

TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST DEFENDANT TONI MAREK AND ORDER SETTING HEARING FOR TEMPORARY INJUNCTION

On this date the Court heard Plaintiff Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society's ("PTK") application for a temporary restraining order against Defendant Toni Marek. The application was presented ex parte without notice to the Defendant. The Court, after considering Plaintiff's TRO application, the pleadings, the declarations, other evidence submitted, and arguments of counsel, finds that the application is well-taken and should be in all things GRANTED.

In particular, the Court finds the following:

- 1. An ex parte order rendered without notice to the Defendant was necessary because Defendant has a history of avoiding process, refusing to engage with PTK in an effort to resolve disputes, and weaponizing information it has gathered about PTK in public forums.
- 2. The evidence shows that Plaintiff will suffer probable, imminent, and irreparable harm before the temporary injunction hearing if the Court does not issue

a temporary restraining order against Defendant Marek because Marek possesses and likely intends to publish a book containing PTK's privileged and confidential information, the publication of which will harm PTK's business. Because of the nature of privileged information, money damages cannot adequately compensate PTK's injury, nor can the injury be properly quantified in terms of money.

3. It is necessary to enjoin the Defendant as ordered herein in order to prevent this harm because Marek has already published portions of PTK's privileged information in her possession, and remains intent on further publishing information in her book.

It is therefore, ORDERED that:

- A. Defendant Marek is immediately restrained from publishing her book entitled Saving PTK: The Whistleblower's Fight for Truth and Change until PTK is provided the opportunity to review the manuscript and ensure that its privileged information will not be disseminated further.
- B. PTK is ordered to report to the Court within twenty- one (21) days from the date the manuscript is delivered to PTK's counsel by Marek if the need for continued orders from this Court are necessary.
- C. The Clerk of the Court issue a writ of injunction to Defendant Marek in accordance with the terms of this Order.
- D. Plaintiff PTK file a bond payable to Defendant Marek in the amount of \$____ with two or more sureties as security for this temporary restraining order. The bond must be filed and approved by the Clerk of the Court before any writ of injunction may issue pursuant to

this temporary restraining order. The Plaintiff may post a cash deposit in lieu of a bond under Texas Rule of Civil Procedure 14c.

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E. Plaintiff PTK's application for a temporary injunction is set for hearing on the day of ______, 2025 at _____ a.m/p.m.] at ______. The purpose of the hearing is to determine whether the court should issue a temporary injunction against Defendant Marek as requested by Plaintiff PTK pending a full trial on the merits.

This Order expires on 1/4 day, 20_, unless extended for good cause shown.

The Honorable K. STEPKI WILLIAMS