

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF 9TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF
ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

LESLIE FERDERIGOS,
Plaintiff,
v.

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JEREMY HALES,
ELEPHANT SHOE, LLC.
MARTHA GEORGE RIZK, (aka GEORGE HALES)
JASON HIPSHER (aka "JAYHIP"),
MEGAN M. FOX (aka, MEGAN FOX),
MATTHEW LEWIS (aka "THAT UMBRELLA GUY")
JOHN DOE (aka "SHIZZYWIZNUT")
and JOHN/JANE DOES 1-10,
Defendants.

**MOTION TO ADD SUPPLEMENTAL PLEADINGS TO SET FORTH FALSE
STATEMENTS MADE BY DEFENDANT MEGAN M. FOX AND MATTHEW LEWIS
SINCE 2ND AMENDED COMPLAINT WAS FILED**

COMES NOW, Plaintiff Leslie Ferderigos, by and through, her undersigned counsel, files this Motion to add Supplemental Pleadings to Set Forth False Statements Made by Defendant Megan M. Fox and Matthew Lewis Subsequent to the filing of the 2nd amended complaint and pursuant to Fla. R. Civ. P. 1.190 (d)¹, as follows:

FACTS

1. On June 17, 2025, Megan M. Fox and Matthew Lewis, held a Live Stream in front over 30,000 people, in which the Plaintiff's retirement status was discussed. During this live stream while publishing the Florida Bar Affidavit **[Exhibit A]** on their screen. Megan M. Fox and Matthew Lewis state the following false statements:

¹ (d) Supplemental Pleadings. Upon motion of a party the court may permit that party, upon reasonable notice and upon such terms as are just, to serve a supplemental pleading setting forth transactions or occurrences or events which have happened since the date of the pleading sought to be supplemented. If the court deems it advisable that the adverse party plead thereto, it shall so order, specifying the time therefor.
Fla. R. Civ. P. 1.190

- A. Leslie Ferderigos, whom they have branded to their audience, as “Lips” altered the Florida Bar Sworn Affidavit **[Exhibit A]**, was altered by the Plaintiff
 - B. Plaintiff has a video where she states she was facing disbarment, and in lieu of disbarment chose to retire.
 - C. Megan Fox stated she spoke to the Florida Bar to substantiate her claims that Plaintiff evaded disbarment by retiring her license.
- 2. During this LIVE Stream, monetary donations were given to the Defendant(s) and audience participation was encouraged.
 - 3. At no given point was the Plaintiff ever alleged by the Florida Bar to be a candidate for disbarment. Furthermore, any allegation against the Plaintiff in any disciplinary action against the Plaintiff never rose to the level of disbarment.²
 - 4. All Defendant(s) have been noticed and provided the Florida Bar affidavit prior to the publishing of their false statements about the Plaintiff’s retirement status.
 - 5. At no given point has the Plaintiff ever altered any documentation, which constitutes a crime in the state of Florida. Thus, Defendants Fox and Lewis, have alleged the Plaintiff has engaged in a criminal activity.
 - 6. Candidates for disbarment do not have the option to retire pursuant to Florida Bar rule The Florida Bar rule regarding retirement is Rule 3-7.12, titled "Retirement." As of 2023, the rule states that attorneys who are the subject of disciplinary proceedings **cannot** retire from The Florida Bar as a way to avoid discipline. Specifically:
 - Florida Bar Rule 3-7.12(a):**
"A member of The Florida Bar may retire from the practice of law in the state of Florida with the approval of the Supreme Court of Florida, provided the member is not the subject of any pending disciplinary agency investigation or proceeding."
So, if an attorney is a candidate for disbarment or is facing any disciplinary action, **retirement is not available to them under this rule.**
 - Citation:**
Fla. Bar Reg. R. 3-7.12(a) (2023)

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff requests this Honorable Court to allow for these supplemental false statements to be added to her 2nd Amended Complaint and all other remedies necessary and just under statute.

² Plaintiff never stated nor was it ever stated in the Plaintiff's Petition for Retirement that Plaintiff was retiring to avoid disbarment. In fact, the Plaintiff retired in good standing, with exception for re-admittance by approval of the Florida Bar Board of Examiners.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

WE DO CERTIFY, that a copy of the foregoing has been furnished electronically with the Clerk of Courts by using the EPORTAL system, all parties of record. Including: Megan M. Fox, MeganFox.writer@protonmail.com, Jason Hipsher justjayhip@gmail.com, SHIZZYWIZNUT@GMAIL.COM, Jeremy B. Hales, rshochet@shochetlaw.com, Martha George Rizk

Respectfully submitted,

6/18/25
Dated

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AFFIDAVIT

I, Cynthia B. Jackson, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am employed by The Florida Bar, 651 E. Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, FL 32399, and my title is Director, Division of Administration & Chief Financial Officer.
2. I am a custodian of records maintained by The Florida Bar or am a person otherwise qualified to make these representations as my job responsibilities include the gathering of records pursuant to subpoena or other record requests.
3. This Affidavit is provided pursuant to Sections 90.803(6) and 90.902(11), Florida Statutes.
4. I have reviewed the membership records of The Florida Bar concerning Ms. Ferderigos, and they indicate that:
5. Ms. Ferderigos was a member of The Florida Bar, admitted on 04/22/2017, and her membership number was 0127526.
6. The records of The Florida Bar reflect that Ms. Ferderigos was an active member in good standing with The Florida Bar from 4/22/2017 until 11/23/2021, at which time she became delinquent for non-payment of disciplinary costs.
7. On 11/29/2021 she removed her cost delinquency and returned to active status as a member in good standing.
8. On 3/13/2023, Ms. Ferderigos chose to permanently retire from The Florida Bar and is not eligible to practice and not eligible for reinstatement unless permitted by The Florida Board of Bar Examiner's Office.
9. The above records were made by staff of The Florida Bar, or persons acting under their control, in the regular course of business, at the time of the occurrence noted or within a reasonable time thereafter.




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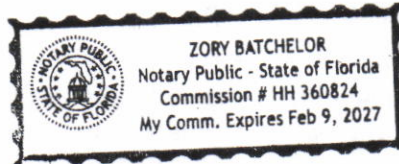
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STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF LEON

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me, **by means of ☒ physical presence or ☐ online notarization**, on 3/19/2024, by Cynthia Jackson, who personally appeared before me at the time of notarization and who is personally known to me.



Notary Public





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March 13, 2024

Ms. Leslie Ann Ferderigos
Fighting Firm, P.A.
10454 Birch Tree Lane
Windermere, FL 34786

Re: Request for information concerning Ms. Leslie Ann Ferderigos, Bar #127526

Dear Ms. Ferderigos:

This letter is in response to your inquiry regarding your discipline history with The Florida Bar. You were admitted to practice in Florida on April 22, 2017 and you are currently ineligible to practice law in Florida due to the following restrictions:

1. RETIRED PERMANENT effective 3/13/2023

The Bar disposes of files that are closed by bar counsel or grievance committee without a finding of probable cause, one year after the date the files were closed. For this reason, no reference to such files will be made in this letter.

The following files about you resulted in a disciplinary sanction:

<u>File No.</u>	<u>Disposition</u>	<u>Court Order Date</u>
202130122	PUBLIC REPRIMAND & PROBATION	9/23/2021

The following files were opened about you and did not result in discipline:

<u>File No.</u>	<u>Disposition</u>	<u>Closed Date</u>
NONE		

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The following files have been opened about you and action has not been concluded:

<u>File No.</u>	<u>Status</u>
	NONE

I trust this information will be of assistance to you. If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please call (850) 561-5839.

Sincerely,

Lauren Santiago

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Administrative Support 2
Division of Lawyer Regulation

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