate access.

- M. Prevent the inequitable distribution of Assets and determine, adjust, and protect the interests of consumers who have transacted business with the Receivership Entities;
- N. Make an accounting and inventory, as soon as practicable, of the Assets and financial condition of the receivership and file the accounting with the Court and deliver copies thereof to all parties;
- O. Institute, compromise, adjust, appear in, intervene in, defend, dispose of, or otherwise become party to any legal action in state, federal, or foreign courts or arbitration proceedings as the Receiver deems necessary and advisable to preserve or recover the Assets of the Receivership Entities, or to carry out the Receiver's mandate under this Order, including, but not limited to, actions challenging fraudulent or voidable transfers;
- P. Issue subpoenas to obtain Documents and records pertaining to the Receivership, and conduct discovery in this action on behalf of the receivership estate, in addition to obtaining other discovery as set forth in this Order;
- Q. Open one or more bank accounts at designated depositories for funds of the Receivership Entities. The Receiver shall deposit all funds of the Receivership Entities in such designated accounts and shall make all payments and disbursements from the receivership estate from such accounts. The Receiver shall serve copies of monthly account statements on all parties;
- R. Maintain accurate records of all receipts and expenditures incurred as Receiver;

- S. Allow Plaintiffs' representatives, agents, and assistants, as well as Defendants and their representatives, reasonable access to the premises of the Receivership Entities, or any other premises where the Receivership Entities conduct business. The purpose of this access shall be to inspect and copy any and all books, records, Documents, accounts, and other property owned by, or in the possession of, the Receivership Entities or their agents. The Receiver shall have the discretion to determine the time, manner, and reasonable conditions of such access;
- T. Allow Plaintiffs' representatives, agents, and assistants, as well as Defendants and their representatives, reasonable access to all Documents in the possession, custody, or control of the Receivership Entities;
- U. Cooperate with reasonable requests for information or assistance from any state or federal civil or criminal law enforcement agency;
- V. Suspend business operations of the Receivership Entities if in the judgment of the Receiver such operations cannot be continued legally and profitably;
- W. If the Receiver identifies a nonparty entity as a Receivership Entity, promptly notify the entity as well as the parties, and inform the entity that it can challenge the Receiver's determination by filing a motion with the Court. Provided, however, that the Receiver may delay providing such notice until the Receiver has established control of the nonparty entity and its assets and records, if the Receiver determines that notice to the entity or the parties before the Receiver establishes control over the entity may result in the destruction of records, dissipation of assets, or any other obstruction of the Receiver's control of the entity;

- X. If in the Receiver's judgment the business operations cannot be continued legally and profitably, take all steps necessary to ensure that any of the Receivership Entities' web pages or websites relating to the activities alleged in the Complaint cannot be accessed by the public, or are modified for consumer education and/or informational purposes, and take all steps necessary to ensure that any telephone numbers associated with the Receivership Entities cannot be accessed by the public, or are answered solely to provide consumer education or information regarding the status of operations; and
- Y. Prepare and file with the Court a written report no later than 4:00 p.m. on July 1, 2022, that describes (1) the steps taken by the Receiver to implement the terms of the Order; (2) the value of all assets and sum of all liabilities of the Receivership Entities; (3) the steps the Receiver intends to take in the future to protect receivership assets, recover receivership assets from third parties, and adjust receivership liabilities; (4) the Receiver's opinion on whether any portion of the business of any of the Receivership Entities can continue to operate legally and profitably; and (5) any other matters which the Receiver believes should be brought to the Court's attention.
- Z. Within fourteen (14) days of the time the Receiver takes possession of any items of personal property of any Defendant as authorized by subparagraphs D and E above, after conferring with Plaintiffs and the Receiver as required by Local Rule 3.01(g), any Defendant may petition the Court for their return by filing a verified motion identifying the item(s) of personal property they wish to be returned

and the reason(s) they believe that the items should be returned. Plaintiffs and the Receiver then may file a response as authorized by the Local Rules.

#### XIV. TRANSFER OF RECEIVERSHIP PROPERTY TO RECEIVER

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants and any other person with possession, custody or control of property of, or records relating to, the Receivership Entities shall, upon actual notice of this Order by personal service or otherwise, fully cooperate with and assist the Receiver in taking and maintaining possession, custody, or control of the Assets and Documents of the Receivership Entities and immediately transfer or deliver to the Receiver possession, custody, and control of, the following:

- A. All Assets held by or for the benefit of the Receivership Entities;
- B. All Documents or Assets associated with credits, debits, or charges made on behalf of any Receivership Entity, wherever situated, including reserve funds held by payment processors, credit card processors, merchant banks, acquiring banks, independent sales organizations, third-party processors, payment gateways, insurance companies, casinos, or other entities;
- C. All Documents of or pertaining to the Receivership Entities, including all communications occurring via electronic mail, electronic messaging service, or encrypted messaging service (including but not limited to Signal, WhatsApp, Facebook Messenger, Instagram Direct, Twitter Direct Message), even if such email or messaging services are also used for non-business purposes;

- D. All computers, electronic devices, mobile devices, machines, and other items that store electronic data related in any way to the business operations of the Receivership Entities, even if such computers, electronic devices, mobile devices, machines, and storage items are also used for non-business purposes. Provided, however, that the Receiver must image those devices and then return such devices to Defendants once, following imaging and a forensic analysis, the Receiver is satisfied that such devices can no longer be used for business purposes relating to the activities alleged in the Complaint and such devices are purged of any customer information as described in Section II of this Order. In any event, as specified in Part XIII.D., these items **must** be returned within **seventy-two hours** unless extended by Order of the Court.
- E. All Assets and Documents, related to the Receivership Entities, belonging to other persons or entities whose interests are under the direction, possession, custody, or control of the Receivership Entities; and
- F. All keys, codes, user-names, passwords, and other access mechanisms (such as two-factor authentication) necessary to gain or to secure access to any Assets or Documents of or pertaining to the Receivership Entities, including access to their business premises, means of communication, accounts, computer systems (onsite and remote), Electronic Data Hosts, encrypted messaging services, or other property.

In the event that any person or entity fails to deliver or transfer any Asset or Document, or otherwise fails to comply with any provision of this Section, the

Receiver may file an Affidavit of Non-Compliance regarding the failure and a motion seeking compliance or a contempt citation.

#### XV. PROVISION OF INFORMATION TO RECEIVER

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendants shall immediately provide to the Receiver:

- A. A list of all Assets and accounts of the Receivership Entities that are held in any name other than the name of a Receivership Entity, or by any person or entity other than a Receivership Entity;
- B. A list of all agents, employees, officers, attorneys, representatives and those persons in active concert and participation with the Receivership Entities, or who have been associated or done business with the Receivership Entities; and
- C. A description of any Documents covered by attorney-client privilege or attorney work product, including files where such Documents are likely to be located, authors or recipients of such Documents, and search terms likely to identify such electronic Documents.

### XVI. COOPERATION WITH THE RECEIVER

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants; Receivership Entities;

Defendants' or Receivership Entities' officers, agents, employees, and attorneys; all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them; and any other person with possession, custody, or control of property of or records relating to the Receivership Entities who receive actual notice of this Order shall fully cooperate with and assist the Receiver. This cooperation and assistance shall include, but is not

limited to, providing information to the Receiver that the Receiver deems necessary to exercise the authority and discharge the responsibilities of the Receiver under this Order; providing all keys, codes, user-names, passwords, and other access mechanisms (such as two-factor authentication) required to access any computers, electronic devices, mobile devices, and machines (onsite and remote), and any cloud account (including specific method to access the account) or electronic file in any medium; advising all persons who owe money to any Receivership Entity that all debts should be paid directly to the Receiver; and transferring funds at the Receiver's direction and producing records related to the Assets and sales of the Receivership Entities.

#### XVII. NON-INTERFERENCE WITH THE RECEIVER

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants; Receivership Entities;

Defendants' or Receivership Entities' officers, agents, employees, attorneys; and all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, and any other person served with a copy of this Order, are hereby restrained and enjoined from directly or indirectly:

- A. Interfering with the Receiver's efforts to manage or take custody, control, or possession of the Assets or Documents subject to the receivership;
  - B. Transacting any of the business of the Receivership Entities;
- C. Transferring, receiving, altering, selling, encumbering, pledging, assigning, liquidating, or otherwise disposing of any Assets owned, controlled, or in

the possession or custody of, or in which an interest is held or claimed by, the Receivership Entities; or

D. Refusing to cooperate with the Receiver or the Receiver's duly authorized agents in the exercise of their duties or authority under any order of this Court.

#### XVIII. STAY OF ACTIONS

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, except by leave of this Court, during the pendency of the receivership ordered herein, Defendants, Defendants' officers, agents, employees, attorneys, and all other persons in active concert or participation with any of them, who receive actual notice of this Order, and their corporations, subsidiaries, divisions, or affiliates, and all investors, creditors, stockholders, lessors, customers, and other persons seeking to establish or enforce any claim, right, or interest against or on behalf of Defendants, and all others acting for or on behalf of such persons, are hereby enjoined from taking action that would interfere with the exclusive jurisdiction of this Court over the Assets or Documents of the Receivership Entities, including, but not limited to:

- A. Filing or assisting in the filing of a petition for relief under the Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. § 101 *et seq.*, or of any similar insolvency proceeding on behalf of the Receivership Entities;
- B. Commencing, prosecuting, or continuing a judicial, administrative, or other action or proceeding against the Receivership Entities, including the issuance

or employment of process against the Receivership Entities, except that such actions may be commenced if necessary to toll any applicable statute of limitations; or

C. Filing or enforcing any lien on any asset of the Receivership Entities, taking or attempting to take possession, custody, or control of any Asset of the Receivership Entities; or attempting to foreclose, forfeit, alter, or terminate any interest in any Asset of the Receivership Entities, whether such acts are part of a judicial proceeding, are acts of self-help, or otherwise.

Provided, however, that this Order does not stay: (1) the commencement or continuation of a criminal action or proceeding; (2) the commencement or continuation of an action or proceeding by a governmental unit to enforce such governmental unit's police or regulatory power; or (3) the enforcement of a judgment, other than a money judgment, obtained in an action or proceeding by a governmental unit to enforce such governmental unit's police or regulatory power.

#### XIX. COMPENSATION OF RECEIVER

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Receiver and all personnel hired by the Receiver, including counsel to the Receiver and accountants if authorized by the Court, are entitled to reasonable compensation for the performance of duties pursuant to this Order and for the cost of actual out-of-pocket expenses incurred by them, from the Assets now held by, in the possession or control of, or which may be received by, the Receivership Entities. The Receiver shall file with the Court and serve on the parties periodic requests for the payment of such reasonable compensation, with the first such request filed no more than sixty (60) days after the

date of entry of this Order. The Receiver shall not increase the hourly rates used as the bases for such fee applications without prior approval of the Court.

#### XX. RECEIVER'S BOND

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Receiver is not required to file with the Clerk of this Court a bond until further order of this Court, conditioned that the Receiver will well and truly perform the duties of the office and abide by and perform all acts the Court directs.

# XXI. IMMEDIATE ACCESS TO BUSINESS PREMISES AND RECORDS IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that:

A. In order to allow Plaintiffs and the Receiver to preserve Assets and evidence relevant to this action and to expedite discovery, Plaintiffs and the Receiver, and their representatives, agents, contractors, and assistants, shall have immediate access to any business premises, including premises located in residential properties, and storage facilities owned, controlled, or used by the Receivership Entities. Such locations include any location or commercial mailbox used by the Receivership Entities. The Receiver may exclude Defendants, Receivership Entities, and their employees from the business premises, including premises located in residential properties, during the immediate access. In obtaining access to any business premises, including premises located in residential properties, the Receiver is authorized to open or remove any locks or other devices designed to prevent access.

- B. Plaintiffs and the Receiver, and their representatives, agents, contractors, and assistants, are authorized to remove Documents from the Receivership Entities' premises in order that they may be inspected, inventoried, and copied. Plaintiffs shall return any removed materials to the Receiver within five (5) business days of completing inventorying and copying, or at such time as is agreed upon by Plaintiffs and the Receiver.
- C. Plaintiffs' access to the Receivership Entities' Documents pursuant to this Section shall not provide grounds for any Defendant to object to any subsequent request for Documents served by Plaintiffs.
- D. Plaintiffs and the Receiver, and their representatives, agents, contractors, and assistants, are authorized to obtain the assistance of federal, state, and local law enforcement officers as they deem necessary to effect service and to implement peacefully the provisions of this Order.
- E. If any communications or records of any Receivership Entity are stored with an Electronic Data Host, such Entity shall, immediately upon receiving notice of this Order, provide the Receiver with the username, passwords, and any other login credential needed to access the communications and records, and shall not attempt to access, or cause a third party to attempt to access, the communications or records.

#### XXII. DISTRIBUTION OF ORDER BY DEFENDANTS

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Defendants shall immediately provide a copy of this Order to each affiliate, telemarketer, marketer, sales entity, successor,

assign, member, officer, director, employee, agent, independent contractor, client, attorney, spouse, subsidiary, division, and representative of any Defendant, and shall, within ten (10) days from the date of entry of this Order, provide Plaintiffs and the Receiver with a sworn statement that this provision of the Order has been satisfied, which statement shall include the names, physical addresses, phone number, and email addresses of each such person or entity who received a copy of the Order. Furthermore, Defendants shall not take any action that would encourage officers, agents, members, directors, employees, salespersons, independent contractors, attorneys, subsidiaries, affiliates, successors, assigns or other persons or entities in active concert or participation with them to disregard this Order or believe that they are not bound by its provisions.

#### XXIII. EXPEDITED DISCOVERY

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, notwithstanding provisions of the Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(d) and (f) and 30(a)(2)(A)(iii), and pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(a), 33, 34, and 45, Plaintiffs and the Receiver are granted leave, at any time after service of this Order, to conduct limited expedited discovery for the purpose of discovering: (1) the nature, location, status, and extent of Defendants' Assets; (2) the nature, location, and extent of Defendants' business transactions and operations; (3) Documents reflecting Defendants' business transactions and operations; or (4) compliance with this Order. The limited expedited discovery set forth in this Section shall proceed as follows:

- A. Plaintiffs and the Receiver may take the deposition of parties and non-parties. Forty-eight (48) hours' notice shall be sufficient notice for such depositions. The limitations and conditions set forth in Rules 30(a)(2)(A) and 31(a)(2)(A) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure regarding subsequent depositions of an individual shall not apply to depositions taken pursuant to this Section. Any such deposition taken pursuant to this Section shall not be counted toward the deposition limit set forth in Rules 30(a)(2)(A) and 31(a)(2)(A), and depositions may be taken by telephone or other remote electronic means.
- B. Plaintiffs and the Receiver may serve upon parties requests for production of Documents or inspection that require production or inspection within five (5) days of service, provided, however, that three (3) days of notice shall be deemed sufficient for the production of any such Documents that are maintained or stored only in an electronic format.
- C. Plaintiffs and the Receiver may serve upon parties interrogatories that require response within five (5) days of service.
- D. Plaintiffs and the Receiver may serve subpoenas upon non-parties that direct production or inspection within seven (7) days of service.
- E. Service of discovery upon a party to this action, taken pursuant to this Section, shall be sufficient if made by facsimile, email, or overnight delivery.
- F. Any expedited discovery taken pursuant to this Section is in addition to, and is not subject to, the limits on discovery set forth in the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Local Rules of this Court. The expedited discovery permitted by

this Section does not require a meeting or conference of the parties pursuant to Rules 26(d) & (f) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

G. The Parties are exempted from making initial disclosures under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1) until further order of this Court.

#### XXIV. SERVICE OF THIS ORDER

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Order, as well as the Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and all other pleadings, Documents, and exhibits filed contemporaneously with that Motion (other than the Complaint and summons), may be served by any means, including facsimile transmission, electronic mail or other electronic messaging service, personal or overnight delivery, U.S. Mail or FedEx, by agents and employees of Plaintiffs, by any law enforcement agency, or by private process server, upon any Defendant or any person (including any financial institution) that may have possession, custody, or control of any Asset or Document of any Defendant, or that may be subject to any provision of this Order pursuant to Rule 65(d)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. For purposes of this Section, service upon any branch, subsidiary, affiliate, or office of any entity shall effect service upon the entire entity.

#### XXV. CORRESPONDENCE AND SERVICE ON PLAINTIFFS

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that, for the purpose of this Order, all correspondence and service of pleadings on Plaintiffs shall be done via electronic transmission to:

For Plaintiff Federal Trade Commission:

Miriam Lederer at mlederer@ftc.gov Daniel Wilkes at dwilkes@ftc.gov

For Plaintiff Office of the Attorney General, State of Florida, Department of Legal Affairs:

Carol E.A. DeGraffenreidt at Carol.DeGraffenreidt@myfloridalegal.com

### XXVI. PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION HEARING

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(b), the parties shall appear on Tuesday, July 5, 2022, at 2:00 p.m., at the United States Courthouse, Courtroom 10B, Jacksonville, Florida, for a hearing before the undersigned to determine whether this Temporary Restraining Order should be dissolved or converted to a preliminary injunction, pending final resolution of this action.<sup>4</sup> The Temporary Receiver is also directed to appear in person at the Hearing.

In issuing this Temporary Restraining Order, the Court understands that Defendants have not yet been given an opportunity to be heard. The Court emphasizes that the finding that Plaintiffs have, on this limited record, shown a substantial likelihood of success on the claims in this action, is not a dispositive ruling on any request for preliminary injunctive relief. However, on this record, the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> All persons entering the Courthouse must present photo identification to Court Security Officers. Although cell phones, laptop computers, and similar electronic devices generally are not permitted in the building, attorneys may bring those items with them upon presentation to Court Security Officers of a Florida Bar card (presentation of the Duval County Courthouse lawyer identification card will suffice) or Order of special admission pro hac vice. However, all cell phones must be turned off while in the courtroom.

Court is persuaded that issuing the Temporary Restraining Order until a full hearing can be held on Plaintiffs' request for preliminary injunctive relief is the lawful and proper action.

### XXVII. BRIEFS AND AFFIDAVITS CONCERNING PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

### **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that:

- A. Plaintiffs shall have up to and including **June 27, 2022**, to file a supplemental memorandum addressing the issues discussed at the June 17, 2022 Hearing. See Minute Entry (Doc. 17). Defendants shall file with the Court and serve on Plaintiffs' counsel their response to the Motion, along with any supporting documents or other motions, no later than **June 29, 2022**.
- B. An evidentiary hearing on Plaintiffs' request for a preliminary injunction is not necessary unless Defendants demonstrate that they have, and intend to introduce, evidence that raises a genuine and material factual issue. The question of whether this Court should enter a preliminary injunction shall be resolved on the pleadings, declarations, exhibits, and memoranda filed by, and oral argument of, the parties. Live testimony shall be heard only on further order of this Court. Any motion to permit such testimony may be raised at the July 5, 2022 hearing, after which the Court will determine whether an evidentiary hearing is necessary. Any party making such request shall be prepared to provide the Court and opposing counsel with the name, address, and telephone number of each proposed witness, a detailed summary or affidavit revealing the substance of each proposed witness's

expected testimony, and an explanation of why the taking of live testimony would be helpful to this Court.

#### XXVIII. **DURATION OF THE ORDER**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Temporary Restraining Order granted herein shall expire on July 5, 2022, at 3:00 p.m., unless within such time the Order is extended for an additional period pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(b)(2).

#### XXIX. **RULING ON THE MOTION**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Plaintiffs' Ex Parte Motion for Temporary Restraining Order with Asset Freeze, Appointment of a Temporary Receiver, Other Equitable Relief, and Order to Show Cause Why a Preliminary Injunction Should Not Issue, and Memorandum in Support Thereof (Doc. 5) is **GRANTED** to the extent set forth herein.

### XXX.RETENTION OF JURISDICTION

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for all purposes.

SO ORDERED, this 21st day of June, 2022, at 3:00 p.m.

United States District Judge

# Attachment A

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF INDIVIDUAL DEFENDANT

#### **Definitions and Instructions:**

- 1. Complete all items. Enter "None" or "N/A" ("Not Applicable") in the first field only of any item that does not apply to you. If you cannot fully answer a question, explain why.
- 2. "Dependents" include your spouse, live-in companion, dependent children, or any other person, whom you or your spouse (or your children's other parent) claimed or could have claimed as a dependent for tax purposes at any time during the past five years.
- 3. "Assets" and "Liabilities" include ALL assets and liabilities, located within the United States or any foreign country or territory, whether held individually or jointly and whether held by you, your spouse, or your dependents, or held by others for the benefit of you, your spouse, or your dependents.
- 4. Attach continuation pages as needed. On the financial statement, state next to the Item number that the Item is being continued. On the continuation page(s), identify the Item number(s) being continued.
- 5. Type or print legibly.
- 6. Initial each page in the space provided in the lower right corner.
- 7. Sign and date the completed financial statement on the last page.

### **Penalty for False Information:**

Federal law provides that any person may be imprisoned for not more than five years, fined, or both, if such person:

- (1) "in any matter within the jurisdiction of the executive, legislative, or judicial branch of the Government of the United States, knowingly and willfully falsifies, conceals or covers up by any trick, scheme, or devise a material fact; makes any materially false, fictitious or fraudulent statement or representation; or makes or uses any false writing or document knowing the same to contain any materially false, fictitious or fraudulent statement or entry" (18 U.S.C. § 1001);
- (2) "in any . . . statement under penalty of perjury as permitted under section 1746 of title 28, United States Code, willfully subscribes as true any material matter which he does not believe to be true" (18 U.S.C. § 1621); or
- (3) "in any ( . . . statement under penalty of perjury as permitted under section 1746 of title 28, United States Code) in any proceeding before or ancillary to any court or grand jury of the United States knowingly makes any false material declaration or makes or uses any other information . . . knowing the same to contain any false material declaration" (18 U.S.C. § 1623).

For a felony conviction under the provisions cited above, federal law provides that the fine may be not more than the greater of (i) \$250,000 for an individual or \$500,000 for a corporation, or (ii) if the felony results in pecuniary gain to any person or pecuniary loss to any person other than the defendant, the greater of twice the gross gain or twice the gross loss. 18 U.S.C. § 3571.

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Item 5. Information About Dependents (whether	her or not	they reside wi	ith you)			
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Item 7. Pending Lawsuits F List all pending lawsuits that have be any foreign country or territory. Note resulted in final judgments or settlem	en filed by or against you or your sports  At Item 12, list lawsuits that resulter	use in any court	or befor	e an adminis ettlements in	trative ag	gency in the United or. At Item 21, list le	States or in awsuits that
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**REMINDER:** When an item asks for information regarding your "assets" and "liabilities" include <u>ALL</u> assets and liabilities, located within the United States or in any foreign country or territory, or institution, whether held individually or jointly, and whether held by you, your spouse, or any of your dependents, or held by others for the benefit of you, your spouse, or any of your dependents. In addition, provide all documents requested in Item 24 with your completed Financial Statement.

#### **ASSETS**

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List cash on hand (as opposed to cash in bank accounts or other financial accounts) and all bank accounts, money market accounts, or other financial accounts, including but not limited to checking accounts, savings accounts, and certificates of deposit. The term "cash on hand" includes but is not limited to cash in the form of currency, uncashed checks, and money orders.

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Item 10. Publicly Traded List all publicly traded securities, i but not limited to treasury bills and	<b>Securities</b> ncluding but not limited to, stocks, stocd treasury notes), and state and munici	k options, corporate bo	onds, mutua ıy U.S. savi	al funds, U ngs bonds	.S. governm	ent securities (including		
Owner of Security	<u> </u>	Issuer	-	Type of	Security	No. of Units Owned		
Broker House, Address		Broker Account	No.					
	Current \$					n(s) Against Security		
Owner of Security		Issuer		Type of S	Ψ	No. of Units Owned		
Drokov House Address		Droker Assessmt	No					
Broker House, Address		Broker Account No.						
	Current Fair Mar \$	Current Fair Market Value Loan(s) Again \$			ainst Security			
Owner of Security		Issuer		Type of S	Security	No. of Units Owned		
Broker House, Address		Broker Account	No.					
		Current Fair Mar \$	ket Value		Loan(s) Ag \$	ainst Security		
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Item 11. Non-Public Business and Fir List all non-public business and financial interests, liability corporation ("LLC"), general or limited partr corporation, and oil or mineral lease.	including but n	ot limited to	any inter proprietor	est in a non- ship, interna	-public ( itional b	corporation, s ousiness corp	ubchapter- oration or p	S corporation, limited personal investment
Entity's Name & Address	Type of Bus Interest (e.g.			Ow (e.g., self		Owners		fficer, Director, Member or Partner, Exact Title
Item 12. Amounts Owed to You, Your	Spouse, or	Your De	epender	nts				
Debtor's Name & Address	Date Oblig Incurred (Mo / Current Amou	nth/Year)	\$   j			Nature of Obligation (if the result of a final court judgment or settlement, provide court name and docket number)		
Debtor's Telephone	Debtor's Rela	ationship to	o to You					
Debtor's Name & Address	Date Obli Incurred (Mo		Original Amount Owed \$		Nature of Obligation (if the result of a final co- judgment or settlement, provide court name and docket number)			
	Current Amou	unt Owed	Payment Schedule \$			,		
Debtor's Telephone	Debtor's Rela	ationship to	You					
Item 13. Life Insurance Policies List all life insurance policies (including endowmen	t policies) with	any cash sı	urrender v	alue.				
Insurance Company's Name, Address, & Telephor	ne No.	Beneficiary				Policy No.		Face Value \$
		Insured			Loans Against Policy \$		Surrender Value \$	
Insurance Company's Name, Address, & Telephor	ne No.	Beneficiary				Policy No.		Face Value \$
			Insured			Loans Against Policy Surre \$		Surrender Value \$
Item 14. Deferred Income Arrangeme List all deferred income arrangements, including be other retirement accounts, and college savings pla	ut not limited to	, deferred a lans).	ınnuities, <sub>l</sub>	pensions pla	ıns, pro	fit-sharing pla	ans, 401(k)	plans, IRAs, Keoghs,
Trustee or Administrator's Name, Address & Telephone No.			Name o	n Account		Accou		No.
			/ /		of Plan	Taxes	Surrender Value before Taxes and Penalties	
Trustee or Administrator's Name, Address & Telep	hone No		(mm/dd/	yyyy) n Account			\$ Account No.	
Trustee of Administrator's Name, Address & Telep	TIONE INU.							
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			ce Payments or Inher	ritan	33 PageID 1095 ices				
Туре						Amoun	t Expected	Date E	xpected (mm/dd/yyyy)
						\$		1	1
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Item 16. Vel		ycles, b	oats, airplanes, and other ve	ehicle	es.	<u> </u>	<u>'</u>		
Vehicle Type	Year		Registered Owner's Name		Purchase Price \$	Origin:	al Loan Amou	nt Cu \$	urrent Balance
Make	•		Registration State & No.		Account/Loan No.	Currer \$	nt Value	Mo \$	onthly Payment
Model			Address of Vehicle's Locatio						
Vehicle Type	Year		Registered Owner's Name		Purchase Price \$	Origin:	al Loan Amou	nt Cu \$	urrent Balance
Make			Registration State & No.		Account/Loan No.	Currer \$	nt Value	Mo	onthly Payment
Model			Address of Vehicle's Locatio	on					
Vehicle Type	Year		Registered Owner's Name		Purchase Price Original Loan Amount \$			Cur \$	rent Balance
Make			Registration State & No.		Account/Loan No. Current Value \$		lue	Moi \$	nthly Payment
Model			Address of Vehicle's Locatio	on	Ť				
Vehicle Type	Year		Registered Owner's Name		Purchase Price \$	Original Lo \$	an Amount	n Amount Current Balance	
Make			Registration State & No.		Account/Loan No.	Current Va \$			nthly Payment
Model		,	Address of Vehicle's Locatio						
	sonal prop	erty not	listed in Items 9-16 by categ		whether held for personal use collectibles, copyrights, pater				
Property Category (e.g., artwork, jewelry)  Name of Owner			Property Location		Acquisitio	n Cost	Current Value		
							\$		\$
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Item 18. Real Property List all real property interests (including any land contract)						
Property's Location	Name(s) on Title or Contrac	t and Ownership	Percentages			
Acquisition Date (mm/dd/yyyy) P	urchase Price	Cui	rrent Value	Basis of Valuat	on	
Lender's Name and Address	Loar	n or Account	t No.	Current Balance	e On First Mortgage or	
				Contract		
				\$ Monthly Payme	nt	
				\$		
Other Mortgage Loan(s) (describe)		Monthly Pa	yment	☐ Rental Unit		
	_	\$ Current Ba	lance	Monthly Rent R	eceived	
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Property's Location	Type of Property		Name(s) on Title or Contrac	t and Ownership	Percentages	
Acquisition Date (mm/dd/yyyy) P	urchase Price	Cui \$	urrent Value Basis of Valua		ition	
Lender's Name and Address	Loar	or Account	t No.	Current Balance On First Mortgage or		
				Contract		
		\$ Monthly Pay			nt	
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		Monthly Pa \$	yment	☐ Rental Unit		
	-	Current Balance		Monthly Rent Received		
		\$		\$		
		LIABI	LITIES			
Item 19. Credit Cards						
List each credit card account held by y whether issued by a United States or f	ou, your spouse, or your doreign financial institution.	lependents,	and any other credit cards that	at you, your spou	se, or your dependents use,	
Name of Credit Card (e.g., Visa, MasterCard, Department Store)	Account No.		Name(s) on Acc	ount	Current Balance	
Waster Sara, Department Store)					\$	
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Item 20. Taxes Payable List all taxes, such as income taxes or	real estate taxes, owed by	/ you, your s	spouse, or your dependents.			
Type of Tax			Amount Owed		Year Incurred	
		\$				
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Item 21. Other Amounts Owed by You, Your Spouse, or Your Dependents List all other amounts, not listed elsewhere in this financial statement, owed by you, your spouse, or your dependents.										
Lender/Creditor's Name, Address, and Telephone No.		Nature of Debt (if the result of a court judgment or settlement, provide court name and docket number)								
			Lender/Cred	Lender/Creditor's Relationship to You						
Date Liability Was Incurred	Original A	mount	Owed		Current Amount Owe	d	Paymer	nt Schedule		
(mm/dd/yyyy) Lender/Creditor's Name, Address, an	*	ie No.	Nature of De		Ť	ment or settle	ment, pro	ovide court name and docket		
	·		number)	number)						
			Lender/Cred	ditor's Re	elationship to You					
Date Liability Was Incurred	Original A	mount	Owed		Current Amount Owe	ed	Paymer	nt Schedule		
(mm/dd/yyyy)	Ψ									
		ОТ	HER FINA	ANCIA	L INFORMATIO	ON				
Item 22. Trusts and Escrow List all funds and other assets that are retainers being held on your behalf by dependents, for any person or entity.	e being hel	sel. Al	so list all fund							
Trustee or Escrow Agent's Name &	Address		Established m/dd/yyyy) Grar		or Beneficiaries		Present Market Value of Assets*			
		/	/					\$		
							\$			
							\$			
*If the market value of any asset is ur	ıknown, de	scribe th	ne asset and s	state its	cost, if you know it.					
Item 23. Transfers of Assets List each person or entity to whom yo loan, gift, sale, or other transfer (exclu- entity, state the total amount transfer	u have trar ude ordinar	y and n	ecessary living							
Transferee's Name, Address, & Rela	tionship	Pro	perty Transfe	rred	Aggregate Value*	Transfer [ (mm/dd/y		Type of Transfer ( <i>e.g.</i> , Loan, Gift)		
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*If the market value of any asset is ur	nknown, de	scribe th	ne asset and s	state its	cost, if you know it.					

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	Occument Requests so of the following documents with your co		33 PageID 1098 uncial Statement.				
Federal tax returns filed during the last three years by or on behalf of you, your spouse, or your dependents.							
	All applications for bank loans or other extensions of credit (other than credit cards) that you, your spouse, or your dependents have submitted within the last two years, including by obtaining copies from lenders if necessary.						
Item 9	•		count statements for the past 3 years.				
			· · ·	na records) the			
Item 11	For each business entity listed in Item 11, provide (including by causing to be generated from accounting records) the most recent balance sheet, tax return, annual income statement, the most recent year-to-date income statement, and all general ledger files from account records.						
Item 17			y property listed in Item 17, including appraisals done for property where the total appraised value of all property in				
Item 18	All appraisals that have been prep	ared for rea	al property listed in Item 18.				
Item 21	Documentation for all debts listed	in Item 21.					
Item 22			w listed in Item 22. Also provide any appraisals, including s held by any such trust or in any such escrow.	j insurance			
	SUM	MARY F	INANCIAL SCHEDULES				
Item 25. C	Combined Balance Sheet for Yo	ս, Your Տլ	pouse, and Your Dependents				
Assets			Liabilities				
Cash on Hand	d (Item 9)	\$	Loans Against Publicly Traded Securities (Item 10)	\$			
Funds Held in	Financial Institutions (Item 9)	\$	Vehicles - Liens (Item 16)	\$			
U.S. Governm	nent Securities (Item 10)	\$	Real Property – Encumbrances (Item 18)	\$			
Publicly Trade	ed Securities (Item 10)	\$	Credit Cards (Item 19)	\$			
Non-Public Bu	usiness and Financial Interests (Item 11)	\$	Taxes Payable (Item 20)	\$			
Amounts Owe	ed to You (Item 12)	\$	Amounts Owed by You (Item 21)	\$			
Life Insurance	e Policies (Item 13)	\$	Other Liabilities (Itemize)	•			
Deferred Inco	me Arrangements (Item 14)	\$		\$			
Vehicles (Item		\$		\$			
	al Property (Item 17)	\$		\$			
Real Property		\$		\$			
Other Assets	•	1 *		\$			
	,	\$		\$			
		\$		\$			
		\$		\$			
	Total Assets	\$	Total Liabilities	\$			
Item 26. Combined Current Monthly Income and Expenses for You, Your Spouse, and Your Dependents Provide the current monthly income and expenses for you, your spouse, and your dependents. Do not include credit card payments separately; rather, include credit card expenditures in the appropriate categories.							
	e source of each item)		Expenses				
Salary - After Source:	Taxes	\$	Mortgage or Rental Payments for Residence(s)	\$			
	ssions, and Royalties	\$	Property Taxes for Residence(s)	\$			
Interest Source:	:	\$	Rental Property Expenses, Including Mortgage Payments, Taxiand Insurance	es, \$			
Source:		\$	Car or Other Vehicle Lease or Loan Payments	\$			
Gross Rental Source:	Income	\$	Food Expenses	\$			
Profits from Source:	e:  from Sole Proprietorships  Clothing Expenses    Clothing Expenses						

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Utilities

Source:

Distributions from Partnerships, S-Corporations, and LLCs

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\$	Medical Expenses, Including Insurance	\$				
\$	Other Insurance Premiums					
Ψ	Other modulation remiding	\$				
\$	Other Transportation Expenses	\$				
\$	Other Expenses (Itemize)					
\$		\$				
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		\$   \$				
		\$				
\$	Total Expenses	\$				
	ATTACHMENTS					
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	Description of Document					
I am submitting this financial statement with the understanding that it may affect action by the Federal Trade						
responses I have provided to the items above are true and contain all the requested facts and information of which I have notice or knowledge. I have provided all requested documents in my custody, possession, or control. I know of the penalties for false statements under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, 18 U.S.C. § 1621, and 18 U.S.C. § 1623 (five years imprisonment and/or fines). I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.						
Executed on:						
(Date) Signature						
	s s s s s s s s anancial state ananc	S Other Expenses (Itemize)  S Total Expenses  ATTACHMENTS  nancial Statement inancial statement. For any Item 24 documents that are not attached, explain Description of Document  Description of Document  Description of Document in the information requested in this statement are true and contain all the requested facts and informatic aquested documents in my custody, possession, or control. If S.C. § 1001, 18 U.S.C. § 1621, and 18 U.S.C. § 1623 (five year jury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is the second of the United States that the				

# Attachment B

#### FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF CORPORATE DEFENDANT

#### **Instructions**:

- 1. Complete all items. Enter "None" or "N/A" ("Not Applicable") where appropriate. If you cannot fully answer a question, explain why.
- 2. The font size within each field will adjust automatically as you type to accommodate longer responses.
- 3. In completing this financial statement, "the corporation" refers not only to this corporation but also to each of its predecessors that are not named defendants in this action.
- 4. When an Item asks for information about assets or liabilities "held by the corporation," include <u>ALL</u> such assets and liabilities, located within the United States or elsewhere, held by the corporation or held by others for the benefit of the corporation.
- 5. Attach continuation pages as needed. On the financial statement, state next to the Item number that the Item is being continued. On the continuation page(s), identify the Item number being continued.
- 6. Type or print legibly.
- 7. An officer of the corporation must sign and date the completed financial statement on the last page and initial each page in the space provided in the lower right corner.

### **Penalty for False Information**:

Federal law provides that any person may be imprisoned for not more than five years, fined, or both, if such person:

- (1) "in any matter within the jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States knowingly and willfully falsifies, conceals or covers up by any trick, scheme, or device a material fact, or makes any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations, or makes or uses any false writing or document knowing the same to contain any false, fictitious or fraudulent statement or entry" (18 U.S.C. § 1001);
- (2) "in any . . . statement under penalty of perjury as permitted under section 1746 of title 28, United States Code, willfully subscribes as true any material matter which he does not believe to be true" (18 U.S.C. § 1621); or
- (3) "in any (... statement under penalty of perjury as permitted under section 1746 of title 28, United States Code) in any proceeding before or ancillary to any court or grand jury of the United States knowingly makes any false material declaration or makes or uses any other information ... knowing the same to contain any false material declaration." (18 U.S.C. § 1623)

For a felony conviction under the provisions cited above, federal law provides that the fine may be not more than the greater of (i) \$250,000 for an individual or \$500,000 for a corporation, or (ii) if the felony results in pecuniary gain to any person or pecuniary loss to any person other than the defendant, the greater of twice the gross gain or twice the gross loss. 18 U.S.C. § 3571.

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Item 1. General Information		
Corporation's Full Name		
Primary Business Address		From (Date)
Telephone No	Fax No	
E-Mail Address	Internet Home Page	
All other current addresses & previous add	resses for past five years, including	post office boxes and mail drops:
Address		From/Until
Address		From/Until
Address		From/Until
All predecessor companies for past five year	ars:	
Name & Address		From/Until
Name & Address		From/Until
Name & Address		From/Until
Item 2. Legal Information		
Federal Taxpayer ID No	State & Date of Inco	rporation
State Tax ID No	State Profit or	Not For Profit
Corporation's Present Status: Active	Inactive	Dissolved
If Dissolved: Date dissolved	By Whom	
Reasons		
Fiscal Year-End (Mo./Day)		
Item 3. Registered Agent		
Name of Registered Agent		
Address		Telephone No.

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**Principal Stockholders** 

<u>Item 4.</u>

List all persons and entities that own at least 5% of the corporation's stock.		
Name & Address		% Owned
Item 5. Board Members		
List all members of the corporation's Board of Directors.		
Name & Address	% Owned	Term (From/Until)
<u>Item 6.</u> Officers		
List all of the corporation's officers, including <i>de facto</i> officers (individuals with whose titles do not reflect the nature of their positions).	significant mana	gement responsibility
Name & Address		% Owned
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### **Businesses Related to the Corporation** Item 7. List all corporations, partnerships, and other business entities in which this corporation has an ownership interest. Name & Address **Business Activities** % Owned State which of these businesses, if any, has ever transacted business with the corporation Item 8. **Businesses Related to Individuals** List all corporations, partnerships, and other business entities in which the corporation's principal stockholders, board members, or officers (i.e., the individuals listed in Items 4 - 6 above) have an ownership interest. Individual's Name Business Name & Address Business Activities % Owned State which of these businesses, if any, have ever transacted business with the corporation **Related Individuals** Item 9. List all related individuals with whom the corporation has had any business transactions during the three previous fiscal years and current fiscal year-to-date. A "related individual" is a spouse, sibling, parent, or child of the principal stockholders, board members, and officers (i.e., the individuals listed in Items 4 - 6 above). Name and Address Relationship **Business Activities**

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<u>Item 10.</u>	Outside A	Accountants		
List all outsic	le accountan	ts retained by the corporati	ion during the last three years.	
<u>Nar</u>	Name Firm Name		Address	CPA/PA?
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
<u>Item 11.</u>	Corpora	tion's Recordkeeping		
List all indivi the last three		the corporation with response	onsibility for keeping the corporation's	financial books and records for
		Name, Address, & Tele	ephone Number	Position(s) Held
<u>Item 12.</u>	Attorney	s		
List all attorn	eys retained	by the corporation during	the last three years.	
<u>Nar</u>	<u>ne</u>	<u>Firm Name</u>	Addı	<u>ress</u>

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### **Item 13.** Pending Lawsuits Filed by the Corporation

List all pending lawsuits that have been filed by the corporation in court or before an administrative agency. (List lawsuits that resulted in final judgments or settlements in favor of the corporation in Item 25).

Opposing Party's Nam	e & Address		
		Nature of Lawsuit	
	Status		
Opposing Party's Name	e & Address		
		Nature of Lawsuit_	
	ess		
		Nature of Lawsuit	
		Nature of Lawsuit	
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		Nature of Lawsuit	
Opposing Party's Nam	e & Address		
Court's Name & Addre	ess		
Docket No	Relief Requested	Nature of Lawsuit	
	Status		

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### **Item 14.** Current Lawsuits Filed Against the Corporation

List all pending lawsuits that have been filed against the corporation in court or before an administrative agency. (List lawsuits that resulted in final judgments, settlements, or orders in Items 26 - 27).

Opposing Party's Nam	ne & Address		
Court's Name & Addr	ess		
		Nature of Lawsuit	
		Nature of Lawsuit	
	ress		
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		Nature of Lawsuit	
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	Status		

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Item 15.	Bankruptc	y Informati	on						
List all state in	solvency and	federal banl	kruptcy proc	eedings ir	nvolving	the corporat	ion.		
Commenceme	nt Date		Termina	ition Date			_ Docket No.		
If State Court:	Court & Cou	nty		I	f Federa	l Court: Dist	rict		
Disposition									
<u>Item 16.</u>	Saf	e Deposit B	oxes						
List all safe de benefit of the c							ne corporation	a, or held by o	others for th
Owner's Name	<u>Nai</u>	ne & Addre	ss of Deposi	tory Instit	<u>ution</u>				Box No.
			FINAN	CIAL IN	FORM	ATION			
REMINDER: ALL such asso	ets and liabil	ities, locate	informatio d within the	n about a United S	issets or States or	liabilities "l elsewhere,			
Item 17.	Tax Returi	18							
List all federal	and state cor	porate tax re	turns filed fo	or the last	three co	mplete fiscal	years. Attach	h copies of al	l returns.
<u>Federal/</u> <u>State/Both</u>	Tax Year	Tax Due Federal	<u>Tax Paid</u> <u>Federal</u>	Tax Sta		Tax Paid State	<u>Pre</u>	parer's Name	2
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### **Item 18.** Financial Statements

List all financial statements that were prepared for the corporation's last three complete fiscal years and for the current fiscal year-to-date. Attach copies of all statements, providing audited statements if available.

Year	Balance She	et Profit & Loss Sta						
				_				
	f the last three profit and loss	complete fiscal years a statement in accordan						
		Current Year-to-Dat		1 Year Ago		2 Years Ago		ars Ago
Gross Re	<u>venue</u>	\$	_ \$_		\$		\$	
Expenses		\$						
Net Profit	t After Taxes	\$			\$		\$	
<u>Payables</u>		\$	- 11					
Receivab	<u>les</u>	\$	- 11					
certificates	nd all bank and of deposit, he	Innk, and Money Market accounts the corporation.	nts, incl The teri	uding but not liming "cash" includes	curre	ncy and uncashed	l checks.	
		inancial Institution		Signator(s) on Acc		Accoun		Current
Name &							\$	Balance
Name &							\$\$ \$	Balance
Name &								Багапсе

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### **Item 21.** Government Obligations and Publicly Traded Securities

List all U.S. Government obligations, including but not limited to, savings bonds, treasury bills, or treasury notes, held by the corporation. Also list all publicly traded securities, including but not limited to, stocks, stock options, registered and bearer bonds, state and municipal bonds, and mutual funds, held by the corporation.

Issuer	Type of Security/O	Obligation
No. of Units Owned	Current Fair Market Value \$	Maturity Date
Issuer	Type of Security/0	Obligation
No. of Units Owned	Current Fair Market Value \$	Maturity Date
Item 22. Real Estate		
List all real estate, including lease	nolds in excess of five years, held	d by the corporation.
Type of Property	Property	's Location
Name(s) on Title and Ownership I	'ercentages	
Current Value \$	Loan or Account No	
Lender's Name and Address		
Current Balance On First Mortgag	e \$ Monthly I	Payment \$
Other Loan(s) (describe)		Current Balance \$
Monthly Payment \$	Rental Unit?	Monthly Rent Received \$
Type of Property	Property	's Location
Name(s) on Title and Ownership I	'ercentages	
Current Value \$	Loan or Account No	
Lender's Name and Address		
Current Balance On First Mortgag	e \$ Monthly I	Payment \$
Other Loan(s) (describe)		Current Balance \$
Monthly Payment \$	Rental Unit?	Monthly Rent Received \$

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### **Item 23.** Other Assets

List all other property, by category, with an estimated value of \$2,500 or more, held by the corporation, including but not limited to, inventory, machinery, equipment, furniture, vehicles, customer lists, computer software, patents, and other intellectual property.

Property Category	Property Location	Acquisition Cost	<u>Current</u> <u>Value</u>
		_ \$	\$
		_ \$	\$
		_ \$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		\$	\$
		_ \$	\$
		\$	\$

### **Item 24.** Trusts and Escrows

List all persons and other entities holding funds or other assets that are in escrow or in trust for the corporation.

Trustee or Escrow Agent's Name & Address	Description and Location of Assets	Present Market Value of Assets
Name & Address		value of Assets
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$

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### **Item 25.** Monetary Judgments and Settlements Owed To the Corporation

List all monetary judgments and settlement	s, recorded and unrecorded, owed to the	corporation.	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date of Judgment	Amount \$	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date of Judgment	Amount \$	
Item 26. Monetary Judgments and	Settlements Owed By the Corporation	on	
List all monetary judgments and settlements	s, recorded and unrecorded, owed by the	e corporation.	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date	Amount \$	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date of Judgment	Amount \$	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date of Judgment	Amount \$	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date of Judgment	Amount \$	
Opposing Party's Name & Address			
Court's Name & Address		Docket No	
Nature of Lawsuit	Date of Judgment	Amount \$	

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### **Government Orders and Settlements Item 27.** List all existing orders and settlements between the corporation and any federal or state government entities. Name of Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person \_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No. \_\_\_\_ Agreement Date Nature of Agreement **Item 28. Credit Cards** List all of the corporation's credit cards and store charge accounts and the individuals authorized to use them. Name of Credit Card or Store Names of Authorized Users and Positions Held **Item 29. Compensation of Employees** List all compensation and other benefits received from the corporation by the five most highly compensated employees, independent contractors, and consultants (other than those individuals listed in Items 5 and 6 above), for the two previous fiscal years and current fiscal year-to-date. "Compensation" includes, but is not limited to, salaries, commissions, consulting fees, bonuses, dividends, distributions, royalties, pensions, and profit sharing plans. "Other benefits" include, but are not limited to, loans, loan payments, rent, car payments, and insurance premiums, whether paid directly to the individuals, or paid to others on their behalf. Name/Position Current Fiscal 1 Year Ago 2 Years Ago Compensation or Year-to-Date Type of Benefits \_\_\_\_\$\_\_\_\$\_\_\_\_\$\_\_\_\_ \_ \$\_\_\_\_\_ \$\_\_\_\_ \$ <u>\$\_\_\_\_\$</u>

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### **Item 30.** Compensation of Board Members and Officers

List all compensation and other benefits received from the corporation by each person listed in Items 5 and 6, for the current fiscal year-to-date and the two previous fiscal years. "Compensation" includes, but is not limited to, salaries, commissions, consulting fees, dividends, distributions, royalties, pensions, and profit sharing plans. "Other benefits" include, but are not limited to, loans, loan payments, rent, car payments, and insurance premiums, whether paid directly to the individuals, or paid to others on their behalf.

Name/Position	Current Fiscal Year-to-Date	1 Year Ago	2 Years Ago	Compensation or Type of Benefits
	\$	\$		
	\$\$	\$	\$	
	\$	\$	\$	
	\$	\$	\$	
	\$	\$	\$	
	\$	\$	\$	
	_ \$	\$	\$	
	\$	\$	\$	

#### **Item 31.** Transfers of Assets Including Cash and Property

List all transfers of assets over \$2,500 made by the corporation, other than in the ordinary course of business, during the previous three years, by loan, gift, sale, or other transfer.

Transferee's Name, Address, & Relationship	<u>Property</u> <u>Transferred</u>	Aggregate Value	Transfer Date	Type of Transfer (e.g., Loan, Gift)
		\$		
		\$		
		\$		
		\$		
		\$		

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### **Item 32. Documents Attached to the Financial Statement**

List all documents that	are being submitted with the financial statement.
Item No. Document Relates To	Description of Document
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Commission or a feder- responses I have provious notice or knowledge. I penalties for false state	g this financial statement with the understanding that it may affect action by the Federal Trade al court. I have used my best efforts to obtain the information requested in this statement. The ded to the items above are true and contain all the requested facts and information of which I have have provided all requested documents in my custody, possession, or control. I know of the ments under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, 18 U.S.C. § 1621, and 18 U.S.C. § 1623 (five years imprisonment under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct
Executed on:	
(Date)	Signature
	Corporate Position

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

### **Request for Copy of Tax Return**

▶ Do not sign this form unless all applicable lines have been completed.

Request may be rejected if the form is incomplete or illegible.

▶ For more information about Form 4506, visit www.irs.gov/form4506. Tip: Get faster service: Online at www.irs.gov, Get Your Tax Record (Get Transcript) or by calling 1-800-908-9946 for specialized assistance. We

have teams available to assist. Note: Taxpayers may register to use Get Transcript to view, print, or download the following transcript types: Tax Return Transcript (shows most line items including Adjusted Gross Income (AGI) from your original Form 1040-series tax return as filed, along with any forms and schedules), Tax Account Transcript (shows basic data such as return type, marital status, AGI, taxable income and all payment types),

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Record of Account Transcript (combines the tax return and tax account transcripts into one complete transcript), Wage and Income Transcript (shows data from information returns we receive such as Forms W-2, 1099, 1098 and Form 5498), and Verification of Non-filing Letter (provides proof that the IRS has no record of a filed Form 1040-series tax return for the year you request). 1a Name shown on tax return. If a joint return, enter the name shown first. 1b First social security number on tax return, individual taxpayer identification number, or employer identification number (see instructions) 2b Second social security number or individual 2a If a joint return, enter spouse's name shown on tax return. taxpayer identification number if joint tax return 3 Current name, address (including apt., room, or suite no.), city, state, and ZIP code (see instructions) Previous address shown on the last return filed if different from line 3 (see instructions) 5 If the tax return is to be mailed to a third party (such as a mortgage company), enter the third party's name, address, and telephone number. Caution: If the tax return is being sent to the third party, ensure that lines 5 through 7 are completed before signing. (see instructions). Tax return requested. Form 1040, 1120, 941, etc. and all attachments as originally submitted to the IRS, including Form(s) W-2, schedules, or amended returns. Copies of Forms 1040, 1040A, and 1040EZ are generally available for 7 years from filing before they are destroyed by law. Other returns may be available for a longer period of time. Enter only one return number. If you need more than one type of return, you must complete another Form 4506. ▶ Note: If the copies must be certified for court or administrative proceedings, check here . . . . . . . . . . . . Year or period requested. Enter the ending date of the tax year or period using the mm/dd/yyyy format (see instructions). Fee. There is a \$43 fee for each return requested. Full payment must be included with your request or it will 8 be rejected. Make your check or money order payable to "United States Treasury." Enter your SSN, ITIN, or EIN and "Form 4506 request" on your check or money order. 43.00 Cost for each return . . . . Total cost. Multiply line 8a by line 8b . If we cannot find the tax return, we will refund the fee. If the refund should go to the third party listed on line 5, check here Caution: Do not sign this form unless all applicable lines have been completed. Signature of taxpayer(s). I declare that I am either the taxpayer whose name is shown on line 1a or 2a, or a person authorized to obtain the tax return requested. If the request applies to a joint return, at least one spouse must sign. If signed by a corporate officer, 1 percent or more shareholder, partner, managing member, guardian, tax matters partner, executor, receiver, administrator, trustee, or party other than the taxpayer, I certify that I have the authority to execute Form 4506 on behalf of the taxpayer. Note: This form must be received by IRS within 120 days of the signature date. Signatory attests that he/she has read the attestation clause and upon so reading Phone number of taxpayer on line declares that he/she has the authority to sign the Form 4506. See instructions. 1a or 2a Signature (see instructions) Sign Here Print/Type name Title (if line 1a above is a corporation, partnership, estate, or trust) Spouse's signature

Print/Type name

Form 4506 (Rev. 11-2021)

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

#### **Future Developments**

For the latest information about Form 4506 and its instructions, go to www.irs.gov/form4506.

#### General Instructions

**Caution:** Do not sign this form unless all applicable lines, *including lines 5 through 7*, have been completed.

Designated Recipient Notification. Internal Revenue Code, Section 6103(c), limits disclosure and use of return information received pursuant to the taxpayer's consent and holds the recipient subject to penalties for any unauthorized access, other use, or redisclosure without the taxpayer's express permission or request.

Taxpayer Notification. Internal Revenue Code, Section 6103(c), limits disclosure and use of return information provided pursuant to your consent and holds the recipient subject to penalties, brought by private right of action, for any unauthorized access, other use, or redisclosure without your express permission or request.

**Purpose of form.** Use Form 4506 to request a copy of your tax return. You can also designate (on line 5) a third party to receive the tax return.

How long will it take? It may take up to 75 calendar days for us to process your request.

Where to file. Attach payment and mail Form 4506 to the address below for the state you lived in, or the state your business was in, when that return was filed. There are two address charts: one for individual returns (Form 1040 series) and one for all other returns.

If you are requesting a return for more than one year or period and the chart below shows two different addresses, send your request based on the address of your most recent return.

### Chart for individual returns (Form 1040 series)

If you filed an individual return and lived in:

Mail to:

Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas, a foreign country, American Samoa, Puerto Rico, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the U.S. Virgin Islands, or A.P.O. or F.P.O. address

Internal Revenue Service RAIVS Team Stop 6716 AUSC Austin, TX 73301

Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maine, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, Wisconsin

Internal Revenue Service RAIVS Team Stop 6705 S-2 Kansas City, MO 64999

Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Hawaii, Idaho, Kansas, Maryland, Michigan, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, West Virginia, Wyoming

Internal Revenue Service RAIVS Team P.O. Box 9941 Mail Stop 6734 Ogden, UT 84409

#### Chart for all other returns

For returns not in Form 1040 series, if the address on the return was in:

Mail to:

Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin

Internal Revenue Service RAIVS Team Stop 6705 S-2 Kansas City, MO 64999

Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Hawaii, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, a foreign country, American Samoa, Puerto Rico, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the U.S. Virgin Islands, or A.P.O. or F.P.O. address

Internal Revenue Service RAIVS Team P.O. Box 9941 Mail Stop 6734 Ogden, UT 84409

### **Specific Instructions**

Line 1b. Enter the social security number (SSN) or individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN) for the individual listed on line 1a, or enter the employer identification number (EIN) for the business listed on line 1a. For example, if you are requesting Form 1040 that includes Schedule C (Form 1040), enter your SSN

**Line 3.** Enter your current address. If you use a P.O. box, please include it on this line 3.

**Line 4.** Enter the address shown on the last return filed if different from the address entered on line 3.

Note. If the addresses on lines 3 and 4 are different and you have not changed your address with the IRS, file Form 8822, Change of Address, or Form 8822-B,Change of Address or Responsible Party — Business, with Form 4506.

Line 7. Enter the end date of the tax year or period requested in mm/dd/yyyy format. This may be a calendar year, fiscal year or quarter. Enter each quarter requested for quarterly returns. Example: Enter 12/31/2018 for a calendar year 2018 Form 1040 return, or 03/31/2017 for a first quarter Form 941 return.

**Signature and date.** Form 4506 must be signed and dated by the taxpayer listed on line 1a or 2a. The IRS must receive Form 4506 within 120 days of the date signed by the taxpayer or it will be rejected. Ensure that all applicable lines, *including lines 5 through 7*, are completed before signing.



You must check the box in the signature area to acknowledge you have the authority to sign and request the information. The form will not be

processed and returned to you if the box is unchecked.

Individuals. Copies of jointly filed tax returns may be furnished to either spouse. Only one signature is required. Sign Form 4506 exactly as your name appeared on the original return. If you changed your name, also sign your current name.

Corporations. Generally, Form 4506 can be signed by: (1) an officer having legal authority to bind the corporation, (2) any person designated by the board of directors or other governing body, or (3) any officer or employee on written request by any principal officer and attested to by the secretary or other officer. A bona fide shareholder of record owning 1 percent or more of the outstanding stock of the corporation may submit a Form 4506 but must provide documentation to support the requester's right to receive the information.

**Partnerships.** Generally, Form 4506 can be signed by any person who was a member of the partnership during any part of the tax period requested on line 7.

**All others.** See section 6103(e) if the taxpayer has died, is insolvent, is a dissolved corporation, or if a trustee, guardian, executor, receiver, or administrator is acting for the taxpayer.

**Note:** If you are Heir at law, Next of kin, or Beneficiary you must be able to establish a material interest in the estate or trust.

**Documentation.** For entities other than individuals, you must attach the authorization document. For example, this could be the letter from the principal officer authorizing an employee of the corporation or the letters testamentary authorizing an individual to act for an estate.

Signature by a representative. A representative can sign Form 4506 for a taxpayer only if this authority has been specifically delegated to the representative on Form 2848, line 5a. Form 2848 showing the delegation must be attached to Form 4506

Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice. We ask for the information on this form to establish your right to gain access to the requested return(s) under the Internal Revenue Code. We need this information to properly identify the return(s) and respond to your request. If you request a copy of a tax return, sections 6103 and 6109 require you to provide this information, including your SSN or EIN, to process your request. If you do not provide this information, we may not be able to process your request. Providing false or fraudulent information may subject you to penalties.

Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation, and cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their tax laws. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

You are not required to provide the information requested on a form that is subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act unless the form displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a form or its instructions must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and return information are confidential, as required by section 6103.

The time needed to complete and file Form 4506 will vary depending on individual circumstances. The estimated average time is: Learning about the law or the form, 10 min.; Preparing the form, 16 min.; and Copying, assembling, and sending the form to the IRS, 20 min.

If you have comments concerning the accuracy of these time estimates or suggestions for making Form 4506 simpler, we would be happy to hear from you. You can write to:

Internal Revenue Service Tax Forms and Publications Division 1111 Constitution Ave. NW, IR-6526 Washington, DC 20224.

Do not send the form to this address. Instead, see Where to file on this page.

# Attachment D

### CONSENT TO RELEASE FINANCIAL RECORDS

I,	of	, (City,
	bank, saving and loan association	
depository institution, finan	ce company, commercial le	nding company, credit card
processor, credit card proce	ssing entity, automated clea	ring house, network
transaction processor, bank	debit processing entity, bro	kerage house, escrow agent,
money market or mutual fur	nd, title company, commodi	ity trading company, trustee,
or person that holds, contro	ls, or maintains custody of a	assets, wherever located,
that are owned or controlled	d by me or at which there is	an account of any kind
upon which I am authorized	d to draw, and its officers, er	mployees, and agents, to
disclose all information and	l deliver copies of all docum	nents of every nature in its
possession or control which	relate to the said accounts	to any attorney of the
Federal Trade Commission	, and to give evidence releva	ant thereto, in the matter of
Federal Trade Commission	v. Graham, 3:22-cv-655-MI	MH-JBT, now pending in
the United States District C	ourt of the Middle District of	of Florida, and this shall be
irrevocable authority for so	doing.	
	nded to apply to the laws of	
	hich restrict or prohibit disc	
		of the account, and shall be
construed as consent with re	espect hereto, and the same	shall apply to any of the
accounts for which I may be	e a relevant principal.	
Dated:	Signature:	
	Printed Name:	