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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
MEDINA COUNTY, OHIO

S. FORREST THOMPSON
Medina County Prosecuting Attorney

Plaintiff,

v.

JAMIE GRIFFITTS

Defendant.

) CASE NO. 22CIV0478

) JUDGE JOYCE V. KIMBLER

) ENTRY GRANTING SUMMARY
) JUDGMENT

This matter is before the Court on the Motion for Summary Judgment filed on behalf of Plaintiff, Forrest Thompson, Medina County Prosecuting Attorney, to declare Defendant, Jamie Griffitts, a vexatious litigator. Upon consideration thereof, the Court finds there is no genuine issue as to any material fact and that Plaintiff is entitled to summary judgment as a matter of law. The Court finds that after Plaintiff filed the complaint in this case that Defendant did not file an answer that denied the averments in the complaint. As such, the averments in the complaint are admitted. Civ. R. 8(D).

The Court further finds that the allegations contained in the Complaint are true and that Defendant is a vexatious litigator as defined by R.C. 2323.52(A)(3). Defendant habitually, persistently and without reasonable grounds engaged in vexatious conduct in a civil action or actions. That conduct was not warranted under existing law and cannot be supported by a good faith argument for an extension, modification, or reversal of existing law. Defendant's conduct obviously served to merely harass or maliciously injure the other party to the action.

MEDINA COUNTY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS-STATE OF OHIO. MEDINA COUNTY S.S. I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original on file in said court. Witness my hand and the seal of said court at Medina, Ohio this 23rd day of Sept, 2022. David B. Wadsworth, Clerk of Courts
By [Signature] (Deputy)

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, DECREED that Defendant a vexatious litigator as defined in Ohio Revised Code § 2323.52(A)(3).

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that, Defendant is prohibited from doing one or more of the following without first obtaining a leave of court to proceed:

- a) Instituting legal proceedings in the court of claims or in a court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court;
- b) Continuing any legal proceedings that the vexatious litigator had instituted in the court of claims or in a court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court prior to the entry of the order; and
- c) Making any application, other than an application for leave to proceed under Ohio Revised Code § 2323.52(F), in any legal proceedings instituted by the defendant or another person in the court of claims in a court of common pleas, municipal court, or county court.

Costs to Defendant.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



JUDGE JOYCE V. KIMBLER

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SERVICE

The Clerk is hereby directed to serve upon the following parties, notice of this judgement:

Jamie Griffiths
555 Independence Dr.
Medina, OH 44256

And

3985 N. Stone Ave.
Tucson, AZ 85705

Defendant

Michael McNamara
Assistant County Prosecutor
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Medina, Ohio 44256

Attorney for Plaintiff

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