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AO 440 (Rev. 12/09) Summons in a Civil Action

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

District of Oregon

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MARC JACO

Plaintiff v.

PATRCIA S. BENNETT, dba PREFERED PROCESS SERVERS aka PERFECT PROCESS

Defendant

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: (Defendant's name and address)

PATRICIA S. BENNETT dba PREFERED PROCESS SERVERS aka PERFECT PROCESS **167 HIGH STREET SE PO BOX 846** SALEM, OR 97308-0846

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If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

Date:

3/17/11

CLERK OF COURT Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

Civil Action No. 11-6091-TC



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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF OREGON

EUGENE DIVISION

MARC JACO,

Plaintiff,

v.

PATRICIA S. BENNETT, dba PREFERRED PROCESS SERVERS aka PERFECT PROCESS;

Defendant.

CIVIL NO. 11-6091-TC

COMPLAINT; EXHIBITS 1-3.

Trademark Infringement, 15 USC 1114; Trademark Dilution, 15 USC 1125(c); False Marking, 15 USC 1125(a); Cyberpiracy, 15 U.S.C. 1125(d)(1); Unlawful Trade Practice; Common Law Injury to Business Reputation

DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

COMPLAINT

1.

Plaintiff, Marc Jaco, through counsel alleges against Defendant, Patricia S. Bennett,

doing business in the State of Oregon under the assumed business names Preferred

Process Servers and Perfect Process, as follows:

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JURISDICTION AND VENUE

2.

This is an action for trademark infringement under the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1051 et seq.; 15 U.S.C. § 1114(a); unfair competition, passing off, false advertising and false designation of origin under the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1125(a); dilution of a famous mark under the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. § 1125(c), injury to business reputation, arising from Defendant's unauthorized use of Plaintiff's Trademark Registration No.; and 15 U.S.C. § 1125(d), using a protected mark in bad faith with intent to profit.

3.

This court has original subject matter jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1338(a) and 15 U.S.C. § 1121.

4.

Venue is proper under 28 U.S.C. §1391(b)(2).

THE PARTIES

5.

Plaintiff, Marc Jaco, is an individual who resides in Texas, doing business nationwide and is the lawful and registered owner of the distinctive mark Perfect Process®, Registration No. 2428108.

6.

Defendant, Patricia Bennett, is an individual doing business under the assumed business names Perfect Process and Preferred Process Servers, with principal offices in Marion County, Oregon and using the domain name PERFECT-PROCESS.COM.

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FACTUAL BACKGROUND

7.

Plaintiff, Marc Jaco, at all relevant times is in the business providing services including service of process and missing persons investigations to clients nationwide.

8.

On August 18, 1999, plaintiff filed an application to register with the Untied States Patent and Trademark Office the distinctive mark "PERFECT PROCESS" for used with service of process and missing persons investigations services.

9.

On February 13, 2001, after examination and review, plaintiff's distinctive mark "PERFECT PROCESS" was registered, Registration No. 2428108. *Exhibit 1*.

10.

The current status of the "PERFECT PROCESS" mark is valid and properly renewed.

11.

Since registration, plaintiff's use of the mark "PERFECT PROCESS" has been continuous and used in conjunction with service of process and missing persons investigations services.

12.

At all relevant times, plaintiff advertised and promoted his business though the domain name PERFECTPROCESS.COM.

13.

On or about October, 2010, defendant registered the domain name PERFECT-PROCESS.COM. 14.

In 2010 or 2011, defendant began to advertise and promote services, including service of process, under the assumed business name "PERFECT PROCESS" through the domain name PERFECT-PROCESS.COM. Exhibit 2.

15.

Defendant's use of the "PERFECT PROCESS" business name and PERFECT-PROCESS.COM was with knowledge of plaintiff's registered trademark.

16.

After notice and demand, defendant continues to use the confusingly similar and dilutive domain name PERFECT-PROCESS.COM to promote and market competing services. Exhibit 3.

CLAIM ONE: TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT (15 U.S.C. § 1114)

17.

Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1-16.

18.

Plaintiff did not license registered mark, Registration No. 2428108 to defendant.

19.

Plaintiff is not in any way associated with defendant.

20.

Defendant has been using and continues to use plaintiff's mark without permission.

21.

By using plaintiff's registered trademark on her website, defendant is using the mark in interstate commerce.

22.

Defendant's use of Trademark Registration No. 2428108 is likely to cause confusion among the general public and plaintiff's customers.

23.

Defendant's mark use and Trademark Registration No. 2428108 are exactly the same and used for almost identical services making defendant's conduct use of a counterfeit mark.

24.

Defendant's use of the "PERFECT PROCESS" name and PERFECT-

PROCESS.COM internet domain is for almost identical services making defendant's conduct use of a counterfeit mark.

25.

On information and belief, defendant intentionally infringed plaintiff's trademark.

26.

On information and belief, defendant's infringement of the trademark is willful and with advance notice of plaintiff's rights in the mark.

27.

On information and belief, defendant's infringement of the trademark harms or is likely to harm plaintiff as plaintiff suffers diversion, dilution and diminution of goodwill. Case 6:11-cv-06091-TC Document 1 Filed 03/17/11 Page 6 of 13 Page ID#: 6

CLAIM TWO: TRADEMARK DILUTION (15 U.S.C. § 1125(c))

28.

Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1-27.

29.

Defendant's continued illegal and misleading use of plaintiff's mark dilutes the reputation and goodwill and industry trust associated with plaintiff and its services.

CLAIM THREE: CYBERSQUATING

15 U.S.C. § 1125(d)(1)

30.

Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1-29.

31.

Defendant, with knowledge of plaintiff's rights and use of plaintiff's registered trademark, did register the domain name PERFECT-PROCESS.COM in violation of 15 U.S.C. § 1125(d)(1). Specifically, defendant's conduct included: registering a domain that was confusingly similar and almost identical to plaintiff's registered mark; defendant had no prior use of the mark; and defendant's conduct was for the purposes of profit, diverting consumers and creating confusion.

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CLAIM FOUR: UNFAIR TRADE PRACTICES (ORS 646.608)

32.

Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1-31.

33.

Plaintiff never sponsored or affiliated with defendant.

34.

Plaintiff never approved defendant as a licensee, franchisee or partner.

35.

Plaintiff has never been connected or associated with defendant.

36.

Defendant's misleading and illegal use of the plaintiff's mark otherwise known as Registration No. 2428108 in connection with the provision of service of process services is likely to mislead the public and cause confusion as to the source of sponsorship, affiliation connection, association, or approval from plaintiff.

CLAIM FOUR: FALSE DESCRIPTION

37.

Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1-36.

38.

Defendant's misleading and illegal use of Plaintiff's mark is likely to mislead and create confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive consumers as to the affiliation, connection or association with plaintiff, or to deceive consumers as to the origin, sponsorship or approval of defendant's services. 39.

Plaintiff alleges defendant's use of plaintiff's mark comprises a false description or representation of such business or services under 15 U.S.C. § 1125(a).

CLAIM SIX: COMMON LAW INJURY TO BUSINESS REPUTATION

40.

Plaintiff realleges paragraphs 1-39.

41.

Plaintiff alleges defendant's improper and illegal use of plaintiff's registered trademark inures and creates a likelihood of injury to plaintiff's business reputation because, persons encountering plaintiff's services will believe plaintiff is affiliated with, related to, or approves of defendant's services, and any adverse reaction by the public to defendant and the quality of her products and services and the nature of her business will injure the business reputation of plaintiff and the goodwill plaintiff enjoys in connection with its lawfully registered trademark.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for the following relief:

١. Defendant and her agents, officers, employees, representatives, successors, assigns, attorneys and all other persons acting for, with, by, through or under authority from defendant, and each of them, be preliminarily and permanently enjoined from:

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- a. using plaintiff's registered trademark;
- b. using any trademark that imitates or is confusingly similar to or in any way similar to plaintiff's registered trademark, or that is likely to cause confusion, mistake, deception, or public misunderstanding as to the origin of competing services or the connectedness of plaintiff and defendant;
- defendant's website WWW.PERFECT-PROCESS.COM be shut down immediately;
- defendant be held liable for all damages suffered by plaintiff resulting from the acts alleged herein pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117,
- 4. defendant be compelled to account to plaintiff for any and all profits derived by it from its illegal acts complained of herein pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117;
- plaintiff be allowed the election of recovering damages, profits or statutory damages of not less than \$1,000 and that the court in finding defendant's use of a counterfeit mark willful award up to the full statutory amount of \$2,000,000.00 pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117(c);
- due to defendant's violation of 15 U.S.C. § 1125(d)(1), plaintiff be awarded statutory damages of between \$1,000 and \$100,000 as the court considers just pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117(d);
- 7. defendant be ordered to deliver up for destruction all containers, labels, signs, prints, packages, wrappers, receptacles, advertising, promotional material or the like in possession, custody or under the control of defendant bearing a

trademark similar to Registration No. 2428108, as well as all plates, matrices, and other means of making the same pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1118;

- 8. the court declare this to be an exceptional case and award plaintiff its full costs and reasonable attorney fees pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117;
- the court declare defendant's actions to be willful and award treble damages to plaintiff;
- 10. the court grant plaintiff any other remedy to which it may be entitled as provided for in 15 U.S.C. §§ 1116 and 1117 or under state law; and,
- 11. Any further such relief the court deems just and equitable.

Dated this day of March, 2011.

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Reg. No. 2,428,108

United States Patent and Trademark Office Registered Feb. 13, 2001

SERVICE MARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

PERFECT PROCESS

JACO, MARC R. (UNITED STATES CITIZEN) P. O. BOX 796398 DALLAS, TX 753796398

FOR: SERVICE OF PROCESS AND MISSING PER-SONS INVESTIGATIONS SERVICES, IN CLASS 42 (U.S. CLS. 100 AND 101).

FIRST USE 6-2-1994; IN COMMERCE 7-14-1994.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO USE "PROCESS", APART FROM THE MARK AS SHOWN. SEC. 2(F).

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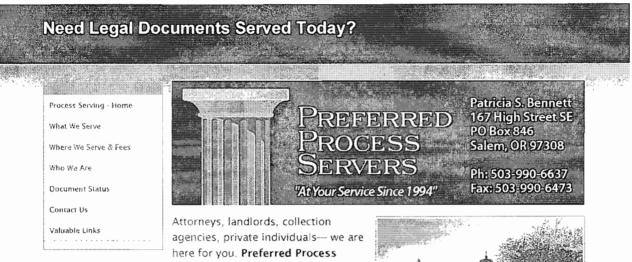


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