
Case No. 2025-CA-004528

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Hello Mr. Shocket,

Please advise if you are representing Jeremy B. Hales in the following aforementioned case. If you are, please advise if you will accept service, or we will formally serve process.

Additionally, please ensure your client understands he is not to use my client's name, image, or imply her identity, by his fictitious names, such as "Lips", that he has been using to discuss her. Understand everything is being recorded. **She is not an influencer nor has been monetized to make money or any profit - which places her in a complete different category from those perpetrating this attack. You client is in a different category, as he is making profit from his LIVE Streams and videos.** He is also connected to using various 3rd parties, also named Defendants to further the online attack against my client. This attack has ruined her professional reputation across the internet and caused great damage. She is also a protected ADA class member, and we are in receipt of recordings and statements making fun of her disability to 1000s of people publicly.

We are requesting compliance, prior to going to law enforcement on this issue and request you to explain to your client, that his actions have led him and those he has collaborated with to damage my client.

Lastly, your client and other Defendants continue to publish in front of 1000s that my client is a disbarred attorney or retired to evade disbarment. As you know, disbarment claims that are false rise to the level of defamation per se. We are in receipt of a sworn affidavit from the Florida Bar negating this claim, and request your client promptly cease publishing these statements during his LIVE streams, where he is making profit through donations.

Subject: Notice of Preservation of Evidence and Cease Unauthorized Use of Client's Image

To the Defendants Jeremy Hales, Martha George Rizk, Jason Hipsher, John Doe, who goes by Shizzywiznut:

This correspondence serves as formal notice that all your email responses may be submitted to the Court for review. Please ensure that all communication remains professional and respectful.

You are hereby E-SERVED with a Letter of Preservation of Evidence regarding any and all content from January 2025 to the present, as well as all content from May 2025 onward on any forums, platforms, or channels involving my client, Leslie Ferderigos. This request includes, but is not limited to, all posts, comments, videos, images, live streams, and any other publication involving my client's name, nickname(s), likeness, or altered images.

Legal Notice:

Under both Florida and federal law, you are required to preserve all such evidence. You are expressly

prohibited from editing, altering, deleting, or otherwise making inaccessible any of this material. Any attempt to do so may constitute spoliation of evidence and will be brought to the attention of the Court.

Subpoenas will be issued to YouTube, Facebook, Rumble, Twitter, and any other relevant platforms, seeking records of any and all content referencing my client and any funds received during live streams or other broadcasts in which my client's image or likeness has been used or implied, whether directly or through nicknames or altered depictions.

Legal Basis:

- **Florida Statute § 540.08 — Unauthorized Publication of Name or Likeness**

It is unlawful in Florida for any person to publish, print, display, or otherwise publicly use for purposes of trade or for any commercial or advertising purpose the name, portrait, photograph, or other likeness of any person without their express consent.

- **Federal Law — Right of Publicity & Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1125(a)**

The unauthorized use of a person's name, likeness, or identity for commercial gain may violate the right of publicity and can constitute false endorsement or misrepresentation under the Lanham Act.

- **Common Law — Misappropriation of Likeness**

The use of an individual's image, likeness, or persona for commercial advantage without consent is actionable under common law, both in Florida and at the federal level.

You are hereby instructed to immediately CEASE AND DESIST from any further use of my client's image, likeness, or name in any manner that results in monetary gain, including but not limited to live streams, videos, or any other media or forum.

Failure to comply with this notice will result in further legal action, including but not limited to claims for damages, injunctive relief, and attorney's fees.

Please confirm, in writing, your receipt of this letter and your compliance with these demands.

Best Wishes,

Michael Ferderigos

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