

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

AQUAPAW BRANDS LLC,
Plaintiff,

v.

TROPICALPARADISE, *et al.*,
Defendants.

Civil Action No.

FILED UNDER SEAL

PLAINTIFF’S *EX PARTE* MOTION FOR 1) TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER; 2) ORDER RESTRAINING ASSETS AND MERCHANT STOREFRONTS; 3) ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY A PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION SHOULD NOT ISSUE; AND 4) ORDER AUTHORIZING EXPEDITED DISCOVERY

Plaintiff now moves this Court for an Order granting their *Ex Parte* Application for: 1) a temporary restraining order; 2) an order restraining assets and Merchant Storefronts (as defined *infra*); 3) an order to show cause why a preliminary injunction should not issue; and 4) an order authorizing expedited discovery against the Defendants identified on **Schedule “A”** to the Complaint (collectively, the “Defendants”).

The legal support for this motion is contained in the accompanying Memorandum of Law. The evidence supporting this motion is contained in the Declarations of Michael Scotese, Stanley D. Ference III, Brian Samuel Malkin, and Dee Odell, and the exhibits attached thereto.

A proposed Order affirmatively granting the relief sought herein is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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