

1 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
2 OF THE NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
3 IN AND FOR ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA

4 CASE NO.: 2018-CA-010270-0

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6 WILLIAM WINDSOR,

7 Plaintiff,

8 vs.

9 ROBERT KEITH LONGEST, an individual,
10 and BOISE CASCADE BUILDING MATERIALS
11 DISTRIBUTION, LLC, a Foreign
12 Limited Liability Company,

13 Defendants.
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15 VIDEOCONFERENCE
16 PROCEEDINGS BEFORE: Honorable JEFFREY L. ASHTON

17 DATE: April 5, 2021

18 TIME: 10:30 - 11:27 a.m.

19 LOCATION: Via videoconference

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A P P E A R A N C E S

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P R O C E E D I N G S

THE REPORTER: Your Honor, excuse me. I'm the court reporter and I was unable to connect to the videoconference. I've been trying to get in to the meeting. I'm just now joining.

THE COURT: Okay. We will back up a little bit. First of all, what's your last name?

THE REPORTER: Horiski, H-O-R-I-S-K-I.

THE COURT: And what organization are you with?

THE REPORTER: I'm with Joy Hayes Court Reporting.

THE COURT: All right. And where is that located?

THE REPORTER: Inverness, Florida.

THE COURT: Okay. Joy Hicks, was it?

THE REPORTER: Hayes, H-A-Y-E-S.

THE COURT: Okay. Very good. I will start over slightly.

THE REPORTER: Okay. And who is available? I can't see because I couldn't join the Teams.

THE COURT: That's okay. This is Judge Ashton. On the call we have Mr. Windsor and we have Scott Astrin who is the attorney representing the defendants.

1 THE REPORTER: Thank you so much.

2 THE COURT: To summarize, the Court is here
3 on a rule to show cause issued to Mr. Windsor to
4 grant the defendants' motion, which requires
5 Mr. Windsor to file any further pleadings that have
6 to be approved and signed by a member of the
7 Florida Bar.

8 I pointed out to Mr. Windsor that this matter
9 has been about a year since Counsel was withdrawn
10 from the case and this case has not proceeded at
11 all towards trial or resolution. I pointed out
12 that defense counsel has supplied me with multiple
13 examples of cases in which Mr. Windsor has been
14 found to be an abusive litigant or vexatious
15 litigant.

16 And that since the order -- since ruling to
17 show cause was issued, as I pointed out in my prior
18 order, Mr. Windsor has filed a dozen motions
19 totaling over 1,600 pages prompting the Court to
20 file an interim order prohibiting him from any
21 further filings.

22 Since that order was entered and, in fact,
23 since Thursday of last week Mr. Windsor has sent my
24 JA, judicial assistant 214 e-mails containing over
25 a thousand pages of exhibits. And I commented to

1 Mr. Windsor that those matters are not going to be
2 considered. I have not looked at them and I will
3 not look a them.

4 It is not an appropriate method of getting
5 around the Court's order to send them directly to
6 the JA. And if it continues, then Mr. Windsor,
7 I've instructed my JA to block your e-mail so you
8 can't communicate any further.

9 So as I said, pursuant to my order
10 Mr. Windsor will have 20 minutes to show cause why
11 I should not grant the motion before the Court. It
12 is now 10:36. I have sworn in Mr. Windsor. So,
13 sir, you may proceed.

14 MR. WINDSOR: Your Honor, I have absolutely
15 done nothing wrong that would justify a Court
16 requiring that I have a member of the Florida Bar
17 review and sign -- absolutely nothing.

18 The order to show cause is entirely bogus.
19 And I believe only a dishonest judge would allow a
20 hearing on a matter such as this. In my opinion
21 the hearing is judicial wrongdoing. I object to
22 the hearing. I have filed an Exhibit 400. I
23 tender it to the Court for admission. It explains
24 the reasons why this meeting should be cancelled.

25 THE COURT: It will not be considered. Sir,

1 the purpose of the rule to show cause is to address
2 the allegations in the motion. So go ahead.

3 MR. WINDSOR: Well, there are no allegations
4 in the motion or the order to show cause. Nothing
5 is attached to it. I have explained that to you,
6 but I guess you haven't read it, Your Honor. But
7 you have to attach a motion or explain what the
8 order to show cause is about.

9 I cited case law on that. There's nothing
10 attached. It's a naked order to show cause without
11 any explanation of what it's supposed to be about.
12 I asked you to recuse yourself. The extent of your
13 bias against me is truly overwhelming.

14 I attempt to tender Exhibits 353 and 356,
15 which explain this.

16 THE COURT: It will not be accepted.

17 MR. WINDSOR: Okay. So you refuse to recuse
18 yourself, Your Honor?

19 THE COURT: Sir, there's been no motion
20 filed, pursuant to the rules. And based on the
21 outcome of this hearing will determine whether you
22 will be able to file one. That's the point of this
23 hearing.

24 MR. WINDSOR: All right. I'm asking Your
25 Honor to recuse yourself because you have done

1 nothing but demonstrate extreme bias and prejudice.
2 Will you recuse yourself?

3 THE COURT: Mr. Windsor, you have 20 minutes
4 to say whatever you want. And that time is
5 running.

6 MR. WINDSOR: I'm asking you to recuse
7 yourself and you have refused. This case is about
8 auto negligence and attempted murder. On May 5,
9 2017 I was hit by a Boise Cascade 18-wheeler truck
10 driven by Robert Longest at 70 miles an hour. It
11 might have been intentional. My car was totalled.
12 I was disabled.

13 I suffered four herniated disks in my back,
14 five herniated disks in my neck. I have all types
15 of apparatus I'm supposed to wear. I have to walk
16 with a cane and I fall repeatedly. I have an
17 abdominal injury called diastasis recti, which has
18 -- the muscles that are supposed to encapsulate
19 your abdomen spread four inches apart. It's
20 allegedly inoperable.

21 I have extreme difficulty sleeping and never
22 more than a few hours at a time. My only hopes for
23 some relief will come from this lawsuit as my
24 personal insurance coverage ran out long ago and
25 Medicare will not cover a hundred thousand or more

1 in surgery, as I can't pay the deductible.

2 I'm indigent. My quality of life was ruined
3 by the defendants, Wynne and Astrin and you're
4 aiding and abetting them in that effort. As I
5 said, this is a case of attempted murder. You,
6 Your Honor, Astrin and Attorney David Wynne are
7 attempting to kill me with this outrageous effort
8 to be able to prohibit me to be able to file
9 anything in the case.

10 It's certain to be an early death. I can't
11 afford an attorney, so if this injunction is
12 granted, I will never be able to file anything in
13 the case and I will lose. And without the
14 surgeries that this case should finance and the
15 inevitable care needed, I will die much sooner than
16 I would have.

17 I was in really good health at the time of
18 the accident. I figured I would outlive my father
19 who lived to be 89. My wonderful mother died in
20 Orlando of misdiagnosed breast cancer. I'm showing
21 you the photo of her that was produced on a
22 website, a Facebook page. It's Exhibit 38, if you
23 would like to see it in full color.

24 My father, the longtime CEO of Channel Nine,
25 WFTV, lived to be 89. I'm 72 and a half and I no

1 longer expect to get in to the eighties because of
2 this accident.

3 These photos are from Facebook pages set up
4 in the names of my deceased parents that were then
5 used to defame me in Texas. I sued. And Astrin
6 wants you -- wants this Court to believe I was
7 wrong in the case for over 50,000 defamatory
8 statements that were published about me online.

9 You don't want to accept the evidence, Your
10 Honor, but I filed the evidence proving that I
11 never did anything wrong in Texas. I never done
12 anything wrong anywhere. I, again, ask you to
13 consider accepting the 400 exhibits that I'm sure
14 will make you apoplectic when I tell you they total
15 14,087 pages. Are you again refusing to accept
16 this evidence?

17 THE COURT: Sir, I'm not here to answer your
18 questions. Please go ahead.

19 MR. WINDSOR: Your Honor, may I ask you one
20 question? Have you ever --

21 THE COURT: No.

22 MR. WINDSOR: -- ruled for a pro se
23 plaintiff?

24 THE COURT: Sir, as I said, I'm not here to
25 answer your questions. Please go ahead and try to

1 -- and show cause.

2 MR. WINDSOR: The financial information filed
3 with the US Supreme Court shown in Exhibit 362
4 shows that I was granted in forma pauperis status
5 last year. I have approximately \$5,000 less than I
6 had then. Those were Social Security funds that I
7 spent because of this nightmare.

8 I should file bankruptcy. But if I do I will
9 lose my right to recover in this case. I was just
10 diagnosed with a need for expenditures of \$15,013
11 in dental expense. That would wipe out all of my
12 Social Security savings and my bank balance, which
13 is \$287.61.

14 I have no way to deliver my evidence to
15 Mr. Astrin because he uses a bogus address. He
16 doesn't -- his address for the Bar association is
17 fake. And I have filed, I believe before your
18 deadline, documents from the Hillsborough County
19 Sheriff's Department attesting to that.

20 This is the umpteenth attempt by the
21 scurrilous attorneys for the defendants to knock me
22 out of this case because they know they can't
23 compete with me and the facts. They tried this
24 signature gambit before and Judge Marshall Kest
25 denied it. Wow. A ruling in my favor in this

1 case. I'm going to get that one framed.

2 Then they tried to have me declared mentally
3 incompetent in an effort that has never before
4 happened in a US court. And you, Your Honor, you
5 let them get away with it.

6 When you look up frivolous motions in an
7 encyclopedia in the future, you will probably see
8 the motion to have a plaintiff declared mentally
9 incompetent in a case. Textbook frivolous. No
10 basis in law or facts.

11 Attorneys Astrin and Wynne should be
12 disbarred and I will do my very best to try to see
13 that happen just as I will do my best to file a
14 vicious complaint against you with the judicial
15 conduct commission.

16 Then Wynne and Astrin tried to get the case
17 dismissed alleging there was a federal court order
18 that prohibited a man disabled by an 18-wheeler
19 from suing the trucking company and the truck
20 driver. It's equally outrageous.

21 What I'm here to defend today is the
22 plaintiff. It's an effort to make me one in
23 16,614,189. There is as many as 332,283 --
24 332,283,778 people in America who could be
25 plaintiffs. Only 19 of those people, who aren't

1 prisoners or attorneys under disbarment proceedings
2 have had an order entered denying them the right to
3 represent themselves.

4 My Exhibit 366 shows I do not meet the
5 criteria of the 19 people previously denied the
6 constitutional right to represent themselves. And
7 that and another number in sequence was previously
8 filed with this Court.

9 My Exhibit 356 lists the legal authority for
10 the bar motion. Here it is. Can you get a good
11 look at that, Your Honor? It's a blank sheet of
12 paper. There is no legal authority for the bar
13 motion.

14 The bar motion is filled with false and
15 deceptive information and may not be considered.
16 It was not provided in an affidavit or under oath
17 in any manner. It may not be considered in
18 relation to the order to show cause. It's not
19 allowed to be considered in relation to the order
20 to show cause. And I have cited case law to that
21 effect.

22 The defendants may not present any evidence
23 at the hearing on this order to show cause, which
24 is great because you -- Astrin filed defendants'
25 emergency motion to require my submissions to be

1 approved on February 17. O-M-G. An emergency.

2 He didn't seem to explain the emergency. I
3 found Astrin seems to be a pathological liar. He
4 may have the mental disorders of mythomania or
5 pseudologia fantastica. I will spell that for the
6 court reporter later.

7 THE COURT: Mr. Windsor, I'm sorry, but just
8 procedurally, you can't have conversations with the
9 court reporter and change anything, so go ahead and
10 spell it for her now.

11 MR. WINDSOR: Yes, sir. Thank you.

12 M-Y-T-H-O-M-A-N-I-A, mythomania.

13 THE COURT: Thank you.

14 MR. WINDSOR: Pseudologia Fantastica,
15 P-S-E-U-D-O-L-O-G-I-A, second word,
16 F-A-N-T-A-S-T-I-C-A.

17 You issued, apparently an order to show cause
18 on March 2 that was never served on me. You would
19 have to serve an order to show cause. It wasn't.
20 I obtained a copy from Lisa Davis who works for
21 Mr. Astrin in some unknown location in America.

22 The order to show cause claims, quote,
23 defendants request the issuance of an order to show
24 cause, unquote. But the defendants' motion makes
25 no such request. Exhibit 355. I e-mailed the

1 attorneys for the defendants and your judicial
2 assistant requesting any such requests.

3 The docket doesn't show any such requests.
4 Neither your assistant nor the attorneys responded.
5 On March 3 you entered an order denying my motion
6 for reconsideration of my motion to strike the bar
7 motion. On March 10, I filed a motion for a
8 16-hour hearing that hasn't been addressed. It
9 would take 16 hours for me to present the evidence.

10 You responded to that through an e-mail but
11 you didn't respond to the motion that was filed
12 which would put it on the court record for the
13 court of appeals.

14 On March 12 I filed a verified motion to
15 strike the answer and amended answer, enter a
16 decree pro confesso, enter a judgment in favor of
17 the plaintiff and schedule a jury trial for
18 damages.

19 Do you want to get this case moving along?
20 You rule on that. They'd lose. And then we go to
21 a jury and it's all done.

22 On March 16 I filed a verified affidavit
23 dated March 12. I don't have time to discuss it
24 because you've limited me to 12 minutes while
25 trying to save my life.

1 It addresses all of the false statements in
2 the bar motion, which is what I call this motion
3 that they've filed. It cites evidence and debunks
4 all the frivolous claims of Astrin. On March 16 I
5 filed a verified motion to strike the pleadings and
6 order sanctions again, an action that would cause
7 this case to come to an end and just go to the jury
8 for damages.

9 On March 17 I filed a motion to find the
10 defendants in contempt. It hasn't been set. On
11 March 25 you entered an order denying my right to
12 file anything in this case unless signed by a
13 member of the Florida Bar. That's something that
14 is without any justification in history.

15 A judge can't do something like that. You've
16 violated complete total due process. No
17 opportunity to be heard, just a false order. On
18 March 27 I filed a petition for reprobation in the
19 district court of appeal Fifth District. Those are
20 Exhibits 331 and 332.

21 Your Honor, how much more time do I have?

22 THE COURT: You have five minutes.

23 MR. WINDSOR: All right. The order to show
24 cause is legally deficient. The bar motion has no
25 legal basis whatsoever. The bar motion fails to

1 meet the requirements for the entry of an
2 injunction, which is what an order of this type is.

3 The defendants do not have standing to seek
4 this injunction. I've quoted case law. They
5 haven't filed a counterclaim. They have no basis.

6 The relief requested in the bar motion fails
7 to show how the defendants would suffer irreparable
8 harm. They will get their butts beat in the case,
9 but I don't think that qualifies it as irreparable
10 harm because they don't have any right to file for
11 an injunction.

12 The relief requested in the bar motion fails
13 to show that no adequate legal remedy exists. The
14 relief requested in the bar motion fails to show
15 that the defendants have any legal right to the
16 relief requested, much less a clear legal right.

17 So the bar motion fails to show the
18 injunction will serve the public interest. The bar
19 motion is not verified or supported by affidavit.
20 And the order to show cause must be stricken. The
21 bar motion failed to present any claims that would
22 justify such a filing.

23 19 people in the history of the state of
24 Florida have been denied that right. They did all
25 types of incorrigible things. All I've done is

1 file evidence.

2 Judge, you obliterated the rights to due
3 process by ordering against me, as I mentioned
4 before. You claim that I filed a bunch of pages
5 and that they were completely improper affidavits
6 of exhibits totalling 1,670 pages. Well, I've now
7 filed 14,087 pages. So if you have a heart
8 condition, I hope you've got paramedics standing
9 by.

10 The truth is, Your Honor, I filed motions
11 totalling 23 pages and 15 and a half pages of sworn
12 affidavits. All of the rest was evidence, evidence
13 necessitated by the bar motion.

14 Scurrilous and dishonest and perhaps mentally
15 ill, Astrin claims that I filed -- I sent all types
16 of e-mails doing all types of things. Well, I've
17 printed out and numbered and now have submitted
18 into evidence all of those e-mails for the purpose
19 of showing that it's bogus.

20 I did a complete analysis of it to show that
21 it's bogus. I also did an analysis of the motions
22 and various pleadings filed in the case to show
23 that nothing was wrong.

24 I don't have time, but I have a list of the
25 things that you claim were objectionable. Motion

1 to strike a strange docket entry, motion requesting
2 adequate time to respond to the order to show
3 cause. I don't have time to go through them all.

4 But they're not improper. There's nothing
5 improper of not a one of them. But you don't care.
6 You're here just to try to send me to an early
7 grave. You have done 13 orders in this case.

8 Your Honor, guess how many of them were in my
9 favor. A big goose egg, not a one. You've never
10 allowed me to have a hearing. I wish I knew
11 whether you've been paid to do this, because if I
12 was an insurance company facing three and a half
13 million dollars in jury awards, I'd pay, probably.
14 Because I would be a corrupt insurance company.

15 As a private individual, I wouldn't do it
16 because it's against the law. It may just be that
17 you don't like pro se parties, pro se plaintiffs.
18 Heaven forbid. A pro se plaintiff who is more
19 intelligent than the attorneys for the insurance
20 company.

21 If you hear that rumbling sound -- I don't
22 know if you can hear it there -- I hear it here.
23 That's the sound of our forefathers turning over in
24 their graves at the thought of you granting this
25 motion. I don't think you have jurisdiction to

1 grant this motion.

2 I'm not an expert on jurisdiction, but I
3 guess we will let the appellate courts or the
4 Supreme Court of the United States decide that.

5 Since the motion to disqualify was filed you
6 have done a host of horrible things, and I wish I
7 had time to go through those. You violated my
8 constitutional rights. There is no provision in
9 the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure, the Florida
10 Rules of Judicial Administration for a circuit
11 court judge to issue an order to show cause in a
12 civil case of auto negligence regarding a matter
13 that is not criminal.

14 I've gone through the various statutes.
15 There is no such statute. The bar motion alleges
16 facts, but it's not verified and must be stricken.
17 The bar motion is unsigned and must be denied
18 without hearing. The bar motion must be denied due
19 to the law of the case and/or collateral estoppel
20 because they tried to do this before and they were
21 denied.

22 THE COURT: All right, sir. Your 20 minutes
23 is up.

24 Now is the ten minutes for the Court's
25 questions. Mr. Windsor, attached to the filing by

1 the defense are documents from a case titled
2 William Windsor versus Coach House at Leesburg
3 Condominium Association, 2019-CA-1528. Is that
4 William Windsor you?

5 MR. WINDSOR: Yes, Your Honor.

6 THE COURT: All right. We also have been
7 given a copy of a litigation history from the
8 Northern District of Georgia. It is a -- let's
9 see. It involves 55 cases cited. Are those all
10 you?

11 MR. WINDSOR: I don't know, Your Honor. I
12 didn't file 55 cases.

13 THE COURT: Okay. Do you have the documents
14 filed by Counsel?

15 MR. WINDSOR: No, Your Honor.

16 THE COURT: Okay.

17 MR. WINDSOR: Counsel can't file any
18 documents because he didn't comply with the order
19 -- instructions set by your assistant.

20 THE COURT: No, sir, that wasn't my question.

21 How many cases do you believe you have filed
22 in the 11th Circuit -- let's see, 11th Circuit
23 Court of Appeals?

24 I misspoke. It's a list of 57 -- 55 cases
25 filed in the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals. Is

1 that you?

2 MR. WINDSOR: Just a second, Your Honor.

3 THE COURT: Certainly.

4 MR. WINDSOR: Sorry, Your Honor. I do suffer
5 from a cognitive decline that makes it impossible
6 for me to remember if I just took my pills.

7 THE COURT: Well, sir, since you've raised
8 that, if you suffer from that cognitive decline so
9 that you can -- as you said you can't remember --
10 you have no short-term memory, how is it that you
11 can represent yourself if you can't remember
12 whether you took your pills a few minutes ago?

13 MR. WINDSOR: Because I'm fortunate to have
14 been the son of an off-the-charts genius, so I'm
15 extremely intelligent.

16 THE COURT: Okay. That explains it. Go
17 ahead. The 11th Circuit Court of Appeals question.

18 MR. WINDSOR: I only remember things that are
19 important.

20 THE COURT: I see. Does 55 cases sound about
21 right?

22 MR. WINDSOR: No, Your Honor, it doesn't.
23 Exhibit 370 is a memorandum of law on federal
24 courts --

25 THE COURT: Hold on, sir. How many cases

1 have you filed in the 11th Circuit Court of
2 Appeals?

3 MR. WINDSOR: Maybe one.

4 THE COURT: Okay. There's also reference to
5 Texas -- a case in Texas. Was that you?

6 MR. WINDSOR: Yes, Your Honor. Definitely.

7 THE COURT: All right. And you are the
8 person that Chief Judge Tom Gray wrote about. It
9 says, Windsor exhibited a flagrant disregard of the
10 legislature enacted and the rules of the judicial
11 branch and has at every turn demonstrated a
12 complete disregard for the orderly administration
13 of justice.

14 That's you, correct?

15 MR. WINDSOR: Yes. And he was not joined in
16 that by his other judges. I have a complete
17 explanation. Exhibit 382 is a motion to recuse
18 Judge Tom Gray and Exhibit 381 is information about
19 case 10-14-00355. And Exhibit 383 is an affidavit
20 regarding actions and --

21 THE COURT: You are -- we also have a Supreme
22 Court of the State of Montana, Shawn Boushie versus
23 William Windsor. Is that you?

24 MR. WINDSOR: Yes, sir. That's a man who
25 attempted to murder me, yes, in 2013.

1 THE COURT: All right. We also have from the
2 Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals in Texas, William
3 Windsor versus Sam Round, Kelly McDougal and Joey
4 is a Little Kid. Is that you?

5 MR. WINDSOR: Yes, Your Honor. We kind of
6 already discussed that.

7 THE COURT: That's the one we talked about
8 before. Okay. And we already talked about Coach
9 House. That's you. Okay. And that's Coach House.
10 All right. Let's see what the last one is here.
11 That's our case. All right. That's all the
12 questions I have for you, sir.

13 We will now turn to the opportunity for
14 counsel for the defendants to make their
15 statements. Sir, you may proceed.

16 MR. WINDSOR: May I make one comment
17 regarding what you just --

18 THE COURT: Yeah. Short? As long as it's
19 short, yeah.

20 MR. WINDSOR: I've never filed anything that
21 wasn't based on the facts or the law. And I have
22 provided information that you aren't looking at
23 that explains why each of these cases is not
24 appropriate. But more important --

25 THE COURT: That's it. Very brief. Go

1 ahead, Mr. --

2 MR. WINDSOR: What happens --

3 THE COURT: Mr. Windsor.

4 Mr. Astrin, it's your turn.

5 MR. ASTRIN: Thank you, Your Honor.

6 Let me state on the record, before I proceed,
7 in response to Mr. Windsor's 20 minutes of
8 testimony, argument, whatever you want to call it,
9 he did not provide any evidence or any legal
10 authority as to why this motion should not be
11 granted or your order to show cause.

12 Let me first start off, Mr. Windsor mentioned
13 numerous times that you were preventing himself.
14 That is not true. The order to show cause in
15 defendants' motion is simply to require him to have
16 a member of the Florida Bar review, approve and
17 sign his pleadings before they're filed.

18 No one is indicating that he cannot -- or
19 requesting that he cannot represent himself in this
20 matter. He can represent himself all day long.
21 The filing of the pleadings, the frivolous
22 pleadings, the pleadings without legal merit, the
23 pleadings that simply spend hours and hours of
24 disrespecting, disparaging Your Honor, which he's
25 done today numerous times, your judicial assistant,

1 Ms. Davis, myself, Mr. Wynne and my staff. Those
2 filings of the pleadings and the e-mails and
3 documents are taxing not only on our office but to
4 the Court and it's preventing, I'm sure, the Court
5 from a judicial economic process as well as on our
6 end.

7 Mr. Windsor indicated that there was no
8 authority for Your Honor to grant this motion.
9 That is not true. As we know, you're already
10 indicated, Your Honor, Judge Mosley from Lake
11 County and Judge Singletary have already entered
12 orders to this effect in great detail.

13 Mr. Windsor continues to disregard orders
14 that have been entered by this Court, having an
15 attorney review the pleadings for approval before
16 filing will prevent this from going further or any
17 other disrespect or disregard of the current orders
18 being entered.

19 Mr. Windsor mentioned several times that he
20 cannot afford an attorney. This is a personal
21 injury case. We can sit here all day, but we know
22 television, radio, print, bus stops, buses, taxis,
23 billboards, many attorneys -- most all attorneys
24 will accept a case on a retainer agreement and
25 collect at the end of the case when it's settled.

1 I was going to point out the numerous
2 allegations that Mr. Windsor has made in his
3 pleadings. He's done that for me today with regard
4 to his feelings toward Your Honor, his feelings
5 toward myself and Mr. Wynne.

6 I'm a little concerned, though, Your Honor,
7 something that we may take up on another hearing,
8 but I would ask you to consider as part of this
9 hearing today, the allegations that we're trying to
10 murder Mr. Windsor. That is first time in my
11 25 years I've ever heard that.

12 This is a simple auto accident. Two vehicles
13 involved. My client's vehicle and Mr. Windsor's
14 vehicle. We have a right to defend the case from
15 the liability standpoint and the damage standpoint,
16 as you know.

17 You've probably had hundreds of automobile
18 accident trials. These are issues of fact for the
19 jury to determine. They're not issues to be
20 determined in 55 motions and 14,000 documents that
21 have nothing to do with the auto accident itself.

22 My motion was to be heard tomorrow. We're
23 taking care of it today. So I know that hearing
24 has been cancelled, which is fine. But I wanted to
25 bring up and I did have it in my amended motion for

1 tomorrow, the fact that Mr. Windsor continues to
2 violate Judge Kest's order of October 20 requiring
3 him to adhere to the rules of professional conduct
4 in the Ninth Circuit.

5 In my amended motion I indicated that
6 Mr. Windsor filed a document, a pleading motion on
7 February 26, 2021 and throughout the entire motion
8 he changed my last name to A-S-S-T-R-I-N instead of
9 A-S-T-R-I-N. That is uncalled for. That is why we
10 need an attorney to review his pleadings.

11 He is held to the level of an attorney if he
12 wants to represent himself. He's violated Judge
13 Kest's order directly. And I'm requesting, as to
14 my motion for him to be sanctioned and award a fee
15 against him toward me of \$10,000 for his behavior.

16 We have to do something to stop this behavior
17 going forward, and today is the day. Thank you,
18 Your Honor.

19 THE COURT: You're welcome.

20 I will give you five more minutes, Mr.
21 Windsor. Any last thing you want to say? At issue
22 here is your conduct and your ability to work
23 within the rules that regulate, not only the
24 Florida Bar and the judiciary but pro se litigants.
25 Go ahead.

1 MR. WINDSOR: Okay. There's never been a
2 case in Florida, and I've previously cited this to
3 the Court in filings that were where anything that
4 happened in another state flies. So let's just put
5 all of that aside.

6 THE COURT: Hold on, sir. Isn't this exactly
7 what happened to you in Lake County? You say
8 there's never been a case in the state of Florida
9 but you are the case in the state of Florida,
10 aren't you?

11 MR. WINDSOR: Yeah. The point is, these
12 people are looking at things that happened in other
13 states and saying that they apply. The 19 people
14 that have been denied that right, only one was a
15 case that even mentioned anything that happened in
16 other states. And when you read the case you
17 realize it wasn't on point.

18 THE COURT: Sir, are you including yourself
19 among those 19 people?

20 MR. WINDSOR: No, I'm number 20.

21 THE COURT: Okay. So there have been 20
22 people that have been denied the right to file, you
23 being one.

24 MR. WINDSOR: Right. And those other are on
25 appeal or will be on appeal. I think I may just

1 have to go to the Supreme Court directly or the US
2 Supreme Court to say that you just can't do this.

3 THE COURT: So that's one of the issues I'm
4 having with you is if you were a lawyer you
5 wouldn't say that because you would know that
6 that's not how it works. And, see, that's why I'm
7 concerned about the progress of your litigation is
8 because you appear to have become so wrapped up in
9 a personal argument with Counsel or with me that
10 you've lost sight of the actual lawsuit itself.

11 Because all the stuff that you're doing is
12 not advancing your lawsuit. It's not getting you
13 to a favorable resolution. And a lawyer would know
14 that. And that's my concern is that you have
15 become so obsessed with a battle with the lawyer or
16 with the judge that you completely lose sight of
17 the endgame, which is getting your case prepared,
18 ready and presented to a jury.

19 And so explain to me why that's going to
20 change if I don't grant this motion.

21 MR. WINDSOR: Well, I filed three motions,
22 two of which are dispositive on the case. So you
23 hear those motions, do the right thing and grant
24 them and we --

25 THE COURT: They have no basis in law. I've

1 looked at them. If you were a lawyer you would
2 know that. But I understand that you've done some
3 research and you're obviously a very bright man,
4 but that's the difficulty here, is that right now
5 I'm presented with a choice, either allow this
6 thing to continue to spiral out of control or
7 require you to have a lawyer help you get this case
8 to move forward.

9 I'm looking for some sign from you that you
10 understand that what you've been doing cannot
11 continue. But I don't see that in you.

12 MR. WINDSOR: Your Honor, Mr. Astrin said I
13 can easily go to somebody that I see on TV or
14 whatever or words to that effect. I don't want to
15 quote it out of context. I went to Morgan and
16 Morgan. I went to a couple of others and they
17 declined.

18 THE COURT: Well, you had Morgan and Morgan,
19 right?

20 MR. WINDSOR: No, I had Dan Newlin.

21 THE COURT: I'm sorry. Dan Newlin. Excuse
22 me. My mistake.

23 MR. WINDSOR: Morgan and Morgan, a couple
24 other people whose name escape me. They said, no,
25 too much has been done. They wouldn't handle it.

1 I do not intend to change a thing, in terms of how
2 I handle the case. I haven't done anything wrong.
3 You have no basis to order that I have to have a
4 lawyer sign my pleadings.

5 I'm not allowed to take discovery on these.
6 I'm limited to something like one hour in a
7 deposition. The restrictions placed on me are
8 ridiculous.

9 THE COURT: Who limited you to an hour for
10 depositions?

11 MR. WINDSOR: You did after refusing to
12 reconsider something entered by Judge Kest.

13 THE COURT: So Judge Kest made a ruling.
14 Okay.

15 MR. WINDSOR: So I'm -- they're being allowed
16 to commit contempt. They're being allowed to
17 refuse to provide documents and evidence and
18 various other things. They won't let me have one
19 hour to depose somebody that needs to be deposed.

20 I believe that there's all types of
21 wrongdoing with their alleged expert medical person
22 but I don't have the time or the basis to pursue
23 that.

24 So the only thing I can do is hope that the
25 appellate court somewhere grant me the appropriate

1 rights to pursue this case. I have filed evidence.
2 I have filed motions that I believe are
3 appropriate. The motions that I filed that are
4 dispositive I believe are valid based upon the
5 research I did.

6 And I just don't read one case, Your Honor.
7 If I find the case I read them all. And if I find
8 that I'm traveling down the wrong path, I back off.
9 And that hasn't happened. And you've allowed them
10 to file things that are not under oath, do not have
11 a basis and are -- do not have legal support.

12 THE COURT: Did you appeal the judge's ruling
13 in the Lake County case to the Fifth DCA?

14 MR. WINDSOR: I have appealed mostly -- and
15 to be honest, because of all the work I've had to
16 do to prepare for this, I haven't even had a chance
17 to look to see what Singletary did.

18 But since February 19, I have never been
19 served with anything. Someone has stopped me from
20 being able to receive anything filed in the
21 E-portal and I've called that to everyone's
22 attention. So my first response there will be they
23 had no right to issue anything because I wasn't
24 served, just as I wasn't served in this case. And
25 there's a requirement that you have to be served.

1 THE COURT: Well, sir, this is another area
2 that you fail to understand the subtlety of. But
3 if you were going to be held in contempt you'd be
4 correct. But the order to show cause was simply to
5 show cause why I shouldn't grant a motion.

6 That has a different legal implication. So
7 this is just another example of how what you
8 interpret something a certain way that isn't
9 accurate and if you were an attorney you would
10 understand more how those things happen.

11 MR. WINDSOR: Let me speak to Astrin's
12 concern over misspelling his name. He never
13 brought that to my attention.

14 THE COURT: Come on, sir. Are you trying to
15 -- don't pull my leg and tell me --

16 MR. ASTRIN: Your Honor, I've been sitting
17 here for 45 minutes now. I'm not going to put up
18 with this anymore. Mr. Windsor, stop. You did it
19 on purpose. My name was spelled correctly at the
20 beginning. Let me say one thing real quick
21 regarding it's either Judge Mosley's or Judge
22 Singletary's court case.

23 He's already filed pleadings in opposition or
24 in contempt of the order. And now they have
25 another order or another motion pending for his

1 contempt and you're asking for the case to be
2 dismissed.

3 Your Honor, I think we're getting close to
4 this case here being dismissed by you based on his
5 actions and his --

6 THE COURT: That's the next thing I was going
7 to address. Mr. Windsor, I just want you to sit
8 there and -- if you want to tell me under oath that
9 -- you're misspelling Mr. Astrin's name wasn't
10 deliberate? Is that what you want to tell me?

11 MR. WINDSOR: Because clearly spell check
12 doesn't check the name Astrin. And --

13 THE COURT: Let's move on here. I don't want
14 to end up dismissing your case but this can't go
15 on.

16 MR. ASTRIN: Your Honor --

17 THE COURT: That's the next level.

18 MR. WINDSOR: Florida rules of professional
19 conduct, a pro se party, anyone who is not an
20 attorney has no obligation in any way, shape or
21 form -- I've tried to be very respectful and follow
22 all of those rules, but there's no rule that I
23 can't call Mr. Astrin an ass and there's no rule
24 that I have to do anything that's -- they violated
25 these rules repeatedly and you've sanctioned it.

1 THE COURT: Okay. Go ahead.

2 MR. ASTRIN: Your Honor --

3 THE COURT: Give Mr. Astrin a little bit more
4 time since we have a little bit more.

5 Go ahead, sir.

6 MR. ASTRIN: Your Honor, I'm making an ore
7 tenus motion for you to dismiss this case today.

8 THE COURT: Well, I'm not going to do that
9 yet.

10 MR. ASTRIN: Okay. Well, I'll file a written
11 motion for you to dismiss the case and you can do
12 it then.

13 THE COURT: I don't know if I will or not.
14 You can go ahead and file whatever you want, sir.

15 MR. ASTRIN: He will need to pay me \$10,000
16 for that, Judge.

17 THE COURT: I'm not doing that yet either.
18 We will take it one step at a time.

19 Now, Mr. Windsor, any last words about --
20 well, I mean, you pretty much said it. You feel
21 that the way you've done things is perfectly fine
22 and you're not going to change. Is that what I
23 understand?

24 MR. WINDSOR: Yes, sir. And I have provided
25 all of the documentation and the law in my filings

1 will show that this shouldn't go on today. If we
2 had time I would go through each and every thing
3 that I've filed and spell those out for you.

4 Mr. Astrin hasn't presented anything. I
5 presented it all and I've tried to be as polite as
6 I could be about the -- but I'm limited in the
7 time, the very little time given to defend against
8 having my rights taken away.

9 THE COURT: Well, sir, I want to reiterate
10 what Mr. Astrin has said, that this case cannot go
11 forward, but you've got to make a choice. You can
12 either continue the way you have been, which --
13 well, I mean, you can't, if I grant the motion; you
14 just can't do anything.

15 You cannot get around it by sending e-mails
16 to my judicial assistant. We're going to block you
17 from communicating that way. But we are more than,
18 more than happy to consider any motion that you
19 file which is signed and approved by a member of
20 the Florida Bar.

21 So the motion is granted. The interim order
22 that I filed will be extended to be a permanent
23 order in this case. Mr. Astrin, if you would like
24 to prepare a proposed order and send it to me,
25 please send it in Word because I'm sure I will be

1 making changes and additions to it.

2 Send a copy of that to Mr. Windsor as well so
3 that he will know what you submitted to me. I will
4 submit the order. In the interim, I'm going to
5 prepare a brief order extending my prior order
6 until the new order is written and fully done.

7 Mr. Windsor, I hope that you get an attorney
8 involved in this case, because I think there's a
9 case here that needs to be litigated. But the case
10 needs to be litigated not on personalities.

11 So that is the ruling of the Court. Thank
12 you all very much. Mr. Astrin, I'm looking forward
13 to seeing your proposed order.

14 Mr. Windsor, I don't -- I mean, I don't -- if
15 I ask you not to e-mail my JA anymore, will you do
16 it?

17 MR. WINDSOR: Your Honor, I have only
18 e-mailed her when necessary. But she is listed as
19 one of the contacts on the E-portal and I would be
20 happy to remove her from that --

21 THE COURT: Mr. Windsor, you e-mailed my JA
22 214 times since Thursday. Since Thursday.

23 MR. WINDSOR: Absolutely not, Your Honor.

24 THE COURT: Well, you're calling my secretary
25 a liar and I know that she's telling me the truth

1 about that, so that ain't going to happen. So I'll
2 block you from e-mail, again. If you have a lawyer
3 that wants to communicate with us on your behalf,
4 we will be happy to speak with him.

5 MR. ASTRIN: Your Honor, I'm sorry. I know
6 we're wrapping up. I'm not sure what that was, but
7 okay.

8 THE COURT: It was an accusation that I'm
9 corrupt.

10 MR. WINDSOR: I'm putting it in writing that
11 you're being bribed at the courthouse.

12 MR. ASTRIN: He put it writing that you're
13 being bribed.

14 THE COURT: Let me put it to you this way,
15 Mr. Windsor. You wouldn't be the first and you're
16 not going to be the last.

17 MR. ASTRIN: Wait. Let me talk.

18 MR. WINDSOR: I'm going to make it my mission
19 to expose you and Astrin.

20 THE COURT: All right. Mr. Windsor, that is
21 a threat against this Court --

22 MR. ASTRIN: And myself.

23 THE COURT: Mr. Windsor, there is a limit. I
24 have let you go on at length, but you have just
25 threatened a member of the judiciary and that is a

1 matter which is contemptuous.

2 Now, sir, would you like to withdraw that
3 comment or would you like to leave it in the record
4 and face contempt? Because that, sir, will not be
5 tolerated. Threatening a member of the judiciary
6 in a court hearing is not going to be permitted.

7 Sir, what would you like to say?

8 MR. WINDSOR: I would like to withdraw
9 anything that indicated it was a threat. I
10 withdraw it.

11 THE COURT: Very well. Now, Mr. Astrin, any
12 one last word about anything procedural.

13 MR. ASTRIN: Yes, Your Honor. With regards
14 to the proposed order, I would ask that you provide
15 some guidance. When I submit the order, relative
16 to consequences if Mr. Windsor is in contempt of
17 the order, continuous repeated filings, pleadings
18 without --

19 THE COURT: Well, the order is to the clerk
20 that the clerk will not accept any further filings
21 from Mr. Windsor unless they are signed and
22 approved by a member of the Florida Bar.

23 So he can try all he wants, but the clerk
24 will not accept them. That is the order that I
25 have issued previously and I will issue again.

1 MR. ASTRIN: What is the effect if he
2 continues to file and send them to me? Do I
3 disregard them as well?

4 THE COURT: Yes. I can't -- I can't -- let's
5 see. I can't control his communication with you,
6 obviously. He will not be filing any further
7 documents of any legal significance without a
8 lawyer having filed and approved them.

9 MR. ASTRIN: All right, Your Honor. Thank
10 you very much.

11 THE COURT: All right.

12 MR. WINDSOR: May I have settings on my
13 motions?

14 THE COURT: Pardon me?

15 MR. WINDSOR: May I have settings on my
16 motions already filed?

17 THE COURT: Are they signed and approved by a
18 member of the Florida Bar?

19 MR. WINDSOR: No, they were submitted before
20 this.

21 THE COURT: They will not be considered
22 unless they are adopted and approved by a member of
23 the Florida Bar.

24 MR. WINDSOR: So you're saying you're making
25 this order retroactive?

1 THE COURT: We will not set any matter for
2 hearing unless a member of the Florida Bar has read
3 and approved them. That is correct.

4 All right. That will conclude the
5 proceedings in this case. Thank you all very much
6 and I will now leave the meeting. Thank you.

7 MR. ASTRIN: Thanks, Your Honor.

8 (The foregoing proceedings were
9 concluded at 11:27 a.m.)

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