IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

Margaret Reddy, Mohan Thalamarla, Supreme Court No. 83253 Max Global, INC.

Appellants,

vs.

MEDAPPEAL, LLC, an Illinois limited liability company

Respondent.

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APPELLANT'S DOCKETING STATEMENT, CIVIL APPEALS

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GENERAL INFORMATION

All appellants not in proper person must complete this docketing statement. NRAP 14(a). The purpose of the docketing statement is to assist the Supreme Court in screening jurisdiction, classifying cases for en bane, panel, or expedited treatment, compiling statistical information and identifying parties and their counsel.

WARNING

This statement must be completed fully. accurately and on time. NRAP 14(c). The Supreme Court may impose sanctions on counsel or appellant if it appears that the information provided is incomplete or inaccurate. Id. Failure to attach requested documents, fill out the statement completely, or to file it in a timely manner constitutes grounds for the imposition of sanctions, including a fine and/or dismissal of the appeal.

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	Client	MARGARE	T REDDY, MO	OHAN THALAMA	RLA, MA	X GLOB	AL, INC	
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	of their statemer		additional she	et accompanied by	a certifica	tion that	they concur in	the filing of this
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	Client(s)	MEDAPPEA	L, LLC (an Illir	nois limited liability	company)			
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□ Adoption

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- Juvenile matters

- 6. Pending and prior proceedings in this court. List the case name and docket number of all appeals or original proceedings presently or previously pending before this court which are related to this appeal: NO OTHER MATTERS PENDING.
- 7. Pending and prior proceedings in other courts. List the case name, number and court of all pending and prior proceedings in other courts which are related to this appeal (e.g., bankruptcy, consolidated or bifurcated proceedings) and their dates of disposition:

NONE

8. Nature of the action. Briefly describe the nature of the action, including a list of the causes of action pleaded, and the result below:

RESPONDENT FILED ITS COMPLAINT AND THEN AMENDED ITS COMPLAINT AGAINST VARIOUS DEFENDANTS INCLUDING APPELLANTS FOR VARIOUS INTENTIONAL CAUSES OF ACTION.

THESE APPELLANTS MOVED TO DISMISS THE COMPLAINT AGAINST THEM, ALLEGING IN DECLARATIONS THAT RESPONDENT HAD NO JURISDICTION OVER THEM PERSONALLY AND INDIVIDUALLY. APPELLANTS ALLEGE THAT MOTION WAS IMPROPERLY DENIED.

LATER, A MOTION TO COMPEL WAS FILED AGAINST DEFENDANT MARGARET REDDY. THE ISSUE WAS BRIEFED AND THE DISCOVERY COMMISSIONER ENTERED A DCRR THAT ESSENTIALLY GRANTED THE MOTION. DEFENDANT MARGARET TIMELY OBJECTED AND THE OBJECTION WAS SET FOR HEARING. IT DOES NOT APPEAR THE OBJECTION WAS EVER HEARD, NOR WAS IT PROPERLY RULED UPON, THROUGH INFORMATION AND BELIEF AFTER REVIEWING THE REGISTRY OF ACTIONS IN THIS MATTER.

RESPONDENT FILED FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT. THE COURT GRANTED SUMMARY JUDGMENT AND ENTERED JUDGMENT IN FAVOR OF RESPONDENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$225,000.00.

PETITIONER APPEALS THE DISTRICT COURT GRANTING SUMMARY JUDGMENT AGAINST THESE APPELLANTS. PETITIONER APPEALS THE DISTRICT COURT DENYING THESE DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS. PETITIONER APPEALS THE DCRR OF JULY 14, 2020 RELATING TO MARGARET REDDY AND THE ORDER OF AUGUST 5, 2020 SETTING AN OBJECTION TO THIS DCRR FOR HEARING ON AUGUST 27, 2020 WHICH WAS NEVER HELD, NEVER HEARD, AND NEVER ENTERED, THROUGH INFORMATION AND BELIEF OF THE UNDERSIGNED.

Issues on appeal. State concisely the principal issue(s) in this appeal:

APPELLANT ASSERTS RESPONDENT DOES NOT HAVE THE NECESSARY MINIMUM CONTACTS WITH THE STATE OF NEVADA TO FILE A LAWSUIT, AND APPELLANTS ALSO HAVE NO CONTACTS WITH THE STATE OF NEVADA. APPELLANT FILED A HUNEYCUTT MOTION IN THE DISTRICT COURT SEEKING TO DISMISS THE ACTION AS RESPONDENT IS A FOREIGN LLC THAT NEVER BECAME LICENSED TO DO BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF NEVADA.

9. Pending proceedings in this court raising the same or similar issues. If you are aware of any proceeding presently pending before this court which raises the same or similar issues raised in this appeal, list the *case* name and docket number and identify the same or similar issues raised:

NONE KNOWN.

10. Constitutional issues. If this appeal challenges the constitutionality of a statute. and the state, any state agency. or any officer or employee thereof is not a party to this appeal, have you notified the clerk of this court and the attorney general in accordance with NRAP 44 and NRS 30.130?

N/A ØYes 🗆 No 🗆

If not, . explain

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11. Other issues. Does this appeal involve any of the following issues?

- **Q** Reversal of well-settled Nevada precedent to an attachment, identify the case(s))
- □ An issue arising under the United States and/or Nevada Constitutions
- ☑ A substantial issue of first-impression
- \square An issue of public policy
- An issue where en hanc consideration is necessary to maintain uniformity of this court's decisions
- □ A ballot question

If so, explain: APPELLANT BRINGS BEFORE THIS SUPREME COURT AN ISSUE WHETHER CITIZENS OF MICHIGAN AND INDIA CAN BE SUED IN NEVADA BY A FOREIGN COMPANY, WITHOUT CONTACTS IN NEVADA AND WITHOUT FILING TO DO BUSINESS IN NEVADA SOLELY BECAUSE OF A FORUM SELECTION CLAUSE IN A CONTRACT.

13. Trial. If this action proceeded to trial, how many days did the trial last? N/A

Was it a bench or jury trial? BENCH / SUMMARY JUDGMENT

14. Judicial disqualification. Do you intend to file a motion to disqualify or have a justice recuse him/herself from participation in this appeal. If so. which Justice? NO

TIMELINESS OF NOTICE OF APPEAL

15. Date of entry of written judgment or order appealed from <u>June 18, 2021</u>. Attach a copy. If more than one judgment or order is appealed from, attach copies of each judgment or order from which an appeal is taken.

(a) If no written judgment or order was filed in the district court, explain the basis for seeking appellate review:

16. Date written notice of entry of judgment or order served <u>June 18, 2021</u>. Attach a copy, including proof of service, for each order or judgment appealed from.

(a) Was service by ELECTRONIC delivery \square or by mail \square (specify).

17. If the time for filing the notice of appeal was tolled by a post-judgment motion (NRCP 50(h), 52(h), or 59),

(a) Specify the type of motion. and the date and method of service of the motion, and date of filing, N/A

 NRCP 50(b)
 Date served
 By delivery
 Date of filing

 NRCP 52(b)
 Date served
 By delivery
 Date of filing

 NRCP 59
 Date served
 By delivery
 Date of filing

 Attach copies of all post-trial tolling motions.

NOTE: Motions made pursuant to NRCP 60 or motions for rehearing or reconsideration do not toil the time for filing a notice of appeal.

- 18. Date notice of appeal was filed July 16, 2021
 - (a) If more than one party has appealed from the judgment or order, list date each notice of appeal was filed and identify by name the party filing the notice of appeal: N/A
- 19. Specify statute or rule governing the time limit fur 155.190, or other <u>NRAP 4(a)</u>, ⁵

filing the notice of appeal, e.g., NRAP 4(a), NRS

SUBSTANTIVE APPEALABILITY

20. Specify the statute or other authority granting this court jurisdiction to review the judgment or order appealed from:

NRAP 3A(b)(1) I NRCP 12(b)(1), 12(b)(2), 56(a)(d)(e)(h), NRS 86.548 NRAP 3A(b)(2) NRAP 3A(b)(3) Other (specify)

Explain how each authority provides a basis for appeal from the judgment or order:

RULE USED ALLOWS AN APPEAL FROM THE FINAL ORDER.

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SECTION ONLY IF MORE THAN ONE CLAIM FOR RELIEF WAS PRESENTED IN THE ACTION (WHETHER AS A CLAIM, COUNTERCLAIM, CROSS-CLAIM, OR THIRD-PARTY CLAIM) OR IF MULTIPLE PARTIES WERE INVOLVED IN THE ACTION. Attach separate sheets as necessary.

21. List all parties involved in the action in the district court:

MEDAPPEAL LLC – PLAINTIFF, COUNTERDEFENDANT VIJAY REDDY - DEFENDANT MARGARET REDDY – DEFENDANT MOHAN THALAMARLA – DEFENDANT MAX GLOBAL INC – DEFENDANT DAVID WEINSTEIN – DEFENDANT MEDASSET INC – DEFENDANT, COUNTERCLAIMANT, THIRD PARTY PLAINTIFF KEVIN BROWN – DEFENDANT VISIONARY BUSINESS BROKERS – DEFENDANT LIBERTY CONSULTING & MANAGEMENT SERVICES, THIRD PARTY DEFENDANT

(a) If all parties in the district court are not parties to this appeal, explain in detail why those parties are not involved in this appeal. e.g., formally dismissed, not served, or other:

THE UNDERSIGNED ONLY REPRESENTS THE APPELLANTS.

22. Give a brief description (3 to 5 words) of each party's separate claims, counterclaims, cross-claims or third-party claims, and the trial court's disposition of each claim, and how each claim was resolved (i.e., order, judgment, stipulation), and the date of disposition of each claim. Attach a copy of each disposition.

MEDAPPEAL – FILED COMPLAINT AND AMENDED COMPLAINT, SUMMARY JUDGMENT ON AMENDED COMPLAINT MEDASSET – FILED COUNTERCLAIM AND THIRD PARTY COMPLAINT

AT HEARING, COURT ORDERED ALL CLAIMS DISPOSED OF.

- 23. Attach copies of the last-filed version of all complaints, counterclaims, and/or cross-claims filed in the district court.
- 24. Did the judgment or order appealed from adjudicate ALL the claims alleged below and the rights and liabilities of ALL the parties to the action below:

Yes 🗹 No 🗆

25. If you answered "No" to the immediately previous question, complete the following:

- (a) Specify the claims remaining pending below:
- (b) Specify the parties remaining below:

(c) Did the district court certify the judgment or order appealed from as a final judgment pursuant to NRCP 54(b):

Yes \square No \square If "Yes," attach a copy of the certification or order, including any notice of entry and proof of service.

(d) Did the district court make an express determination, pursuant to NRCP 54(b). that there is no just reason for delay and an express direction for the entry of judgment:

Yes 🗆 No 🖾

26. If you answered "No" to any part of question 25, explain the basis for seeking appellate review (e.g., order is independently appealable under NRAP 3A(b)):

VERIFICATION

I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read this docketing statement, that the information provided in this docketing statement is true and complete to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, and that I have attached all required documents to this docketing statement.

Margaret Reddy, Mohan Thalamarla, Max Global, Inc NAME OF APPELLANTS

/S/ ANDREW WASIELEWSKI, ESQ

AUGUST 26, 2021

SIGNATURE OF COUNSEL OF RECORD

DATE

NEVADA, CLARK COUNTY

STATE AND COUNTY WHERE SIGNED

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the <u>26th</u> day of <u>August, 2021</u> I served a copy of this completed docketing statement upon all counsel of record:

□ By personally serving it upon him/her: or

☑ By electronically serving the document utilizing the e-service provisions of the Nevada Supreme Court E-Flex System to the following address(es):

ZACHARTY T. BALL, ESQ. THE BALL LAW GROUP Attorneys for Respondent

MICHAEL SINGER, settlement judge

Dated this <u>26th</u> day of <u>August</u>, 2021

/s/ ANDREW WASIELEWSKI

Signature of Employee

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9	MEDAPPEAL, LLC, an Illinois Limited Liability Company,	Case No.: A-19-792836-C
10		Dept. No.: XIV
	Plaintiff,	
11	v .	
12	DAVID WEINSTEIN, VIJAY REDDY, MARGARET REDDY, MOHAN	FIRST AMENDED ANSWER,
13	II THALMARLA KEVIN BROWN MAY	AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES, COUNTERCLAIM, AND THIRD-
14	GLOBAL, INC., VISIONARY BUSINESS BROKERS LLC, MEDASSET CORPORATION,	PARTY COMPLAINT
15	and DOES 1-50,	
16	Defendants.	
17	MEDASSET CORPORATION, a Nevada Corporation,	
18	Counterclaimant,	
	v.	
19	MEDAPPEAL, LLC, an Illinois Limited Liability	
20	Company,	
21	Counter-Defendant;	
22	MEDASSET CORPORATION, a Nevada	
23	Corporation,	
24	Third-Party Plaintiff,	
25	v .	
26	LIBERTY CONSULTING & MANAGEMENT SERVICES, LLC, an Illinois Limited Liability	
27	Company,	
	Third-Party Defendant.	
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1	COMES NOW, Defendants David Weinstein and Medasset Corporation (collectively,		
2	"Defendants"), by and through their attorney of record, Hector J. Carbajal II, Esq, of Carbajal		
3	Law, and hereby amends its answer to Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint (the "FAC") as		
4	follows:		
5	1. Defendants admit the allegations of paragraph 1 of the FAC.		
6	2. Defendants admit the allegations of the first sentence of paragraph 2 of the		
7	FAC. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the truth of		
8	the allegations of the second sentence of paragraph 2 of the FAC.		
9	3. Defendants admit the allegations of paragraph 3 of the FAC.		
10 11	4. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
11	truth of the allegations of paragraphs 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of the FAC.		
13	5. Defendants admit the allegations of paragraph 9 of the FAC.		
14	6. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
15	truth of the allegations of paragraph 10 of the FAC.		
16	7. Defendants admit the allegations of paragraphs 11 and 12 of the FAC.		
17	8. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
18	truth of the allegations of paragraphs 13 and 14 of the FAC.		
19	9. Defendants admit the allegations of paragraph 15 of the FAC.		
20	10. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
21	truth of the allegations of paragraph 16 of the FAC. Defendants object to the use of the word		
22	"victim" in paragraph 16 of the FAC.		
23	11. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 17 and 18 of the FAC.		
24	12. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
25	truth of the allegations of paragraphs 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24 of the FAC.		
26	13. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 25 and 26 of the FAC.		
27	14. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 27 of the FAC		
28	speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 27 is required. To the extent the allegations		

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1	in paragraph 27 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations			
2	contained therein.			
3	15.	Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 28, 29, 30, and 31 of the FAC.		
4	16.	Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
5	truth of the a	llegations of paragraph 32 of the FAC.		
6	17.	Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41,		
7	42, 43, 45, 4	6, and 47 of the FAC.		
8	18.	Defendant admits the allegations of paragraph 44.		
9	19.	Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
10 11	truth of the a	llegations of paragraphs 48 and 49 of the FAC.		
11	20.	Defendants deny the allegations of paragraph 50 of the FAC.		
12	21.	Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
14	truth of the a	llegations of paragraphs 51, 52, 53, 54, and 55 of the FAC.		
15	22.	Defendants deny the allegations of paragraph 56 of the FAC.		
16	23.	Defendants admit the allegations of paragraphs 57 and 58 of the FAC.		
17	24.	Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
18	truth of the a	llegations of paragraph 59 of the FAC.		
19	25.	Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 60, 61, and 62 of the FAC.		
20	26.	Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
21	truth of the a	llegations of paragraphs 63, 64, and 65 of the FAC.		
22	27.	Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 66, 67, 68, and 69 of the FAC.		
23	28.	Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the		
24	truth of the al	legations of paragraphs 70 and 71 of the FAC.		
25	29.	Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraphs 72 and 73 of the		
26	FAC speaks f	for itself and thus, no response to paragraphs 72 and 73 is required. To the extent		
27 28	the allegation	ns in paragraphs 72 and 73 of the FAC are deemed to require a response,		
20	Defendants d	eny the allegations contained in paragraphs 72 and 73.		

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130.Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the2truth of the allegations of paragraph 74 of the FAC.

31. Defendants assert that the documents referenced in paragraph 75 of the FAC speak for themselves and thus, no response to paragraph 75 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 75 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

32. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 76 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 76 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 76 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

33. Defendants assert that the document referenced in the first sentence of paragraph 77 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to the first sentence of paragraph 77 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in the first sentence of paragraph 77 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein. Defendants deny the allegations of the second sentence of paragraph 77 of the FAC.

34. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 78 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 78 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 78 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

35. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 79 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 79 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 79 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

36. Defendants assert that the documents referenced in paragraph 80 of the FAC speak for themselves and thus, no response to paragraph 80 of the FAC is required. To the

extent the allegations in paragraph 80 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants
 deny the allegations contained therein.

37. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraphs 81 and 82 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraphs 81 or 82 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraphs 81 and 82 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained in paragraphs 81 and 82.

38. Defendants assert that the documents referenced in paragraph 83 of the FAC speak for themselves and thus, no response to paragraph 83 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 83 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

39. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 84 and 85 of the FAC.

40. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 86 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 86 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 86 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

17 41. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 87 of the FAC
18 speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 87 of the FAC is required. To the extent
19 the allegations in paragraph 87 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny
20 the allegations contained therein.

42. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraph 88 of the FAC.

43. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the truth of the allegations of paragraph 89 of the FAC.

44. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraph 90 of the FAC.

45. Defendants assert that the documents referenced in paragraph 91 of the FAC speak for themselves and thus, no response to paragraph 91 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 91 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

46. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 92 of the FAC
 speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 92 of the FAC is required. To the extent
 the allegations in paragraph 92 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny
 the allegations contained therein.

47. Defendants assert that the documents referenced in paragraph 93 of the FAC speak for themselves and thus, no response to paragraph 93 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 93 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

48. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the truth of the allegations of paragraphs 94 and 95 of the FAC.

49. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraph 96 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 96 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 96 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

50. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 97 and 98 of the FAC.

51. Defendants assert that the documents referenced in paragraph 99 of the FAC
speak for themselves and thus, no response to paragraph 99 of the FAC is required. To the
extent the allegations in paragraph 99 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants
deny the allegations contained therein.

52. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 100, 101, and 102 of the FAC.

53. Defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief about the truth of the allegations of paragraph 103 of the FAC.

54. Defendants assert that the court record referenced in paragraph 104 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 104 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 104 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

1 55. Defendants assert that the court record referenced in paragraph 105 of the FAC 2 speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 105 of the FAC is required. To the extent 3 the allegations in paragraph 105 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny 4 the allegations contained therein. 5 56. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 106 and 107 of the FAC. 6 57. Answering paragraph 108 of the FAC, Defendants repeat their answers 7 contained in the preceding paragraphs set forth above as though fully set forth herein. 8 58. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 109, 110, 111, and 112 of the 9 FAC. 10 59. Answering paragraph 113 of the FAC, Defendants repeat their answers 11 contained in the preceding paragraphs set forth above as though fully set forth herein. 12 60. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraph 114 of the FAC. 13 61. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraphs 115 and 116 of 14 the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraphs 115 and 116 of the FAC is 15 required. To the extent the allegations in paragraphs 115 and 116 of the FAC are deemed to 16 require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein. 17 62. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 18 19 and 123 of the FAC. 20 63. Answering paragraph 124 of the FAC, Defendants repeat their answers 21 contained in the preceding paragraphs set forth above as though fully set forth herein. 22 64. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 23 and 131 of the FAC. 24 65. Answering paragraph 132 of the FAC, Defendants repeat their answers 25 contained in the preceding paragraphs set forth above as though fully set forth herein. 26 66. Defendants assert that the statute referenced in paragraph 133 of the FAC 27 speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 133 of the FAC is required. To the extent 28

the allegations in paragraph 133 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny 1 2 the allegations contained therein.

3 67. Defendants assert that the statute referenced in paragraph 134 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 134 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 134 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

68. Defendants assert that the statute referenced in paragraph 135 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraph 135 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraph 135 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

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69. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 136 and 137 of the FAC.

70. Defendants assert that the document referenced in paragraphs 138 and 139 of the FAC speaks for itself and thus, no response to paragraphs 138 and 138 of the FAC is required. To the extent the allegations in paragraphs 138 and 139 of the FAC are deemed to require a response, Defendants deny the allegations contained therein.

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71. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 140 and 141 of the FAC.

72. 18 Answering paragraph 142 of the FAC, Defendants repeat their answers contained in the preceding paragraphs set forth above as though fully set forth herein. 19

20 73. Defendants deny the allegations of paragraphs 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, and 148 of the FAC.

74. Defendants deny any and all allegations set forth in Plaintiffs' prayer for relief on pages 23-24 of the FAC, and Defendants further deny that Plaintiffs are entitled to any damages whatsoever.

75. Defendants deny each and every allegation of the FAC not expressly admitted above.

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1		AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES		
2	1.	Plaintiff fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.		
3	2.	Plaintiff's claims are barred, in whole or in part, because Plaintiff anticipatorily		
4	breached its c	contract with Defendant Medasset Corporation.		
5	3.	Plaintiff's claims are barred, in whole or in part, because Plaintiff prevented		
6	Defendant Me	edasset Corporation from performing under the parties' contract.		
7	4.	Plaintiff's claims are barred, in whole or in part, by the parol evidence rule.		
8	5.	Plaintiff's claims are barred, in whole or in part, by the doctrine of unclean		
9	hands.			
10	6.	Plaintiff's claims are barred, in whole or in part, by the ripeness doctrine.		
11	7.	Any damages which Plaintiff may have suffered, which Defendants continue to		
12	deny, were th	e direct and proximate result of the conduct of Plaintiff. Therefore, Plaintiff is		
13 14	estopped and barred from recovery of any damages.			
14	8.	Plaintiff is not entitled to relief from or against Defendants, as it has not		
15	sustained any	v loss, injury or damage that resulted from any act, omission, or breach by		
17	Defendants.			
18	9.	Plaintiff's damages, if any, were the result of intervening, superseding,		
19	concurrent an	d/or contributing causes. Any alleged action or alleged omission on the part of		
20	Defendants was not the proximate cause of Plaintiff's alleged damages.			
21	10.	Plaintiff has failed to state a claim for the recovery of attorney's fees and costs.		
22	11.	The alleged injuries to Plaintiff, if any, were caused in whole or in part by		
23	Plaintiff's ow	n acts or contributory negligence. Plaintiff's damages, if any, must therefore be		
24	reduced proportionately.			
25	12.	The claims have been brought without reasonable grounds and/or to harass		
26	Defendants.			
27	13.	Any and all acts alleged to have been committed by Defendants were reasonably		
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justified and/or privileged.

14. Defendants acted reasonably and in good faith at all times material to this action,
based upon all relevant facts and circumstances known by them at the time they so acted and,
accordingly, Plaintiff is barred from any recovery in this action.

15. Plaintiff was not injured or damaged in the manner or to the extent claimed by Plaintiff and/or such damages were not proximately caused by any actions or inactions on the part of Defendants.

16. Defendants did not breach any statutory or common law duties allegedly owed to Plaintiff.

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17. Plaintiff's claims are barred or reduced by the doctrine of assumption of the risk.

18. Plaintiff's claims are barred or reduced because of Plaintiff's failure to mitigate
 damages.

19. Plaintiff's claims are barred because Defendants complied with applicable statutes and with the requirements and regulations of the State of Nevada.

20. Plaintiff's causes of action are barred in whole or in part by the applicable
statutes of limitations or repose, or by operation of the equitable doctrines of laches, waiver,
estoppel, and ratification.

21. Plaintiff's claims are barred because Defendants did not owe any legal duty to Plaintiff or, if Defendants did owe such a legal duty, Defendants did not breach that duty.

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Plaintiff's claims are barred, in whole or in part, by accord and satisfaction.

23. To the extent Plaintiff seeks equitable relief, Plaintiff is not entitled to such relief because there is an adequate remedy at law.

24 24. Defendants deny each and every allegation of the FAC that is not specifically
25 admitted herein.

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25. Plaintiff has failed to allege facts which, if proven, would establish that the
alleged conduct, if any such conduct occurred, was the proximate cause of Plaintiff's alleged
damages and/or injuries.

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 26. Plaintiff's breach of contract claims are barred by Plaintiff's own breach of

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27. Plaintiff's breach of contract claims are barred by the statute of frauds.

28. Defendants discharged each and every obligation, if any, which they may have
owed to Plaintiff, and otherwise owes no duty to Plaintiff.

29. If Defendants did not fully perform any contractual obligations, which they specifically deny, the duty of full performance under any contract was excused by virtue of the material breach of any such contract by Plaintiff.

30. Plaintiff's claims against Defendants are barred by the doctrine of substantial compliance.

31. Plaintiff cannot be heard to complain of any breach of any alleged agreement due to the failure of Plaintiff to fully perform under the terms of any alleged agreement and/or by Plaintiff's failure of consideration.

32. Defendants are informed and believe that Plaintiff breached the implied
 covenant of good faith and fair dealing owed to Defendants.

33. Plaintiff's breach of contract claims are barred by mutual mistake.

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34. Plaintiff's breach of contract claims are barred by uni-lateral mistake.

35. Plaintiff's breach of contract claims are barred by a failure to allow time to cure.

20 36. Plaintiff's breach of contract claims are barred by a failure of conditions
21 precedent.

22 37. Plaintiff's causes of action are barred and/or Plaintiff's remedies are limited on
23 grounds that Defendants had innocent intent in the alleged acts in Plaintiff's FAC.

24 38. Plaintiff should not be allowed to recover the relief requested in the FAC
25 because it would be unjustly enriched.

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39. Plaintiff should not be allowed to recover for its alleged claims because it is *in pari delicto*.

1	40. All possible affirmative defenses may not have been alleged herein in so far as
2	sufficient facts are not available after reasonable inquiry upon the filing of this Answer;
3	Defendants, therefore, reserve the right to amend this Answer to allege additional affirmative
4	defenses as subsequent investigation warrants.
5	COUNTERCLAIM AND THIRD-PARTY COMPLAINT
6	Defendant Medasset Corporation ("Defendant or Medasset") counterclaim against
7	Plaintiff and Counter-Defendant Medappeal, LLC ("Medappeal") and Third-Party Defendant
8	Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC ("Liberty") as follows:
9	PARTIES AND JURISDICTION
10	1. Medasset Corporation is a Nevada corporation operating and conducting
11	business in Clark County, Nevada.
12 13	2. Medappeal, LLC is, and at all relevant times was, upon information and belief,
13	an Illinois Limited Liability Company.
15	3. Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC is, and at all relevant times
16	was, upon information and belief, an Illinois Limited Liability Company.
17	4. This Court has jurisdiction pursuant to Nev. Rev. Stat. 13.040.
18	5. This Court has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Nev. Const. art. VI, § 6,
19	as this Court has original jurisdiction in all cases not assigned to the justices' courts.
20	6. This Court has subject matter jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to NRS §
21	4.370(1), as the matter in controversy exceeds \$15,000, exclusive of attorney fees, interest, and
22	costs.
23	GENERAL FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS
24	7. On May 3, 2018, Medappeal's putative predecessor, Liberty, entered into a
25	contract with Medasset Corporation to buy Medical Appeals billing business opportunity for
26	\$125,000 (herein referred to as the "Agreement").
27	8. The Agreement states that venue is in the State of Nevada and County of Clark.
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9. 1 The Agreement also provides that it will be governed by the laws of Nevada 2 and County of Clark.

3 10. Liberty made a \$75,000 down payment at the time of signing the agreement and 4 tendered a promissory note for the payment of the \$50,000 balance of the purchase price upon 5 completion of the Agreement.

6 11. The Agreement states that Medasset Corporation would provide sixty medical appeal practices and thirty medical offices for credentialing services "over the course of nine months from the date of signing this Agreement."

12. Nine months from the contract-execution date of May 3, 2018 is February 3, 10 2019. 11

13. Liberty was provided with a clearing house which they would typically have been charged for to process its claims, but were not because of Medasset Corporation's efforts on their behalf.

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14. Liberty was also provided with all required software and updates for free.

15. Liberty and its representatives and/or employees were extensively trained and 16 instructed in the use of the software and billing practices for Medical Appeals billing by 17 Medasset Corporation. 18

19 16. On June 12, 2018, Seth D. Johnson, Esq., the Chief Operating Officer of Liberty, acknowledged receiving medical practices and stated that "[t]he client also started 20 21 today to send over claims to work on."

22 From May through September 2018, Medasset Corporation provided Liberty 17. 23 and Medappeal with 26 out of 60 required medical practices due and owing to them under the 24 Agreement.

In July and August of 2018, the Medical Appeals market had slowed down. 18. When it looked like the Medical Appeal could possibly run behind, Medasset Corporation prudently offered to include Medical Billing work, in addition to Medical Appeals practices, that Medasset Corporation had a great and steady track record with. Medappeal initially agreed

to have Medasset Corporation supplementing the Medical Appeals practices with Medical Billing work. Subsequently, Medappeal refused Medical Billing work despite Medasset Corporations offer to it of that work.

19. However, when presented with Medical Billing work, Medappeal refused to take the same.

20. At or about the end of August, Mr. Weinstein unbeknownst to him, developed severe case of adult whooping cough. This was misdiagnosed for a few weeks and eventually he ended up in the emergency room ICU. Due to the severe coughing, Mr. Weinstein later developed severe sciatic nerve damage that immobilized him and which fentanyl and oxycontin were prescribed for the pain.

21. From the end of August through September, Mr. Weinstein was unable to speak and relied strictly on email to communicate, however his ability to communicate at all was compromised at the time during his medical circumstances because of the medication he had been prescribed and because of the nature of the illness. This severely impacted Mr. Weinstein and thus Medappeal's ability to work with Medasset or to conduct any business whatsoever.

22. From late August through the end of September, Mr. Weinstein was in the hospital no fewer than 3 times (whooping cough and twice for sciatic nerve damage resulting from sever coughing episodes).

23. On September 13, 2018, Mr. Weinstein informed Seth Johnson of his health issues, trips to the emergency room, and possible need for admittance to address his illness.

24. On or about September 18, 2018, Medappeal threatened Medasset and Mr. Weinstein with legal action if the terms of the Agreement were not fulfilled.

25. Medappeal anticipatorily repudiated and breached the parties' Agreement shortly thereafter when it filed a lawsuit against Mr. Weinstein and Medappeal, and well in advance of the contracts term.

In November 2018—three months before the contract deadline—Medappeal
 commenced its lawsuit in Illinois state court, against Mr. Weinstein and Medasset Corporation
 and others.

27. At that time, Medappeal and Liberty knew that Medasset was exceedingly close to meeting its contractual obligations with 26 of the 60 required medical practices due and owing by Medasset having been provided.

28. Had Medasset not anticipatorily repudiated the parties' Agreement, Medappeal would have not only completed, but exceeded, its obligations under the Agreement within the next three months remaining before the contract term.

29. Medappeal failed in their efforts to sue Defendants in Illinois and the matter was renewed against them in Nevada.

30. In addition to setting forth the terms of the Agreement, the language of the
underlying contract provides that the Agreement is fully integrated. Page 3 states that "[t]he
Agreement including all exhibits, constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with
respect to the subject matter hereof, and merges and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous
agreements, understandings, negotiations, and discussions."

31. The Agreement continues, "[n]either of the Parties will be bound by any
conditions, definitions, warranties, understandings, or representations with respect to the
subject matter hereof other than as expressly provided herein. No oral explanations or oral
information by either party hereto will alter the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement."

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The sole remedy for a breach of the contract was a refund not to exceed \$45,000.

33. In the event of Default of the Agreement or the Promissory Note, Liberty was required to "immediately return all contracts, assets and systems and intellectual property provided to them by Medasset Corporation. This provision is equally applicable to Medappeal as successor in interest to Liberty.

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1		ALTER EGO ALLEGATIONS
2	34.	Medasset Corporation is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that
3	Liberty form	ed and assigned or transferred the parties' contract to Medappeal for the express
4	purpose of av	voiding liability for any breach of the parties' Agreement.
5	35.	There is a unity of interest and ownership which makes Liberty inseparable
6	from Medap	peal.
7	36.	In its First Amended Complaint, Medappeal contends that it "is the 'company
8	to be formed	later' and is the successor in interest and/or assignee of Liberty Consulting &
9		Services, LLC."
10	37.	The Agreement was entered into by and between Liberty and Medasset
11	Corporation	on May 3, 2018.
12 13	38.	Medappeal was formed in Illinois on May 11, 2018.
13	39.	Seth D. Johnson is identified on the Illinois Secretary of State as the Registered
15	Agent for bot	th Liberty and Medappeal.
16	40.	On the Illinois Secretary of state, Liberty and Medappeal have the exact same
17	address of 10	00 Skokie Blvd., Suite. 225, Wilmette, IL 600910000.
18	41.	The Illinois Secretary of State, does not list or identify the members and owners
19	of either Libe	erty or Medappeal.
20	42.	In paragraphs 56 and 57 of the First Amended Complaint, Medappeal admits
21	that Liberty is	s its parent company.
22	43.	Upon information and belief, Liberty is, and always was, the sole owner and
23	member of M	
24	44.	Upon information and belief, Liberty and Medappeal, share the same
25	management	and corporate structure and the officers and representatives of each share the same
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27	45.	Seth Johnson and Eli Johnson are listed as the managers of Liberty on the
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1 46. Seth Johnson and Eli Johnson are listed as the managers of Medappeal on the 2 Illinois Secretary of State. 3 47. Communications both pre-contract and post-contract formation were between 4 Medasset Corporation's representatives and Liberty's representatives. 5 48. On May 3, 2018, Liberty wired its initial payment under the Agreement to 6 Medasset Corporation. 7 49. The vast majority of Medappeal's factual allegations in its Amended Complaint 8 concern business dealings between Liberty and Medasset Corporation. 9 The vast majority of Medappeal's interrogatories and requests for production 50. 10 of documents in this matter are directed at the business dealings between Medasset Corporation 11 and Liberty. 12 51. Medasset Corporation is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that 13 allowing Liberty and Medappeal to maintain a distinction between themselves and their 14 business entities would sanction a fraud or promote injustice and result in an abuse of the 15 corporate form. 16 FIRST CLAIM FOR RELIEF 17 (Breach of Contract by Medappeal and Liberty) 18 52. Medasset Corporation incorporates every preceding paragraph as though fully 19 set forth herein. 20 On May 3, 2018, Medasset Corporation entered into a contract and associated 53. 21 Promissory Note with Medappeal's putative predecessor, Liberty. 22 54. Pursuant to the Agreement Medasset Corporation provided Liberty and 23 Medappeal with 26 out of 60 required medical practices for Medical Appeals work and 24 attempted to provide them with Medical Billing work. 25 55. Contrary to the terms of the Agreement, Liberty and Medappeal breached the 26 Agreement and Promissory Note by (1) refusing to take additional assigned work from 27 Medasset, (2) anticipatory repudiating the Agreement 3 months prior to the term of the 28

Agreement ending, (3) failing to pay Medasset Corporation \$50,000 remaining due and owing
 under the Agreement, and (4) failing and/or refusing to return all contracts, assets and systems,
 and intellectual property provided to them by Medasset Corporation.

56. By their own intentional actions and breach, Liberty and Medappeal frustrated and stopped Medasset Corporation's efforts to fulfill its obligations under the Agreement.

57. Liberty and Medappeal owe an outstanding balance in excess of \$50,000 plus
attorney fees, costs, and interests.

58. As a result of Liberty and Medappeal's wrongful conduct, Medasset Corporation has suffered damages in an amount in excess of \$15,000.

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59. Medasset Corporation has been required to engage the services of an attorney to commence this action and is entitled, pursuant to the Agreement and associated Promissory Note, to recover its attorney fees and costs. Liberty and Medappeal's failure to perform in accordance with the express terms and obligations of the Agreement and Promissory Note have caused Medasset Corporation proximate and foreseeable special damages hereby specifically plead as special damages in accordance with NRCP 9(g).

SECOND CLAIM FOR RELIEF

(Breach of the Implied Covenant of Good Faith and Fair Dealing against Medappeal and Liberty)

60. Medasset Corporation incorporates every preceding paragraph as though fully set forth herein.

61. The covenant of good faith and fair dealing is implied in the Agreement and the associated Promissory Note entered into between Medappeal's putative predecessor Liberty and Medasset Corporation, and the covenant obligated Liberty and Medappeal to comply with the terms of the Agreement and Promissory Note and to not frustrate those terms and conditions by (1) refusing to take additional assignments, (2) anticipatory repudiating the Agreement 3 months prior to the term of the Agreement ending, (3) by failing to pay Medasset Corporation \$50,000 remaining due and owing under the Agreement, and (4) failing and/or refusing to

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return all contracts, assets and systems, and intellectual property provided to them by Medasset
 Corporation.

62. Liberty and Medappeal have unequivocally shown, by their actions and communications that they do not intend to perform their obligations under the Agreement and associated Promissory Note.

63. Such failure and refusal constitute a breach of the Agreement and associated Promissory Note, including the implied covenant of good faith and fair dealing.

64. As a result of Liberty and Medappeal's wrongful conduct, Medasset Corporation has suffered damages in an amount in excess of \$15,000.

65. Medasset Corporation has been required to engage the services of an attorney to commence this action and is entitled, pursuant to the Agreement and associated Promissory Note, to recover its attorney fees and costs. Liberty and Medappeal's failure to perform in accordance with the express terms and obligations of the Agreement and associated Promissory Note have caused Medasset Corporation proximate and foreseeable special damages hereby specifically plead as special damages in accordance with NRCP 9(g).

<u>THIRD CLAIM FOR RELIEF</u> (Attorney Fees and Costs as Special Damages)

66. Medasset Corporation incorporates every preceding paragraph as though fully set forth herein.

67. As a direct and proximate result of Medappeal and Liberty's actions, Medasset Corporation has been required to engage the services of an attorney to commence this action and are entitled, pursuant to the Agreement and Promissory Note, to recover its attorney fees and costs. Medappeal and Liberty's failure to perform in accordance with the express terms and obligations of the Agreement and Promissory Note have caused Medasset Corporation proximate and foreseeable special damages hereby specifically plead as special damages in accordance with NRCP 9(g).

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1	WHEREFORE, Defendant/Third-Party Plaintiff and Counterclaimant Medasset prays
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3	1. That Medappeal be awarded nothing for each and every one of its claims;
4	2. For judgment in its favor as to all of Medappeal's claims;
5	3. For general damages in excess of \$15,000;
6	4. For special damages to be determined by the Court at trial;
7	5. For costs incurred in this action;
8	6. For attorney fees incurred in this action; and,
9	7. For such other and further relief as the Court deems proper.
10	Dated this 8 th day of October 2020.
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13	By: <u>/s/ Hector J. Carbajal II</u> HECTOR J. CARBAJAL II, ESQ.
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17	and Third-Party Plaintiffs David Weinstein and Medasset Corporation
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1	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
2	I HEREBY CERTIFY that pursuant to NRCP 5(b) and EDCR 8.05 on October 8, 2020,
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4	I caused service of the foregoing First Amended Answer, Affirmative Defenses, Counterclaim,
5	and Third-Party Complaint to be made by depositing a true and correct copy of same in the
6	United States Mail, postage fully prepaid, and/or via electronic mail through the Eighth Judicial
7	District Court's E-Filing system to all parties and counsel set up to receive e-service.
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9	<u>/s/ Brittany Friedman</u> Employee of Carbajal Law
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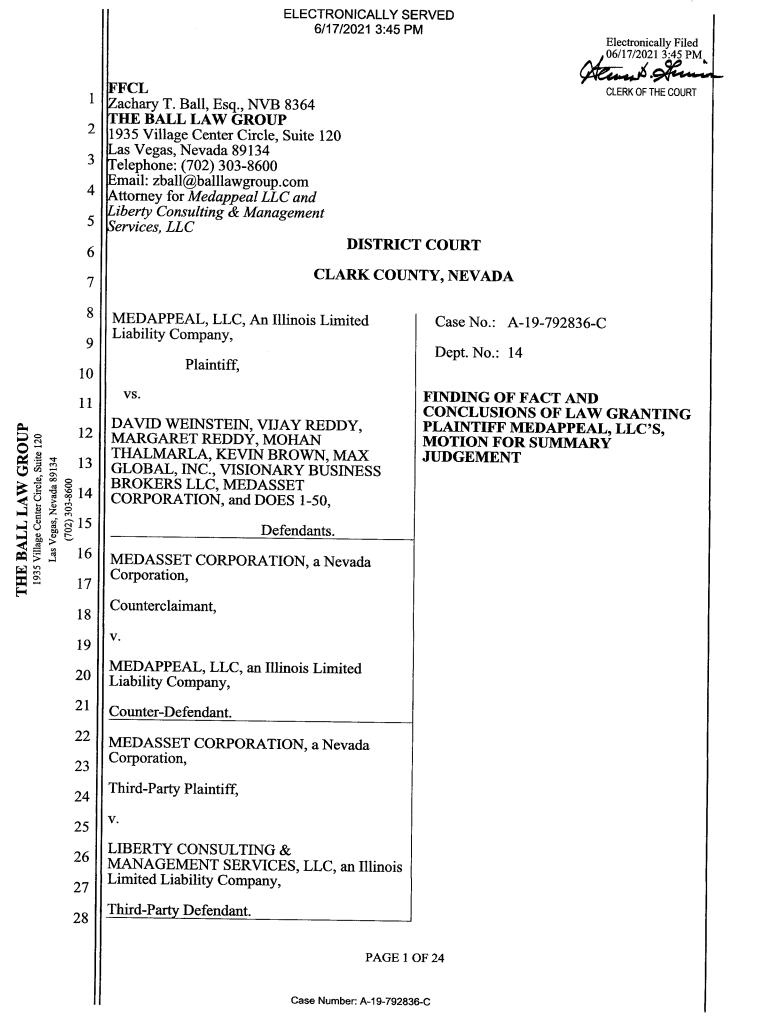
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	12	DATED this 18 th day of June, 2021.	
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1		E OF SERVICE			
2	I hereby certify that the foregoing NOT	ICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER REGARDING			
3	FINDING OF FACT AND CONCLUSI	ONS OF LAW GRANTING PLAINTIFF			
4	MEDAPPEAL, LLC'S, MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGEMENT was electronically				
5	filed with the Eighth Judicial District Court on	the 18 th day of June, 2021. Electronic service of			
6	the foregoing document shall be sent by the Court via email to the addresses furnished by the				
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FINDING OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW GRANTING PLAINTIFF **MEDAPPEAL, LLC'S, MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGEMENT**

This matter came before the Court on April 29, 2021 on Plaintiff/Counterdefendant Medappeal, LLC ("Medappeal") Motion for Summary Judgment as to all claims against and by Defendant/Counterclaimant/Third-Party Plaintiff Medasset Corporation ("Medasset") and individual defendants David Weinstein ("Weinstein"), Vijay Reddy ("V. Reddy"), Margaret Reddy ("Margaret"), Mohan Thalmarla ("Thalmarla"), Kevin Brown ("Brown"), and corporate entities Max Global, Inc.("Global"), and Visionary Business Brokers LLC ("Visionary") (collectively "Defendants") (the "Motions for Summary Judgment"). The Motion for Summary Judgment having been reviewed, the Court hereby enters the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.¹

I. **FINDINGS OF FACT**

Defendants defrauded \$75,000.00 from Medappeal in an online scheme posing as business 1. brokers, sellers and trainers, wherein Defendants sold worthless business opportunities to at least a dozen other victims before they identified Medappeal as their next victim.

The scheme commenced in 2018, when Defendant Brown, through Visionary, posted a 2. listing on the website BizQuest.com offering for sale an opportunity to purchase a Medical Billing Appeal and Credentialing business (the "Accounts").

Medappeal responded to the advertisement, and Brown, acting as a "business broker" 21 3. 22 arranged phone conferences between Medappeal and Defendants Weinstein and Medasset. 23 4. After a series of calls with Brown, Weinstein, and V. Reddy, Medappeal purchased 24

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Defendants' "business opportunity."

 Defendants instructed Medappeal to form a new corporation, with a name similar to Medasset, as Defendants were to provide Medappeal with transferable client agreements, and transferring these contracts to a company with a similar name would avoid confusion.
 However, before Medappeal could form a new corporation, Weinstein insisted Medappeal sign the Purchase Agreement immediately, as Weinstein claimed he had client accounts ready to transfer.

7. As Medappeal made clear in an email to Defendants, Medappeal was hesitant to sign Defendants' Purchase Agreement prior to forming a new corporation. Medappeal's principal sent an email to Defendants asking if it was better to wait and sign the Agreement after the new corporate entity was formed, or if Medappeal's principal should sign the contract as "Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC (on behalf of a company to be formed later)." Medappeal's principal clearly expressed reservations about signing the contract this way, telling Defendants, "I'd prefer to wait and register the new company as the real name David (Weinstein) will use, rather than register a company and then do a DBA."

In response to Medappeal's concern, Brown emailed Medappeal stating, "I just checked with David (Weinstein) and he said yes, that is exactly how to sign it." In deposition testimony, Brown reiterated that Weinstein told him to have Medappeal sign the Purchase Agreement knowing full well that the contract would immediately be assigned to a newly formed entity. Brown unambiguously stated that Weinstein knew and approved of the Purchase Agreement being signed "on behalf of a company to be formed later."

9. According to the terms of Defendants' Executive Summary with Medappeal, Defendants agreed to provide Medappeal with "all the tools, training, support and clients necessary for

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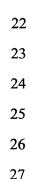
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positive cash flow" to run a Medical Billing/Appeals business.

- 10. The Purchase Agreement contained Defendants' promise to provide Medappeal with client accounts via transferable contracts. Under the terms of the Agreement, Defendants promised to provide Medappeal with sixty (60) client contracts for billing/appeals work and thirty (30) client contracts for medical insurance credentialing work.
- As payment for this "business opportunity", Medappeal wired Defendants \$75,000.00 and 11. signed a promissory note for \$50,000.00. According to the Purchase Agreement, the promissory note would be due only after "60 medical appeals clinics have been assigned and 30 medical credentialing applications have been requested." Emphasis added.

The crux of the "business opportunity" sold to Medappeal was Defendants' promise to 12. provide a specific number of transferable client contracts. The business listing which, according to Brown was written by Weinstein, states that Defendants were selling "over 30 separate offices for Medical Credentialing" and "[0]ver 60 separate offices for Medical Appeals." The Executive Summary (also authored by Weinstein, according to Brown's testimony), states that "this business opportunity for sale is a book of business contracts with Health Care Providers."

19 13. When Brown was asked if "what was being sold and described by yourself (Brown) and 20 Weinstein was assignable contracts with clients and medical offices," Brown 21 unequivocally testified, "Yes." Brown also testified that the sale of specific numbers of 22 client contracts is consistent with the numerous prior deals he brokered on behalf of 23 Weinstein and V. Reddy. 24

Medappeal signed the Purchase Agreement with Defendants on May 3, 2018. 14. 25

26 From the period of May 2018 to mid-September 2018, Defendants provided Medappeal 15. 27 with a total of three (3) contracts for billing/appeals, zero (0) contracts for medical

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1		insurance credentialing, and one (1) contract for billing, which did not conform to
2		Defendants' "business model."
3	16.	Regarding the non-conforming contract, V. Reddy explicitly told Medappeal, "[i]f this
4		client doesn't work, it will simply be replaced at no penalty to you guys."
5	17.	Besides the above-mentioned four contracts, no other client accounts were provided nor
6		even offered to Medappeal. The four contracts were inclusive of both medical appeals and
7		medical billing accounts, as Medappeal explicitly told Weinstein, "We are ok with doing
8		straight billing or a combination if that is an option."
9	10	This situation was not unique to Medappeal; V. Reddy and Weinstein also failed to fulfill
10 11	18.	medical billing agreements with <i>at least seven</i> other victims (Dr. Craig Ramsdell, Dr.
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6 12 O		Kalpana Dugar, Mr. Jason Pullar, Mr. Anthony Campagna, Blue Sky Med-Office, Mr.
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BALL LAW GR Village Center Circle, Suit Las Vegas, Nevada 89134 1702) 303-8600 702) 303-8600	19.	Of the three accounts received by Medappeal, only one generated any revenue totaling
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HHI 17	20.	Medappeal's principals tried multiple times to reach Defendants Weinstein, Reddy, and
18		Brown to discuss their lack of performance, lack of communication, and what was turning
19		out to be a totally misrepresented and nonviable "business opportunity."
20	21.	Brown never returned a single phone call nor responded to Medappeal's emails after he
21		received his money. Id. Similarly, Weinstein never returned Medappeal's many phone calls
22		and was largely unresponsive to Medappeal's emails.
23	11 22	When Medappeal asked V. Reddy about the status of the Purchase Agreement and
24		Weinstein's lack of communication, V. Reddy provided excuses ranging from a slow-down
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26 27		in the billing industry, summer holidays, and Weinstein being unavailable due to travel.
27	12 5.	On September 18, 2018, Medappeal sent an email to Brown and Weinstein highlighting
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1		their failure to perform, and providing them with an opportunity to either: (1) refund
2		Medappeal's money, or (2) provide assurances as to their willingness and ability to perform
3		as promised.
4	24.	Brown testified as to: (1) receiving Medappeal's email, (2) not responding to Medappeal,
5		and (3) discussing Medappeal's email and concerns with Weinstein. In his own words,
6 7		Brown stated, "Well, I did not respond to the Johnsons (Medappeal's principals). I
8		contacted Weinstein and advised him to, you know, resolve it, take care of it. Whatever
9		was going on I didn't know, but reach out to them and make them whole."
10	25.	Brown testified that his conversation with Weinstein took place over the phone, and that
11		during their discussion, Weinstein told him, "I will take care of it." Brown does not dispute
12 ₁₂		Medappeal's allegations that Weinstein never responded to the email nor contacted
le, Suite 189134 00		Medappeal in any manner.
1935 Village Center Circle, Suite 120 Las Vegas, Nevada 89134 102 102 303-8600 11 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	26.	The Defendants do not present any information regarding their business dealings as the
Village C as Vega (702		Defendants claim to have destroyed their business records or claim they cannot recall any
1 561 17		relevant factual details pertaining to their business activities.
18	27.	V. Reddy testified that he purged all his business records, including all emails.
19	28.	Brown similarly testified to having destroyed all of his business records. Brown testified
20		that his policy was "after 90 days, I get rid of all my records. I destroy them." When asked
21		again about document retention, Brown elaborated that every month he goes through
22		business records in his possession and destroys any record more than three months old.
23	1 20	Weinstein also testified to having destroyed any relevant business records and cannot recall
24 25	• []	the facts surrounding any of his business transactions. In response to Medappeal's
26		Interrogatories requesting Defendants Weinstein and Medasset identify the persons or
27		entities they sold medical billing, appeals, credentialing, and answering services to,
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W GRC Sircle, Suite ada 89134 8600 17	34.	Weinstein and V. Reddy have been sued multiple times in other jurisdictions for the same
11 11 13 11 13 13 13 13 14 13 133 11 135 11 135 11 135 11 135 11 136 14 137 133 14 133 15 133 16 12 17 18 18 19 20 203 20 21 21 23 23 24	35.36.37.38.	 or substantially similar scam they perpetrated against Medappeal. V. Reddy was a ready and willing conspirator with Weinstein. To induce the sale, Defendants Weinstein and Brown provided Defendant Vijay Reddy as a reference. V. Reddy was not a disinterested third-party reference, as represented by Weinstein, Brown, and V. Reddy to Medappeal. Weinstein and Brown in fact had a business relationship with V. Reddy that went back to at least 2009. V. Reddy was introducing Weinstein as a business associate as early as February of 2009. V. Reddy held himself out as merely Weinstein's customer (a successful one) and not a business partner.
25 26	39.	V. Reddy also did not mention the past and pending lawsuits against himself relating to the same or similar business operations, nor did he mention all of the complaints he personally
27		received from his involvement in these transactions.
28	40.	Additionally, V. Reddy did not disclose the numerous failed similar business attempts (by
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	1		himself, Brown, and Weinstein), lawsuits, and the criminal background of Weinstein, which
	2		he knew of at the time of his conversation with Medappeal.
	3	41.	Defendants had concurrent and conflicting obligations to provide client accounts to other
	4		individuals at the time Defendants were to provide Medappeal with the various accounts
	5		pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.
	6	42.	Defendants did not disclose this conflict of interest, nor did they disclose their inability to
	7		fulfill these prior agreements.
	8 9	43.	Additionally, Defendant V. Reddy's bankruptcy proceeding revealed that proceeds from
	10		Defendants' scam operation were laundered through Defendants Margaret Reddy, Max
	11		Global, and Mohan Thalmarla.
UP	12	44.	The Bankruptcy Trustee for V. Reddy's bankruptcy specifically described the transactions
GRO 5, Suite 1 19134	13		wherein money was laundered through Defendants Margaret Reddy, Max Global, and
BALL LAW GROUP Village Center Circle, Suite 120 Las Vegas, Nevada 89134	0098-505 (70/)		Mohan Thalmarla as "fraudulent transfers."
ALL] age Cen Vegas,	1	45.	Additionally, there are Federal Criminal Complaints detailing additional fraudulent activity
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LI.	18		Agent James Webb and approved by Assistant U.S. Attorneys Daniel A. Friedman and
	19		Diana V. Carrig.
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	21		III. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
	22		A. MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT STANDARD
	23	1.	Summary judgment is proper when there is no genuine issue of material fact and the
	24		movant is entitled to judgment as a matter of law. NRCP 56(c); see also Wood v.
	25		Safeway, Inc., 121 Nev. 724, 730, 121 P.3d 1026, 1030 (2005). After the movant has
	26		carried its burden to identify issues where there is no genuine issue of material fact, the
	27		non-moving party must "set forth specific facts demonstrating the existence of a genuine
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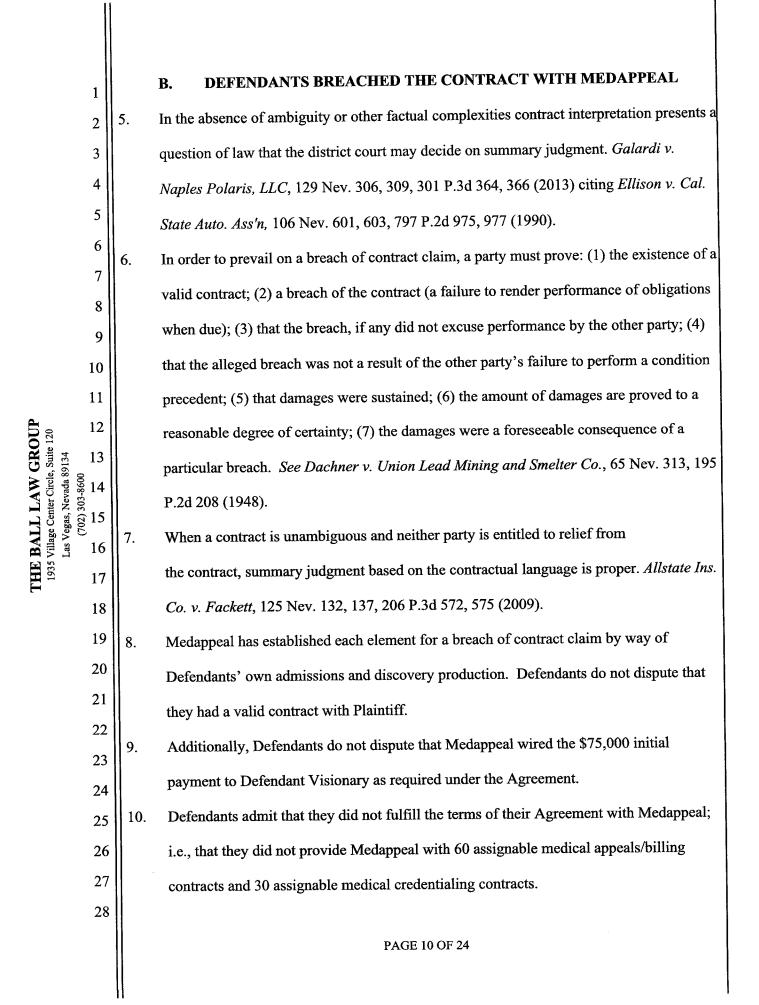
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issue for trial or have summary judgment entered against him." Wood, 121 Nev. at 732. Summary judgment is particularly appropriate where issues of law are controlling and dispositive of the case. American Fence, Inc. v. Wham, 95 Nev. 788, 792, 603 P.2d 274,277 (1979).

The parties must prove their claims and affirmative defenses by a preponderance of the evidence. See Nev. J.I. 2EV.1. Under Nevada law, "[t]he term 'preponderance of the evidence' means such evidence as, when weighed with that opposed to it, has more convincing force, and from which it appears that the greater probability of truth lies therein." Nev. J.I. 2EV.1; Corbin v. State, 111 Nev. 378, 892 P.2d 580 (1995) (regarding entrapment, "[p]reponderance of the evidence means such evidence as, when weighed with that opposed to it, has more convincing force and the greater probability of truth."). When ruling on a motion for summary judgment, the court may take judicial notice of the public records attached to the motion. See, e.g., Anderson v. County of Nassau, 297 F. Supp. 2d 540, 544-45 (E.D.N.Y. 2004); In re Bayside Prison Litig., 190 F. Supp. 2d 755, 760 (D. N.J. 2002). The recorded documents attached to Chase's Motion are referenced in the Complaint and/or are public records of which the Court may, and did, take judicial notice. See NRS 47.150; Lemel v. Smith, 64 Nev. 545, 566 (1947) ("Judicial notice takes the place of proof and is of equal force.") (citation omitted). "Documents accompanied by a certificate of acknowledgment of a notary public or officer authorized by law to take acknowledgments are presumed to be authentic." NRS 52.165.

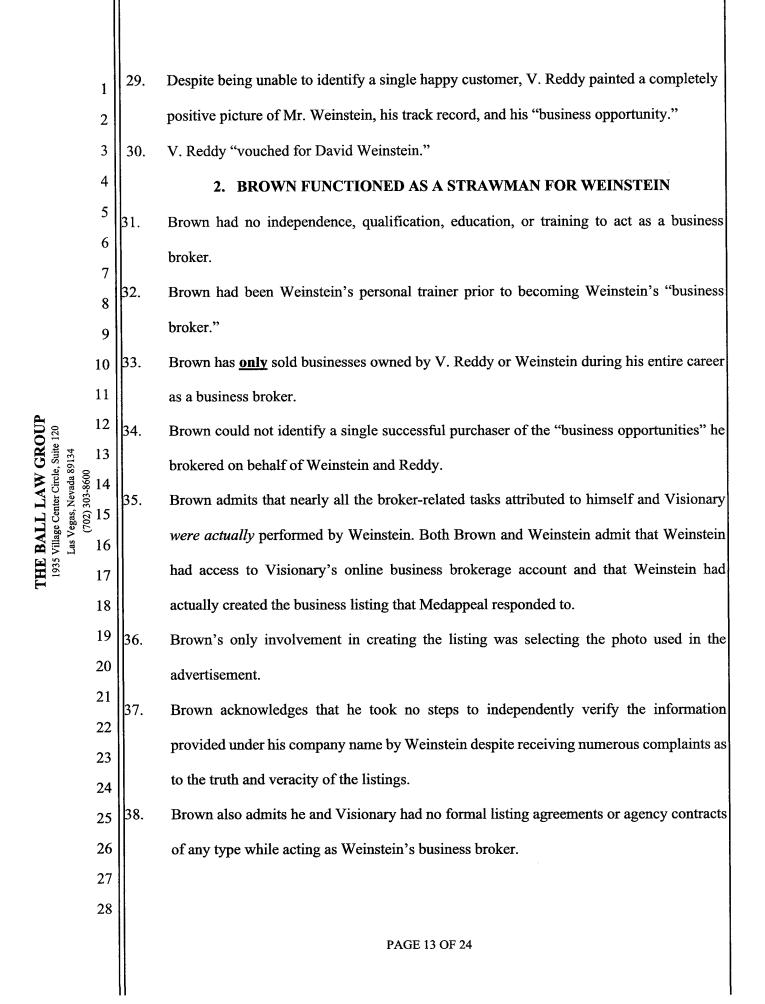
Nevada law draws no distinction between circumstantial and direct evidence. Deveroux v. 4. State, 96 Nev. 388, 391 (1980); Nev. J.I. 2EV.3 ("The law makes no distinction between the weight to be given either direct or circumstantial evidence. Therefore, all of the evidence in the case, including circumstantial evidence, should be considered...").

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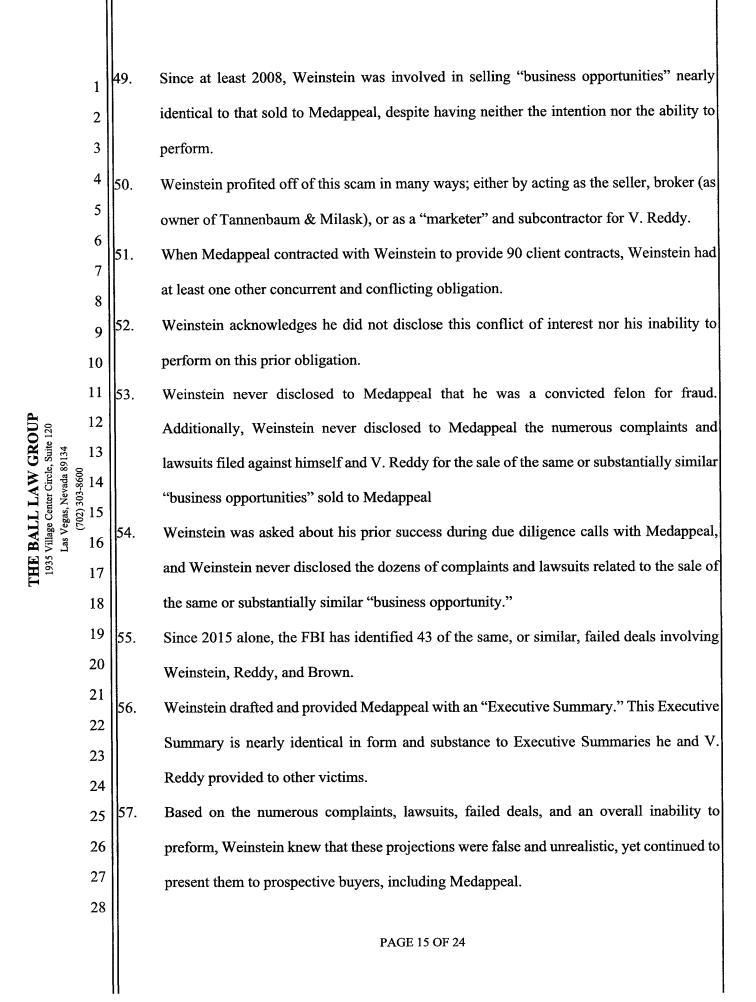


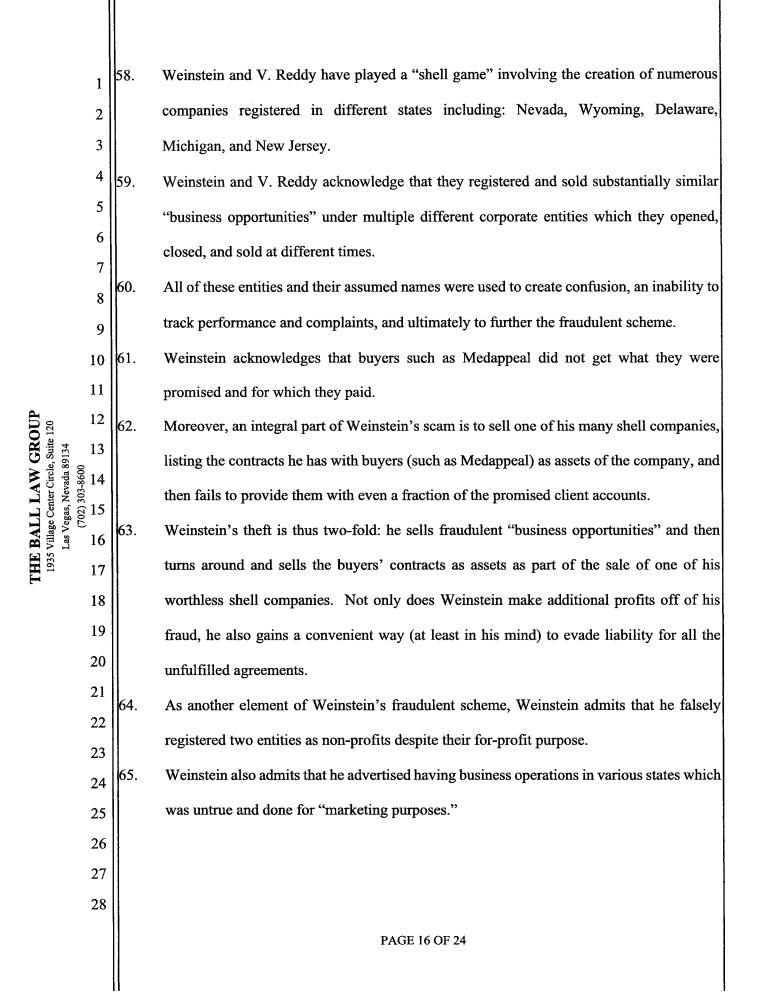
 Defendants acknowledge that Medappeal contacted V. Reddy, Weinstein, and B multiple times to try and discuss their significant lack of performance, and were 	e ignored m to
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3 or avoided each time.	
4 12. As a result of Defendants' failure to perform, Medappeal suffered financial harm	nning a
5 include loss of the initial payment, and the costs associated with starting and rur	
6 business. Medappeal also lost considerable sums of money in pursuing legal ac	tion
 against Defendants for their failure to perform. These damages were a natural a 	and
foreseeable consequence of Defendants' breach.	
10 C. DEFENDANTS COMMITED FRAUD UPON MEDAPPEAL	
11 13. Intentional misrepresentation is established by three factors: (1) a false representation	ntation that
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is made with either knowledge or belief that it is false or without a sufficient for (2) an intent to induce another's reliance, and (3) damages that result from this reliance. Nelson v. Heer, 123 Nev. 217, 225, 163 P.3d 420, 426 (2007).	
TY $\frac{5}{8}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $\frac{15}{15}$ 14. A plaintiff must establish fraud by clear and convincing evidence. Unruh v. Uda	<i>all</i> , 269 F.
$\begin{array}{c c} H > 3 & 10 \\ H > 6 & 17 \end{array}$ Supp. 97, 99 (D. Nev. 1967). An essential factual issue in intentional misrepres	sentation is
18 whether the action of the Defendant was with the intent to induce another's relia	ance. JS
19 Prod., Inc. v. Practical Goods Grp., Inc., 2010 WL 3885320, at *2 (D. Nev. 20	010).
$20 \mid 15$. A measure of fraud damages allows the defrauded party to recover what he has	lost out of
21 pocket that is the difference between what he gave and what he actually receive	ed. Collins
22 v. Burns, 103 Nev. 394, 398–99, 741 P.2d 819, 822 (1987).	
 23 24 16. Medappeal has proven Defendants fraudulent actions in abundance. 	
25 17. As a result of their Defendants' false representations, Medappeal purchased De	efendants'
26 fraudulent "business opportunity" for \$125,000.00.	
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1	18.	Consequently, Medappeal lost significant sums of money, including the initial payment
2		of \$75,000. Medappeal's allegations of fraud are supported by clear and convincing
3		evidence, as the evidence consists of Defendants' own testimony taken from their sworn
4		depositions.
5		1. V.REDDY MISREPRESENTED WEINSTEIN TO CREATE TRUST IN
6		FURTHERANCE OF THE SCHEME
7 8	19.	It is not disputed that Defendants Weinstein and Brown presented V. Reddy as a business
9		reference for Medasset to Medappeal.
10	20.	At no time did Defendants Weinstein, V. Reddy, and Brown disclose their longstanding
11		personal and professional relationship with one another to Medappeal.
GROUP 5 Suite 120 9134 13	21.	Defendants also admit that they never told Medappeal about the near-universal failure of
7 GR(le, Suite 89134 0		their business model and the resulting complaints and multiple lawsuits.
HE BALL LAW GROU 1935 Village Center Circle, Suite 120 Las Vegas, Nevada 89134 (702) 303-8600 51 71 71 71 71 71 71 71	22.	Defendants only spoke of years of success with the "business opportunity."
Village Cen Las Vegas, 10 12 12 12	23.	V. Reddy admitted to his fraudulent conduct during his June 26, 2020 deposition.
IHE BA 1935 Villa 1935 Villa 12 12 12	24.	V. Reddy admits that he acted as a business reference and "vouched for David
- 18		Weinstein" to Medappeal.
19	25.	V. Reddy admits he did not disclose to Medappeal his longstanding business relationship
20		with Defendant Brown and Defendant Weinstein, in which all parties had profited off of
21		the sale of the same or similar "business opportunity" now being offered to Medappeal.
22	26.	V. Reddy also admits he did not inform Plaintiff of Weinstein's status as a convicted
23 24		felon for fraud, despite knowing this at that time to be true.
24	27.	V. Reddy did not disclose to Medappeal the numerous failed business deals he and
26		Weinstein sold (and profited off) together.
27	28.	V. Reddy could not identify a single satisfied customer of his or Mr. Weinstein.
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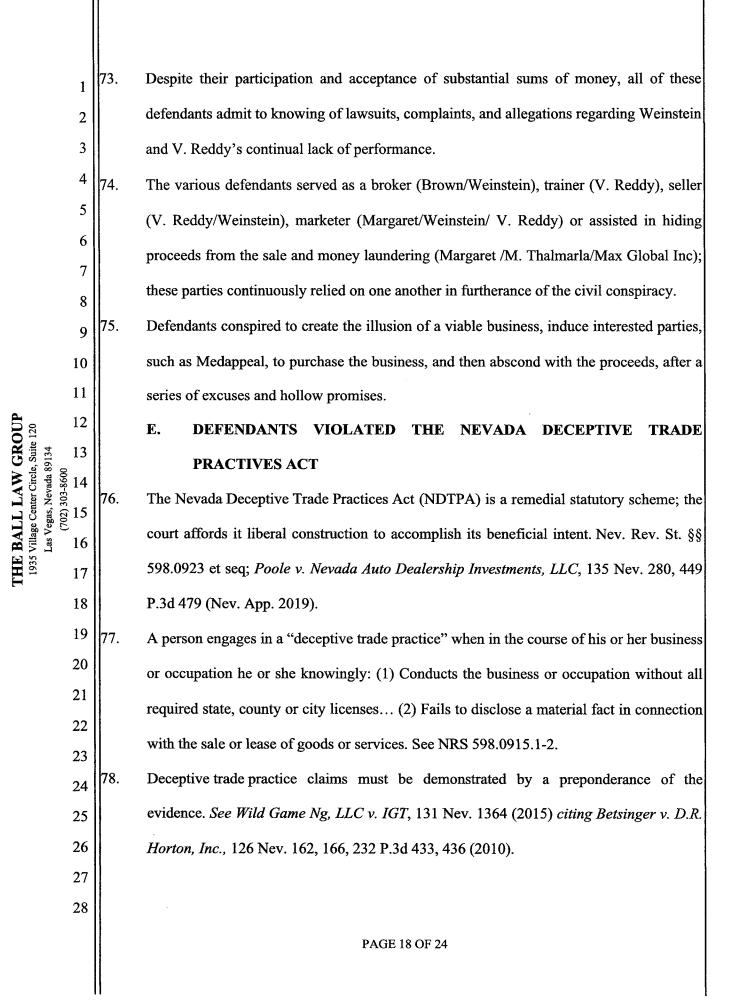
1	39.	Brown testified that the "Executive Summaries" presented to Plaintiff (and other victims)
2		under his or Visionary name were actually drafted by Weinstein.
3	40.	Brown had no idea as to the accuracy of the statements and financial representations made
4		in the Executive Summaries.
5	41.	Brown did not even know if "Medasset Management Corporation," the corporate name on
6		the "Executive Summary" he provided to Medappeal, was the same company as "Medasset
7		Corporation."
8 9	42.	Brown was Weinstein's strawman; Brown had no idea what he was selling and zero regard
10		as to the accuracy of the representations he made to Medappeal.
11	43.	Brown was well aware of the numerous complaints regarding the deals he made on behalf
dDO • 12		of Weinstein and V. Reddy prior to "brokering" the current scheme to Medappeal.
AW GROUP er Circle, Suite 120 Vevada 89134 03-8600 71 71 71 71 71 71 71 71 71 71 71 71 71	44.	Brown acknowledges he received numerous email complaints from multiple buyers.
1	45.	Brown continued to sell the same or similar fraudulent "business opportunities" over and
Ullage C Village C Village C (702)		over again, a willing participant of the role he played in Weinstein's scheme.
HHE 17	46.	Brown admits to relisting nearly the exact same business as was sold to Medappeal less
18		than a month after receiving Medappeal's complaints.
19	47.	Brown functioned as a co-conspirator, and completely abandoned any oversight or
20		diligence as a "broker" in favor of advancing Weinstein's schemes.
21		3. WEINSTEIN ENGAGED IN MULTIPLE CONFLICTING SALE, MADE
22 23		FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS, AND OPERATED A CORPORATE
23 24		"SHELL-GAME"
25	48.	Weinstein was previously convicted of fraud, and has spent nearly two decades defrauding
26		unsuspecting victims in various schemes.
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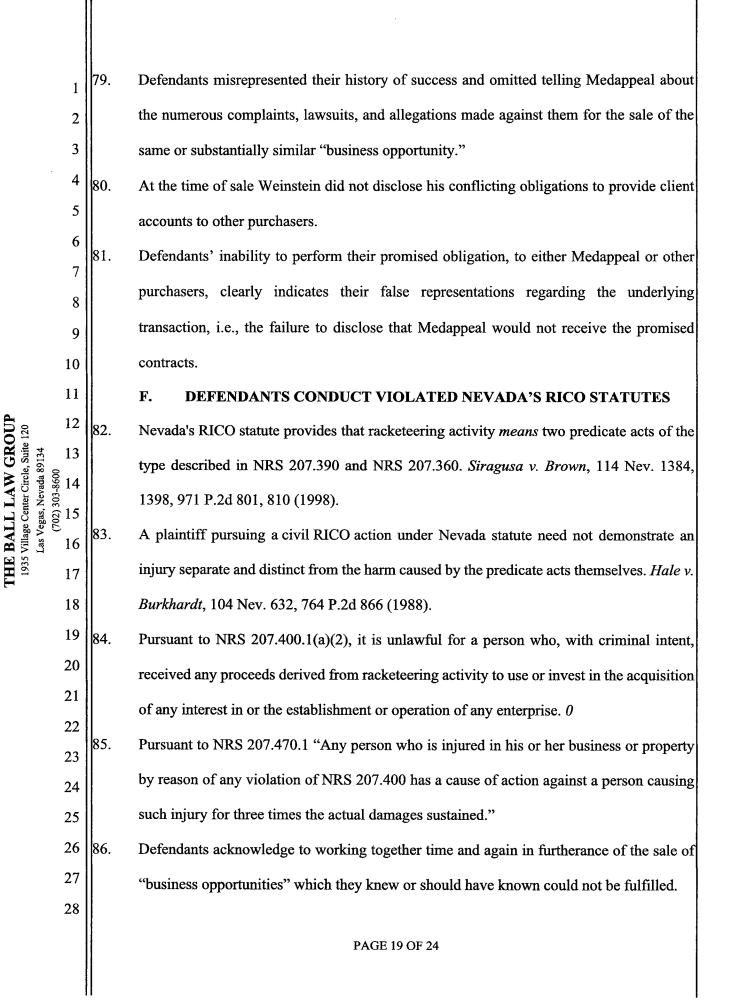


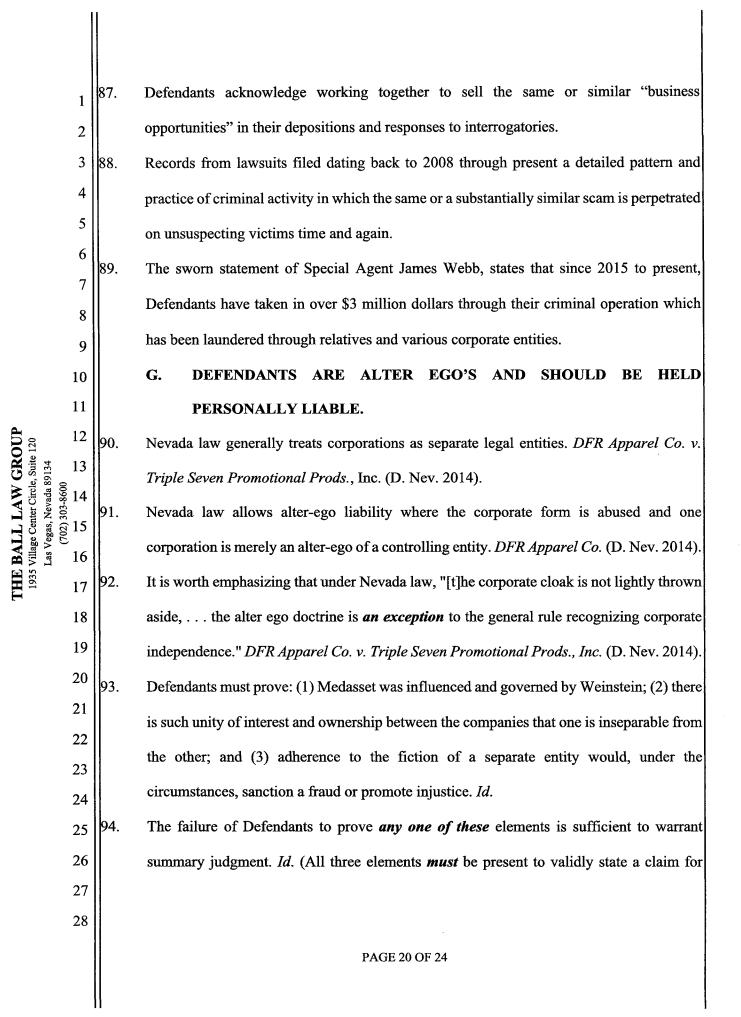


1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	 66. Weinstein and V. Reddy created so many shell entities, that Weinstein acknowledged his deposition his inability to decipher which corporate entities and which deals belong to himself as opposed to V. Reddy. 67. The multitude of misrepresentations, clearly intentional, substantiate the "fal representation that is made with either knowledge or belief that it is false or without sufficient foundation" required under <i>Nelson v. Heer</i>, 123 Nev. 217, 225, 163 P.3d 42 426 (2007). 68. The use of strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawmen strawmen strawment strawment and constant references to other customers clearly shows the strawment strawment strawment strawment and constant strawment strawment	ed lse t a 20,
10	"intent to induce another's reliance" <i>Id</i> .	
11 12	69. The payment by Medappeal for the essentially hollow business, and the ongoing efforts recover their losses, substantiate Medappeal's "damages that result from this reliance	
Las Vegas, Nevada 89134 (702) 303-8600 91 91 91 91 91 91 91 91 91 91 91 91 91	fulfilling the final element of <i>Nelson</i>.D. DEFENDANTS CONSPIRED TO COMMIT FRAUD	
Las Vegas, (702) 19	70. An actionable civil conspiracy arises where two or more persons undertake some concert	ed
17 18 19	action with the intent "to accomplish an unlawful objective for the purpose of harmi another," and damage results. <i>Guilfoyle v. Olde Monmouth Stock Transfer Co.</i> , 130 No 801, 813, 335 P.3d 190, 198 (2014).	Ĩ
20 21 22	71. To prevail in a civil conspiracy action, a plaintiff must prove an agreement between t tortfeasors, whether explicit or tacit. <i>See Eikelberger v. Tolotti</i> , 96 Nev. 525, 528 n. 1, 6 P.2d 1086, 1088 n. 1 (1980).	
23 24	 72. Defendants V. Reddy, Margaret, Weinstein, and Brown all acknowledge having work together to sell, market, promote, or participate in the sale of the fraudulent busine 	
25 26 27	opportunities.	
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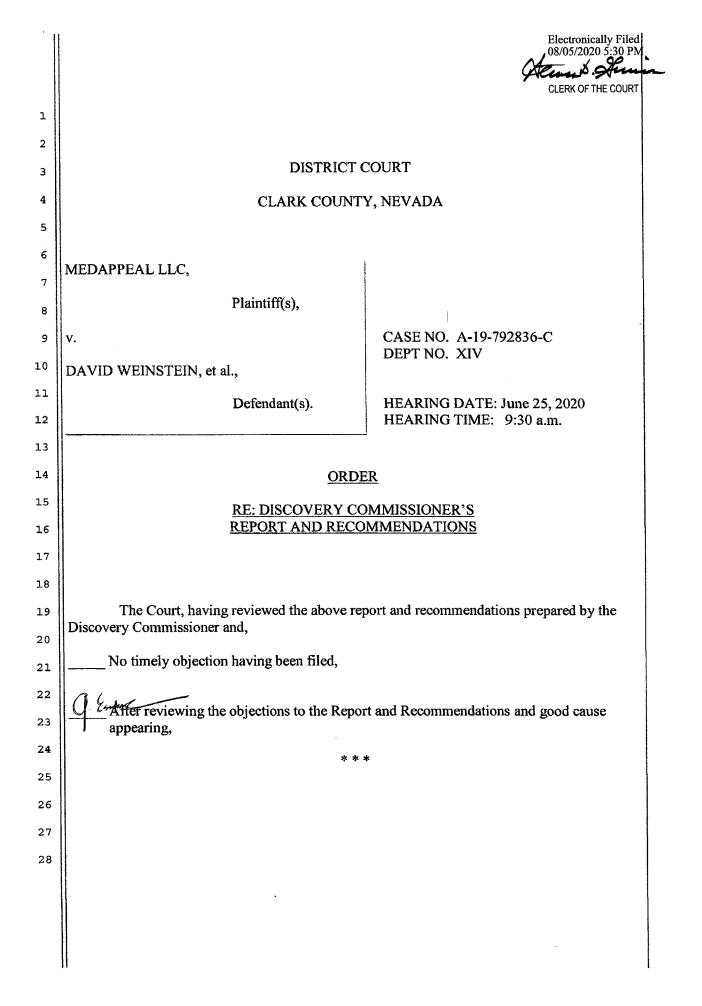
			alter-ego liability.) Wilson Logistics Nevada, Inc. v. Lincoln Gen. Ins. Co. (D. Nev. 2011)
	1		Wilson Logistics Nevada, Inc. v. Lincoln Gen. Ins. Co. (D. Nev. 2011).
	2 3	95.	The purpose of the alter ego doctrine is to do justice whenever it appears that
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	5		the protections provided by the corporate form are being abused. See Polaris Industrial
	6		Corp. v. Kaplan, 103 Nev. 598, 603, 747 P.2d 884, 888 (1987).
	7	96.	The following factors, though not conclusive, may indicate the existence of
	8		an alter ego relationship: (1) commingling of funds; (2) undercapitalization; (3)
	9		unauthorized diversion of funds; (4) treatment of corporate assets as the individual's own;
	10		and (5) failure to observe corporate formalities. LFC Mktg. Grp., Inc. v. Loomis, 116 Nev.
	11		896, 904, 8 P.3d 841, 847 (2000).
DUP 120	12	97.	There is no litmus test for determining when the corporate fiction should be disregarded;
GROUP (e, Suite 120 89134	13		the result depends on the circumstances of each case. Polaris Indus. Corp. v. Kaplan, 103
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BALL LAW GROU Village Center Circle, Suite 120 Las Vegas, Nevada 89134	-	98.	Weinstein acknowledges that he is the sole owner, director, and officer of Medasset.
THE B. 1935 Vil Las	16 17	99.	Medasset's registered address is the same address as Weinstein's place of residence.
E -	17	100.	According to the Secretary of State Medasset was capitalized with \$20.
	10	101.	Weinstein acknowledges that Medasset does not have liability insurance.
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	21	102.	Medasset could not provide any business records, minutes, or financial statements for the
	22		company.
	23	103.	Medasset used the same contracts, business prospectuses, and offering documents as used
	24		by Weinstein in his numerous other shell companies.
	25	104.	Medasset failed to maintain a document retention policy, and when asked about documents
	26		later produced in litigation, Weinstein said he found them mixed in a box with his personal
	27		clothing.
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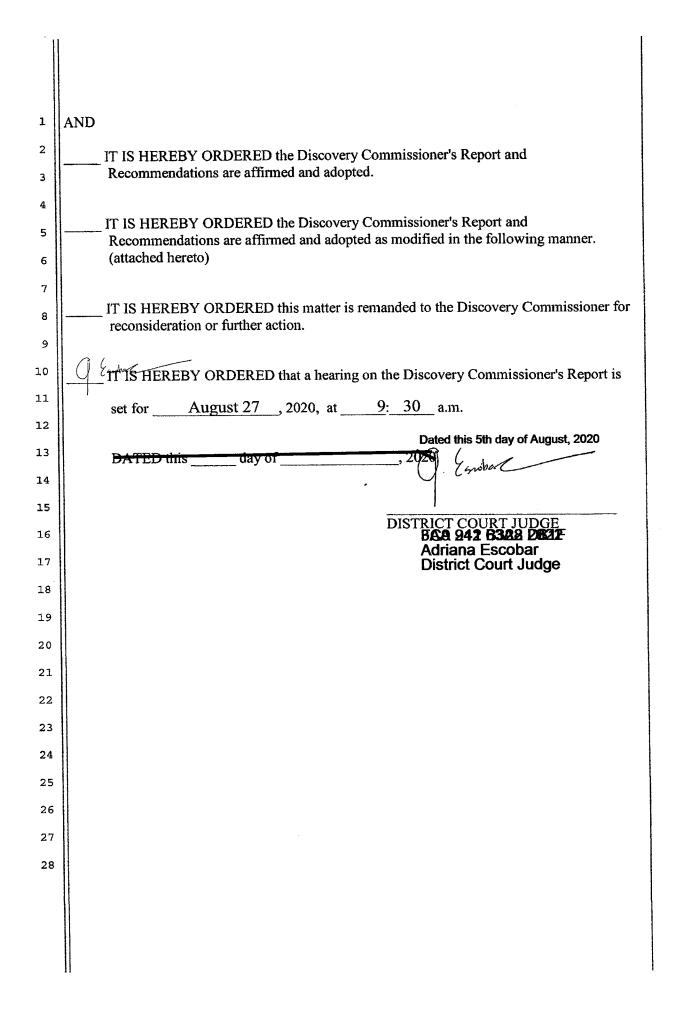
	105	The terms of Weinstein growided in discourse service lader on a the versions shall	
1	105.	The documents Weinstein provided in discovery were comingled among the various shell	
2		entities he used to commit the fraudulent scheme; no distinct files, records, or production	
3		relative to Medasset have been produced.	
4	106.	Weinstein admits to owning and operating other companies using the name Medasset in	
5		Delaware, New Jersey, and Nevada.	
6	107.	Medasset is David Weinstein.	
7 8	108.	Allowing Weinstein protection from the shell entity "Medasset" would promote injustice	
9		and allow him to further his criminal activities.	
10		H. DEFENDANTS PRODUCED NO EVIDENCE	
11	109.	Defendants have failed to produce any evidence calling into question the evidence	: E
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BALL LAW GROU Village Center Circle, Suite 120 Las Vegas, Nevada 89134 (702) 303-8600 10 11 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	110.	V. Reddy claims to have destroyed all responsive documents following settlement of his	
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33 1		he engages in document purges whenever he has the time and inclination.	
Ħ [≏] 17 18	112.	M. Thalmarla and M. Reddy have also failed to produce any relevant evidence contrasting	
18		Medappeal's evidence.	
	113.	M. Thalmarla and M. Reddy claim to have not been a party to the contract fails to address	
20 21		the role they played in the overarching scheme.	
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1	ORDER AND JUDGMENT	
2	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Medappeal's Motion	
3	for Summary Judgment is GRANTED as to all claims against all Defendants.	
4	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Medappeal is	
5	awarded damages of compensatory actual damages in the \$75,000.00, plus treble damages	
6	pursuant to NRS 207.470, for a total damages amount of \$225,000.00, jointly and severally	
7	against all Defendants.	
8	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Medappeal is	
9	awarded attorney fees under NRS 207.470(1), costs under NRS 207.470(1) and NRS 18.0220(3),	
10	and pre-judgment interest under NRS 17.130, jointly and severally against all Defendants.	
11	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Plaintiff shall file	
12	briefing with the Court informing of the requested attorney fees and costs amount and	
13	substantiating documentation.	
0098-E0E (20L)	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that punitive damages	
є (202) 15	are not awarded.	
16	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that this Order	
17	constitutes a final Order and Judgment, and may be utilized as necessary, including recordation	
18	as necessary with the Clark County Recorder as necessary to effectuate this judgment.	
19	IT IS SO ORDERED.	
20	Dated this day of , 2021	
21	Dated this 17th day of June, 2021	
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23	THE HON. ADRIANA ESCOBAR DISTRICT COURT JUDGE	
24	BF8 068 4BC7 BA62 Adriana Escobar	
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8	David Weinstein, Defendant(s)		
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b _♀ 12	VS.	DISCOVERY COMMISSIONER'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS
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BAI Sullage 19 19 19	Defendants.	
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19	Date of Hearing: June 25, 2020	
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	2	FINDINGS			
	3	1. Plaintiff served Interrogatories and Requests for Production on defendants Vijay Reddy			
	4	and Margaret Reddy.			
	5	2. Defendants served Responses to Plaintiff's Interrogatories and Requests for Production in			
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		provide substantive responses to some discovery requests based on their assertion of			
	8	objections.			
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5. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide a further response to 1 Interrogatory Number 10 by providing the nature and purpose of the \$325,000 transfer from her to defendants Mohan Thalmarla and Max Global. 6. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide further responses to Interrogatory Numbers 5, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17. Reddy is required to provide any factual information that she has in her possession and provide the facts upon which she is relying to support 6 7 her denial of the allegations discussed in these Interrogatories. 8 7. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide further responses to Interrogatory Numbers 18 and 19, and should identify any job duties, job functions or 9 services she performed for defendant Weinstein prior to May 1, 2018. 8. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Interrogatory Number 20 as revised during the hearing. Reddy should identify the nature of her business relationship with defendant David Weinstein and define the time period of the relationship. 9. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Interrogatory Number 21 as revised during the hearing. Reddy should respond to the 17 Interrogatory from January 1, 2008 through May 1, 2018. 18 10. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Request for 19 Production Number 9. She should be required to produce documents the concern her job 20 duties, job functions, services she performed for defendant David Weinstein or services 21 she provided for Weinstein from January 1, 2008 to May 1, 2018. 22 11. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide further responses to Requests for 23 Production Numbers 10, 14 and 15 as written, and produce responsive documents. 12. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Request for 24 25 Production Number 16, and to produce responsive documents from January 1, 2008 26 through May 1, 2018. 13. Defendant Margaret Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Request for 27 28 Production Number 5, and to produce responsive documents. PAGE 3 OF 6

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1707 Village Center Circle. Suite 140 Las Vegas. Nevada 89134 14. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Interrogatory Number 4, and should be required to provide a substantive response concerning money or other compensation he received from David Weinstein or any entity owned or controlled by David Weinstein from January 1, 2008 to May 1, 2018.

15. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Interrogatory Number 5, and identify by name, address and phone number, to the extent possible, all persons or entities for whom he provided training services between January 1, 2008 and May 1, 2018.

16. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide further responses to Interrogatory Numbers 7 and 8, as revised during the hearing. Reddy should identify the nature of his business relationships with defendants David Weinstein and Kevin Brown and define the time period of the relationships.

17. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Interrogatory Numbers 9 and 10, and identify the blocks of accounts and business packages that he purchased from defendant David Weinstein from January 1, 2008 to May 1, 2018.

18. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide a further response to Interrogatory Number 11, and identify by full name, address and phone number, to the extent possible, all individuals who complained to him about business that they purchased from David Weinstein and/or Kevin Brown from January 1, 2008 to May 1, 2018.

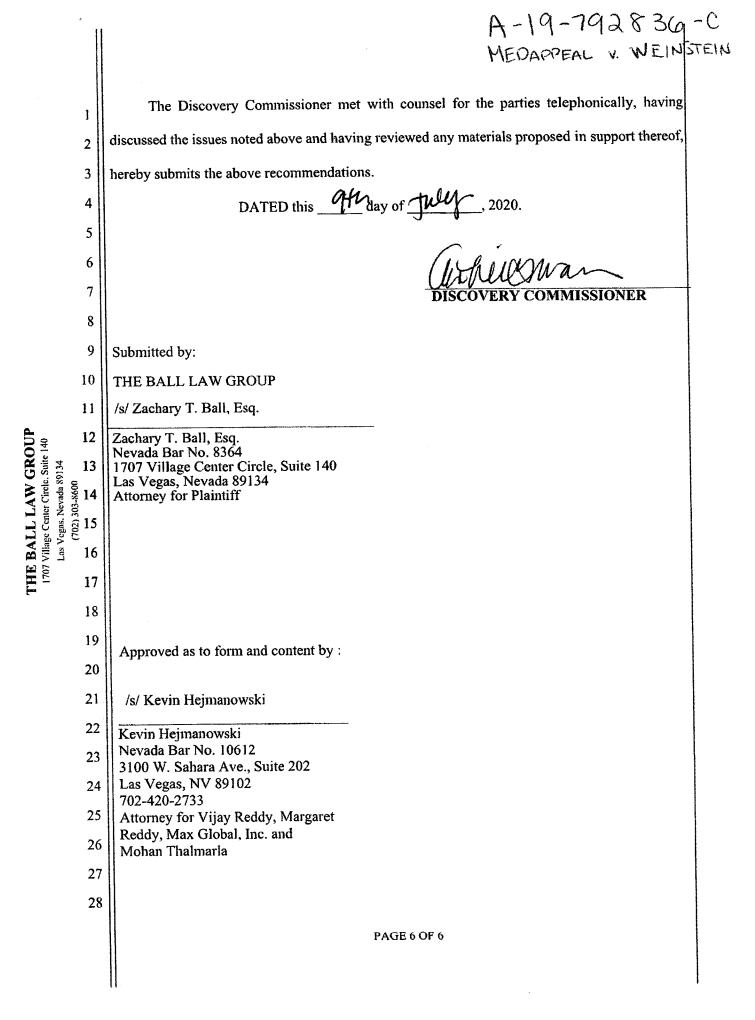
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20. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide further responses to Interrogatory Numbers 15 and 16, as revised during the hearing. Reddy should identify the nature of his business relationships with defendant Visionary Business Brokers and Tannenbaum & Milask and define the time period of the relationships.

21. Defendant Vijay Reddy should be required to provide further responses to Interrogatory Numbers 19-25. Reddy is required to provide any factual information that he has in his

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21	Production Number 28, as revised during the hearing, and to produce responsive		
22	documents.		
23	29. Defendants Margaret Reddy and Vijay Reddy should be required to provide further		
24	responses to Plaintiff's Interrogatories and Requests for Production, and to produce		
25	responsive documents, within 14 days of the date the Court approves of this Report and		
26	Recommendation.		
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NOTICE Pursuant to NRCP 16.3(c)(2), you are hereby notified that within fourteen (14) days after being served with a report any party may file and serve written objections to the recommendations. Written authorities may be filed with objections, but are not mandatory. If written authorities are filed, any other party may file and serve responding authorities within seven (7) days after being served with objections. Objection time will expire on (______ 2020. A copy of the foregoing Discovery Commissioner's Report was: Mailed to Plaintiff/Defendant at the following address on the _____ day of 2020: 2020, Pursuant to Electronically filed and served counsel on $\underline{\langle}$ N.E.F.C.R. Rule 9. COMMISSIONER DESIGNEE

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11	Plaintiff,	FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT	
13	vs.		
14 15 16 17	DAVID WEINSTEIN, VIJAY REDDY, MARGARET REDDY, MOHAN THALMARLA, KEVIN BROWN, MAX GLOBAL, INC., VISIONARY BUSINESS BROKERS LLC, MEDASSET CORPORATION, and DOES 1-50		
18	Defendants		
 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 	 Plaintiff Medappeal, LLC, by and through its attorney Jay Freedman, asserts the following causes of action against defendants David Weinstein, Vijay Reddy, Margaret Reddy, Mohan Thalmarla, Kevin Brown, Max Global, Inc., Visionary Business Brokers LLC and Medasset Corporation (collectively "Defendants"). 1. Plaintiff Medappeal, LLC is an Illinois Limited Liability Company. 2. The contract at issue in this action was signed by "Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC (on behalf of a company to be formed later)." Plaintiff is the "company to be formed later" and is the successor in interest and/or assignee of Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC. FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 1 		

4. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Vijay Reddy ("V. Reddy") is an individual residing in Michigan.

5. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Margaret Reddy ("M. Reddy") is an individual residing in Michigan.

6. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Mohan Thalmarla ("M. Thalmarla") is an individual residing in Illinois.

7. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Kevin Brown ("Brown") is a resident of New Jersey.

8. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Max Global, Inc. ("Max Global") is an Illinois corporation owned by M. Thalmarla.

9. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Medasset Corporation ("Medasset") is a Nevada corporation owned by Weinstein.

10. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges that defendant VisionaryBusiness Brokers, LLC ("Visionary") is a New Jersey limited liability company.

11. Venue is proper in Clark County pursuant to NRS 13.040 as defendants Weinstein and Medasset Corporation reside in this county while the other defendants reside out of state.

12. Venue is also proper in Clark County pursuant to the Forum Selection Clause contained in the parties' contract. The parties' contract provides that "[t]he venue is the State of Nevada and the County of Clark" and that the "Agreement will be governed by the laws of Nevada and the County of Clark."

13. Plaintiff filed a similar action against defendants Weinstein, V. Reddy, Brown, Visionary and Medasset in Illinois (the "Illinois Defendants"). The Illinois Defendants filed a Motion to Dismiss the complaint and argued that the Forum Selection Clause required that the action be FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 2 maintained in Clark County, Nevada. In particular, the Illinois Defendants argued that "the forum selection clauses are enforceable and result in the dismissal of this case" and that "the forum selection clauses are controlling and dispositive."

14. The Illinois Trial Court agreed with the Illinois Defendants' argument and dismissed the action because of the Forum Selection Clause. As such, the Illinois Defendants are now judicially estopped from contesting venue or personal jurisdiction, and this finding was confirmed by this Court when it denied the Motions to Dismiss filed by all of the defendants except Weinstein and Medasset.

GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

Allegations Concerning Kevin Brown and Visionary Business Brokers

15. In 2018, defendant Brown, through Visionary, posted a listing on the website
BizQuest.com offering for sale an opportunity to purchase a Medical Billing Appeal and
Credentialing business (the "Accounts"). The listing is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
16. Since at least 2016, Brown has sold the same or similar business opportunity through
VBB or Tannenbaum & Milask, a New Jersey brokerage company owned by defendant
Weinstein. Depending upon the time and victim, Brown sold the business opportunities on
behalf of either defendant Weinstein or defendant V. Reddy.

17. In the listing at issue, Brown represented that the business opportunity will generate gross revenue of \$300,000 per year and a net profit of \$155,000 per year. These numbers were wholly unsupported by history and the facts that were known to defendants Weinstein, V. Reddy and Brown at the time of the transaction between Plaintiff and Defendants.

18. Brown was aware that Weinstein and V. Reddy could not or did not have the ability to deliver on their obligations, as a number of former clients had notified him of this fact.

 After viewing the advertisement online, Plaintiff's ownership contacted Brown on or around April 18, 2018, through BizQuest.com and sought additional information about Brown's/Visionary's listing. 20. Brown emailed Plaintiff back and requested a phone call. Plaintiff called Brown on or about April 20, 2018. Plaintiff made all calls with Brown from Plaintiff's office in Illinois, and it now believes that Brown was located at his office in New Jersey during the calls.

21. During the first call, Brown described the business opportunity, his long-standing relationship with Weinstein, and his experience selling the same or similar business packages to other investors. Brown emphasized how this business would be a good fit for Plaintiff.

22. Brown also confirmed the validity and accuracy of the sales price, gross and net profit numbers he listed on BizQuest.com.

23. Another call took place between Brown and Plaintiff on or about April 23, 2018. During this call, Brown continued to promote the business opportunity, described his past success in working with Weinstein and their many happy customers.

24. Following these calls, Brown had Plaintiff sign and return Confidentiality Agreements.
On or about April 27, 2018, Brown sent Plaintiff a copy of the "Executive Summary" of
Medasset Management Corporation ("Seller"). A copy is attached hereto as Exhibit 2. The
Executive Summary details the business opportunity being offered by Defendants. In their own
words, Defendants were selling a start-up business.

25. Defendants promised to provide "all the tools, training, support and clients necessary for positive cash flow." Defendants also promised to provide Plaintiff with sixty (60) clients for Medical Claims Appeal work and thirty (30) clients for Medical Insurance Credentialing work. The provision of the clients (the Accounts) was at the core of Defendants' business opportunity.
26. The Executive Summary boasted that the Accounts provided by Defendants will generate an estimated monthly profit of \$13,048 for medical appeals and an annual profit of \$15,000 for insurance credentialing work.

27. According to the Executive Summary, "Never before has there been a package that encompasses so much with no marketing or sales activity required from the owner to reach profitability." (Exhibit 2, pg. 5.)

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28. The Executive Summary details in pertinent part that Visionary believes the executive summary "to be accurate." In reality, the numbers, representations, and business model described in the Executive Summary were known by Brown to be false. Since Brown began selling the "business opportunity," no buyer ever came close to earning the numbers described in the Executive Summary. Similarly, no buyer ever received the number of client accounts as promised.

29. Brown also knew that the statements he made to Plaintiff pertaining to Weinstein's successful business history and satisfied client base were completely untrue. Since at least 2016, Brown had received numerous phone calls, voice messages, and emails from former buyers complaining about the business packages he sold and mirroring the allegations asserted against Brown and the other defendants in this case.

30. Despite being highly responsive during the sales process, Brown never responded to any of the numerous complaints once he received payment.

31. Brown never informed Plaintiff or its principals of the lawsuits and other claims that had been asserted against him or the other defendants prior to 2018.

Allegations concerning David Weinstein and Medasset Corporation

32. After reviewing the Executive Summary sent from Brown, a series of due diligence calls ("Calls") took place among Weinstein, Brown, and Plaintiff's principals. Plaintiff's Principals were in their office in Illinois during all calls with Weinstein, and they believe that Weinstein was in Nevada while Brown was in New Jersey.

33. The first conference call between Plaintiff, Weinstein, and Brown took place on or about May 1, 2018 at 2 p.m. (central). During this call, Weinstein, with the assistance of Brown, detailed the business structure and terms of the opportunity. Weinstein and Brown discussed their high degree of success and customer satisfaction.

34. Weinstein went through the Executive Summary with Plaintiff, and reiterated and confirmed the accuracy of the numbers listed therein, as they pertained to net profit and the FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 5

number of client accounts he promised to provide. He also described his past business history to Plaintiff. Weinstein stated that he used to run a highly successful medical services-related company, which he ceased doing due to health concerns. According to Weinstein, this was the reason he was selling such a profitable "business opportunity."

35. Similarly, Weinstein stated that he only sold a few of these "business opportunities" each year, so that he could fulfill the numbers promised in the Executive Summaries and Purchase Sales Agreements. Weinstein went as far as to tell Plaintiff on this call that some of his prior customers have even come back to him to purchase additional business packages. Weinstein consistently told Plaintiff that he and his clients had a successful track record with these business packages.

36. The next call between Plaintiff and Weinstein took place on or about May 3, 2018. At this time, Weinstein continued to promote his business opportunity. Weinstein stated multiple times during this call that Plaintiff should complete the deal as soon as possible, since he had marketers and client accounts ready to go. Weinstein emphasized the time sensitive nature of the deal. As Plaintiff discovered, this was not true, as Weinstein could deliver no more than four client accounts in the span of months.

37. When asked by Plaintiff if any buyers ever failed after purchasing his business opportunity, Weinstein stated that only one person failed, because she did not actively operate the business. Weinstein stated that as long as Plaintiff actively operates the business, then Plaintiff would experience success in line with the numbers detailed in the Executive Summary. However, Weinstein knew this to be entirely untrue. As detailed in a complaint filed by the Office of the US Trustee against defendant V. Reddy and in a complaint filed against Weinstein in Georgia (discussed in more detail below), since at least 2016 there were a minimum of eight other instances where Defendants' sale of the same or similar business opportunity resulted in complete and utter failure.

38. When asked by Plaintiff about Plaintiff's priority in receiving client accounts, Weinstein indicated that there were no other sales agreements he had to fulfill, though Plaintiff has learned that Defendants had multiple unfulfilled agreements going back years. Furthermore, at no point did Weinstein mention his past history of being sued or threatened with lawsuits for his failure and/or inability to perform on the sale of the same or similar business packages.

39. As mentioned above, Weinstein was sued in Georgia in 2013 for committing nearly the exact same fraud as that which he perpetrated on Plaintiff. In the Georgia lawsuit, two plaintiffs joined in suing Weinstein. Weinstein sold each plaintiff a medical billing business for \$125,000 with a \$75,000 initial payment. Weinstein guaranteed these plaintiffs a specific number of client accounts and they were provided with Executive Summaries nearly identical to that provided in this case. Just as in this action, the plaintiffs alleged that Weinstein did not come even remotely close to providing the number of client accounts he promised to either of the Georgia plaintiffs. 40. In a deplorable and interesting twist to the Georgia case, Weinstein attempted to earn a

further profit *and* evade liability for his misdeeds by selling the corporate entity used in the scam to an unsuspecting third party.

41. Since 2016 there have been at least eight other individuals known to Plaintiff who purchased the same or similar medical business package from a combination of Weinstein, V. Reddy, Brown and their associated companies. Of these known sales, and despite the many statements made to Plaintiff to the contrary, Weinstein and his co-defendants did not fulfill a single contract as promised.

42. Weinstein also significantly misrepresented his business history to Plaintiff. According to the Florida Attorney General, as the CEO of a "fraudulent insurance operation" Weinstein "sold bogus health insurance to thousands of Floridians." As a result of this, Weinstein was adjudicated guilty of two felony counts of fraud, sentenced to three years' probation, and ordered to pay \$600,000 in restitution. Weinstein is also banned for life from selling insurance and is prohibited from participating in any banking and insurance industry activities in Florida.

43. Weinstein was also named as a defendant in a suit filed by the Secretary of Labor for his involvement in a fraudulent insurance scheme.

44. Weinstein did not inform Plaintiff or its principals of any of the prior lawsuits or claims that had been asserted against him.

Allegations concerning Vijay Reddy

45. When asked for a reference from a prior purchaser of a similar system, Weinstein provided the contact information of defendant V. Reddy. V. Reddy was not a disinterested third-party reference, as represented by Weinstein and V. Reddy to Plaintiff. Weinstein in fact had a business relationship with V. Reddy that went back to at least 2009. According to a complaint that was filed against V. Reddy in March of 2010, he was introducing Weinstein as a business associate as early as February of 2009. (*Holmes v. Reddy*, Washtenaw County Court case number 10-210-CK, ¶ 16, attached hereto as Exhibit 3.)

46. Notably, the allegations contained in the *Holmes* matter are remarkably similar to the allegations asserted against Defendants in this action. The plaintiff alleged that V. Reddy "represented to Plaintiff that he would sell Plaintiff bundles of medical billing contracts." (Ex. 3, ¶ 7.) The plaintiff further alleged that after several months, his purchase had not generated any revenues. (Ex. 3, ¶ 13.)

47. The *Holmes* plaintiff paid V. Reddy \$200,000. According to the complaint, V. Reddy made representations as to the number of client accounts and revenue the plaintiff would receive. The plaintiff also alleged V. Reddy made multiple serious misrepresentations and omissions to induce the sale. As a result of this lawsuit, V. Reddy was ordered to pay the *Holmes* plaintiff an amount equal to or greater than \$200,000.

48. Around the end of April 2018, Plaintiff contacted V. Reddy regarding his experience with Weinstein, Brown, and Medasset. All calls with V. Reddy were made from Plaintiff's office in Illinois and it believes that V. Reddy was in Michigan at the time of the calls.

49. V. Reddy informed Plaintiff that he had purchased blocks of Accounts from Weinstein on multiple occasions, going back many years, and that he has been very successful. He also stated that each year he buys business packages from Weinstein, manages and builds them up with the help of his wife and family member(s), and then sells them at a profit. V. Reddy informed Plaintiff that he was merely Weinstein's customer and not a business partner.

50. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that V. Reddy was aware of numerous failed attempts, lawsuits, and the criminal background of Weinstein. However, he did not disclose this information when asked about the opportunity.

51. V. Reddy also did not mention the past and pending lawsuits against himself relating to the same/similar business operations, nor did he mention all of the complaints he personally received from his involvement in these transactions. In particular, V. Reddy did not discuss the *Holmes* litigation.

52. As Plaintiff later discovered, V. Reddy continued to sell the same or similar business packages on behalf of, or in conjunction with Weinstein, following the 2010 *Holmes* lawsuit.
53. Since 2016, V. Reddy sold or was involved in the sale of the same or similar business packages to: Camile Batiste, Nadeem Fatmi, Steven Sami, Gerson Benoit and Desiree Cortes, Paul Volen, Michael Bradley, Craig Sylverston, and Kalpana Dugar. V. Reddy never successfully fulfilled any of the contracts as agreed to with these individuals.

54. All of the above listed individuals complained to V. Reddy about his inability to perform, their financial loss due to his misrepresentations, and some threatened to take legal action.

55. Additionally, at no point did V. Reddy disclose to Plaintiff the vested interest and financial relationship he and his wife, M. Reddy, had with Weinstein. At all times, V. Reddy passed himself off as a business reference and longtime satisfied customer.

Defendants Abscond with Plaintiff's Money

56. On or about May 3, 2018, Plaintiff, though its parent company, Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC - with the right to assign to a newly formed entity (written as FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 9

directed by Weinstein), entered into a contract for the purchase of the business opportunity. A copy of the purchase and sale agreement are attached hereto as Exhibit 4.

57. In part, the Purchase and Sale agreement provides for a purchase price of \$125,000 with \$75,000 as a down payment. On or about May 3, 2018, Plaintiff, through its parent company, sent a wire to Visionary for the sum of \$75,0000. A copy of the wire transfer with the Federal Wire Confirmation number is attached hereto as Exhibit 5.

58. As part of the Purchase and Sale agreement, a Promissory Note ("Note") was tendered for the payment of the balance of the purchase price upon completion of the contract.

59. In early May 2018, after the purchase agreement had been executed, Plaintiff was reintroduced to V. Reddy, but this time as the "training coordinator" for Medasset. Plaintiff purchased the suggested office equipment and completed all training sessions as suggested by V. Reddy consisting of a series of remote web-based training sessions.

60. From the period of May 3, 2018 to today, a *de minimis* number of Medical Appeal Contracts (approximately 3) were assigned to Plaintiff. No Insurance Credentialing contracts were ever provided to Plaintiff. Only one of these contracts has generated any revenue to date, totaling a mere few hundred dollars.

61. Weinstein was called numerous times to discuss the deficiency, however Weinstein fails to maintain a properly functioning voicemail system and has failed to speak directly with Plaintiff after he received his payment.

62. Weinstein has received numerous emails to discuss the deficiency, however he has refused to call Plaintiff even one time to discuss the matter, or provide a sufficient explanation as to the lack of performance.

63. Brown was called numerous times and received multiple voicemails requesting he discuss the deficiency; however, Brown has failed to call Plaintiff even one time after payment was received.

64. Brown has received numerous emails to discuss the deficiency, however Brown has failed to reply to even one email to discuss the matter after payment was received.

65. V. Reddy was contacted by Plaintiff by phone and email numerous times to discuss the lack of performance. V. Reddy has continuously provided false statements as to his knowledge of the deficiency and his experience with Weinstein and Brown.

66. It has since been discovered that Defendants' fraudulent actions follow a clear and ongoing pattern, and were not unique to Plaintiff. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants have been offering the same "business opportunity" in various forms for years. Defendants take their victims' money based on a promise to provide a specific number of client Accounts, which Defendants have absolutely no intention and/or ability to deliver.

67. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that when the victims complain, Defendants first make excuses and then cut off all communications.

68. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants have also been reported to intimidate their victims through baseless countercomplaints, profanity-laced voicemails, contacting a victim's employer, and other aggressive tactics.

69. A summary of Defendants' fraudulent scheme was published on June 1, 2018 by ABC News 6 Philadelphia, and also ran on their television station. A copy of the news article is attached hereto as Exhibit 6.

Defendant V. Reddy's Sworn Testimony, Failed Bankruptcy, and Co-Conspirators

70. On or about March 8, 2018, defendant V. Reddy filed a Chapter 7 Bankruptcy Petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Michigan. The petition listed one significant creditor, which resulted from the *Holmes* litigation discussed above.

71. In this petition, V. Reddy did not disclose any of the numerous other individuals and/or business entities that have since been included in a revised listing on his Schedule E/F of unsecured creditors. These unsecured creditors lost money to V. Reddy, Weinstein, and/or FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 11

Brown through a scam similar to that perpetrated against Plaintiff. (US Trustee Complaint, attached hereto as Exhibit 7.)

72. On June 27, 2018, V. Reddy was examined under oath by attorney David Miller, of Clayson, Schneider & Miller, PC, on behalf of the Bankruptcy Trustee. During his examination, V. Reddy admitted to working "in conjunction with David (Weinstein)" and having a business relationship with Weinstein. (Exam at p. 18, attached hereto as Exhibit 8.) V. Reddy also stated in his examination that Weinstein and himself would "split that (the money) equally" from the sale of medical billing packages. (Exhibit 8 at pp. 20-21.)

73. V. Reddy described how in prior business deals, buyers would purchase the medicalrelated businesses through Tannenbaum & Milask, which is a New Jersey corporation with David Weinstein listed as the sole registered agent, "first board of directors," and sole incorporator.

74. As alleged above, defendant Brown has worked for and/or held himself out as a broker/agent/employee of the same Tannenbaum & Milask before claiming to work for Visionary. Regardless of he brokerage firm he acted under, Brown received numerous complaints from his sale of V. Reddy and Weinstein's "business opportunities."

75. In his sworn examination, V. Reddy stated that his wife, Defendant M. Reddy, was also working for David (Weinstein) on his "projects." According to V. Reddy "the same way David (Weinstein) was a silent partner for me, she (M. Reddy) was a silent partner for him in doing things." (Exhibit 8 at p. 63.) M. Reddy's employment by Weinstein is further confirmed in her Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to the Motion to Dismiss she filed in this action, in which she admitted to working with both Weinstein and Medasset.

76. V. Reddy also stated that Weinstein would write a single check to V. Reddy and M. Reddy, which M. Reddy would deposit in her personal bank account. V. Reddy testified that he cannot differentiate the payments made by Weinstein to himself versus those made to M. Reddy.

77. V. Reddy also stated under oath that Weinstein advised M. Reddy to "go get a real job" since "the market changed so there's not as many doctors coming in to do the things we used to do." This directly contradicts the statements Weinstein, Brown, and V. Reddy made to Plaintiff during their various phone calls that the market for the business opportunity they were selling was strong.

78. In his examination, V. Reddy disclosed that Defendant M. Thalmarla holds notes securing his current residence and that Max Global, an Illinois corporation, had been receiving money from M. Reddy.

79. While calculating the value of the bankruptcy estate, the Trustee's office, through attorney David Miller, determined that M. Thalmarla and Max Global received \$325,000 in "fraudulent transfers" of funds from M. Reddy's bank account. In return, M. Thalmarla wired \$330,000 to M. Reddy's bank account, as a purported loan. According to attorney Miller, the money transfers made between V. Reddy, M. Reddy, Thalmarla, and Max Global were expressly for the purpose of hiding and laundering assets earned through V. Reddy's sale of fraudulent and failed business opportunities, such as the claim being prosecuted in this action.

80. When subpoenaed by the Bankruptcy Court to account for funds held in her name, M. Reddy did not show up to her scheduled hearing, claiming to exercise her Fifth Amendment privilege against self-incrimination. M. Reddy was subsequently held in contempt of court per an order dated January 23, 2019, case number 18-43079-mlo.

81. On November 15, 2018, Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee (Region 9), Department of Justice, filed a Complaint for Revocation of Discharge with the US Bankruptcy Court of the Eastern District of Michigan against V. Reddy. In the Complaint, US Trustee McDermott alleged that Weinstein, Brown, and V. Reddy conspired in an ongoing "fraud scheme to sell worthless corporate opportunities."

82. In particular, the Complaint alleges that:

After consummating the deal, the Co-Conspirators (Weinstein, Brown, V. Reddy, Visionary) would send only minimal medical FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 13 office leads to the victims to be serviced, and when the victims complained about the lack of such medical offices being sent to them, the Co-Conspirators would generally blame the victims and accuse them of somehow breaching their agreement. The Co-Conspirators would eventually cease communication with the victims, and abscond with the funds received from the victims.

83. The US Trustee's Complaint details eight separate transactions, not including Plaintiff's, in which, "Mr. Reddy, Mr. Weinstein and Mr. Brown…fraudulently induced…victims to give them significant sums in exchange for business opportunities the Co-Conspirators had no intention of ever making good on." As result of the US Trustee's complaint, V. Reddy consented to the revocation of his Bankruptcy discharge and the payment of \$330,000 to his creditors.

84. Almost all of V. Reddy's creditors are victims of substantially similar scams as that perpetrated against Plaintiff.

Defendants' Fraudulent Intent

85. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants knew before they entered into their agreement with Plaintiff that they had no intention of fulfilling their obligations. As discussed above, Plaintiff has learned that defendants Weinstein and Reddy were sued at least twice before the subject agreement was entered into and that both suits involved the same or similar claims that are being asserted in this action.

86. The *Holmes v. Reddy* action, discussed above, was filed in 2010.

87. Defendant Weinstein was sued in United States District Court, Northern District of Georgia, in 2012. (*Pullar v. General MD Group et al.*, case number 1:12-cv-04063-TWT.) This action was based on the plaintiffs' allegations that the defendants "conspired to sell to unwitting investors certain transcription lines, medical billing, medical collection, and/or medical answering service accounts." (*Pullar* complaint, ¶¶ 1, 14 ["Defendant David Weinstein . . . fraudulently conspired to sell non-existing and/or non-performing medical billing, collecting and answering service accounts.") As with this action, the *Pullar* plaintiffs also alleged that

"Defendants created and disseminated to potential investors a 20 page 'Executive Summary', which contained certain financial projections." (*Pullar* complaint, \P 18.)

88. By the time that Defendants entered into their agreement with Plaintiff, they knew they would not be able to fulfill the terms of the contract because they had not been able to honor any of the contracts they had entered into before they accepted \$75,000 from Plaintiff and entered into the agreement at issue. Both V. Reddy and Weinstein had been sued in separate actions, by three different plaintiffs, concerning the same fraudulent scheme and Plaintiff is informed and believes that defendant Brown was aware of both lawsuits when he spoke with Plaintiff during the due diligence period before Plaintiff signed the purchase agreement.

Defendant Weinstein's Recent Actions

89. On or about September 18, 2018, Plaintiff sent an email to defendants Weinstein, V.
Reddy and Brown, stating that Plaintiff would take legal action if Defendants did not respond and/or fulfill the terms of the agreement. Plaintiff never received a response from Weinstein or any of the other defendants.

90. Weinstein only resumed communication, via email, after being served with Plaintiff's
Illinois Complaint on or about November 8, 2018. Weinstein's emails did not address his failure
to fulfill the terms of the Agreement nor did they indicate in any way an intent to fulfill the
Agreement or return Plaintiff's money. Instead, Weinstein's emails followed a pattern of
behavior exhibited whenever he is faced with a lawsuit or complaint for failure to perform.
Emails received by Plaintiff from Weinstein contained subject lines such as "Let's Dance," and
content stating "Kindly notify me which E/O carriers you have. Or shall I call Mr. Slim esquire
who I have a history of suing attorneys."

91. In a February 15, 2019 email, Weinstein discusses suing Plaintiff's parent company,
Liberty Consulting & Management, LLC for using his "trade secrets." This is nearly identical to
allegations Weinstein made when being sued in a substantially similar case, *Puller v. General MD Group*, 12-CV-04063, United States District Court For the Northern District of Georgia.
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92. According to that Complaint:

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Following the filing of Plaintiffs' original Complaint in this matter, Defendant David Weinstein began contacting Plaintiff Pullar's employer, Craneware, Inc. ("Craneware"), alleging that both Plaintiff Pullar and Craneware had misappropriated Defendant David Weinstein's confidential and proprietary information. 93. Defendant David Weinstein then sent letters to plaintiffs Pullar, Campagna and Craneware threatening to sue them for their alleged use of his confidential marketing systems, manuals, clearinghouses, and other proprietary systems and methods. 94. To be clear, Plaintiff in this action is unaware of any trade secrets or marketing methods, if they actually exist, used by Weinstein or any of the defendants. Nor is Plaintiff aware of a single contract in which Defendants even remotely performed as promised. 95. The clearinghouse used by Defendants, "Office Ally" is a free software open to public use. Office Ally offers its own training and resource center for any user. Defendants do not have any proprietary rights to this clearinghouse. 96. As to Weinstein's marketing secrets or methodology, V. Reddy stated under oath that there are "no patents, no trademarks, no copyrights, anything along those lines" as it pertains to his and Weinstein's medical marketing and billing related businesses. (Exhibit 8 at p. 11.) ALTER EGO ALLEGATIONS 97. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that the individual defendants formed and then used their various business entities for the sole and express purpose of perpetuating the fraud and other misconduct discussed in this Complaint. 98. There is a unity of interest and ownership which makes Weinstein inseparable from Medasset. 99. According to the Nevada Secretary of State, Defendant Weinstein is, and always was, the sole owner, registered agent, president, secretary, treasurer, and director of Medasset Corporation. According to his own affidavit that he filed in Illinois, Weinstein admits to "having been the sole owner and officer of Defendant Medasset Corporation since its inception."

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Weinstein also admits in this affidavit that "As Medasset's sole owner and officer, I have complete knowledge of Medasset's...activities."

100. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Medasset was not adequately capitalized when it was formed. According to the Nevada Secretary of State, Medasset was initially capitalized with \$20.00.

101. Upon information and belief, Weinstein has formed and been the sole owner, manager, director, registered agent, and/or other executive position holder for multiple other corporate entities formed to propagate the sale of fraudulent medical service-related businesses.

102. Upon information and belief, Weinstein has even formed and/or utilized non-profit entities to propagate the sale of his "business opportunities."

103. Two of the individual defendants have been sued in other jurisdictions for the same or similar misconduct discussed in this Complaint.

104. Weinstein was sued in Georgia, case number 1:12-cv-04063-TWT.

105. V. Reddy was sued in Michigan, case number 10-218-CK.

106. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Weinstein was also convicted of two felony counts of communications fraud in connection with the fraudulent selling of health insurance to thousands of people in Florida. Plaintiff is further informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Weinstein committed the fraud through a corporation that he formed.

107. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that allowing any of the individual defendants to maintain a distinction between themselves and their business entities would promote injustice and result in an abuse of the corporate form.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT

(Against Defendants Medasset, Weinstein and Does 1-10)

108. Plaintiff repeats the prior allegations of this First Amended Complaint and incorporates them herein by reference as if set forth in full.

109. Defendants Medasset and Weinstein entered into a contract with Plaintiff, by which Medasset and Weinstein agreed to provide Plaintiff with 60 client accounts for medical appeals and 30 client accounts for insurance credentialing. Plaintiff paid Medasset and Weinstein \$75,000 pursuant to the parties' contract.

110. Plaintiff has performed all of its obligations under the parties' contract, except for those obligations which it was prevented from performing.

111. Defendants Medasset and Weinstein breached the parties' contract by failing to provide to Plaintiff the number of client accounts it promised to provide.

112. As a direct and proximate result of Medasset's and Weinstein's breach of contract, Plaintiff has been damaged in an amount to be determined at trial but at least \$75,000 plus interest.

SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

FOR FRAUD

(Against Defendant Medasset, Weinstein, Brown, V. Reddy and Does 1-20)113. Plaintiff repeats the prior allegations of this First Amended Complaint and incorporates them herein by reference as if set forth in full.

114. In connection with their advertisement and promotion of the "business opportunity," Defendants made representations regarding the value of the Accounts, the number of Accounts that they would provide to Plaintiff and specifically, the monies Plaintiff would collect from such accounts should they purchase the business system. In particular, Defendants orally represented to Plaintiff during a series of phone calls (1) that they would provide Plaintiff with 60 clients for FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT - 18 Medical Claims Appeal work and 30 clients for Medical Insurance Credentialing work, (2) that Plaintiff will earn a monthly profit of \$13,048 for medical appeals, (3) that Plaintiff will earn an annual profit of \$15,000 for insurance credentialing work, (4) that Defendants had no other sales agreements to fulfill and (5) that Defendants had a high degree of success and customer satisfaction. In the Agreement, Defendants represented that Defendants owned "valid and marketable legal and beneficial title to the Assets and the Modules, which are free and clear of all liens,

claims, encumbrances and security interests."

116. In the Agreement, Defendants also represented, "Litigation: There is no action, suit, proceedings."

117. Defendants knew that all of their oral and written representations to Plaintiff were false when they made them. Weinstein was sued in Georgia in 2013 and V. Reddy was sued in Michigan in 2010 for the same or similar misconduct alleged in this First Amended Complaint. Because they were sued at least twice before entering into the Agreement with Plaintiff, Defendants knew that their representations were false.

118. The complaint filed against V. Reddy by the U.S. Trustee provides further evidence that Defendants had been engaging in a years-long scheme of defrauding clients such as Plaintiff so that by the time Defendants were discussing the business opportunities with Plaintiff, Defendants had actual knowledge that they would not or could not honor the Agreement.

119. Plaintiffs are informed and believe, and based thereon allege, that the relationship
between and among Weinstein, V. Reddy and Brown caused them all to know that all of the
representations they made to Plaintiff were false at the time the representations were made.
120. Defendants made such representations in order to induce Plaintiff to pay to Defendants
\$75,000.00 as a down payment. Plaintiff would not have entered into its contract with Medasset
and it would not have paid \$75,000 if not for Defendants' misrepresentations.

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121. Plaintiff justifiably relied upon such representations to its detriment. Plaintiff's reliance was justified due to the marketing materials provided to them by Defendants and due to the purported but fraudulent reference provided by V. Reddy before Plaintiff entered into the Agreement.

122. Plaintiff has been directly and proximately damaged in relying on such representations in an amount to be proven at trial but at least \$75,000.

123. Defendants conduct was fraudulent as defined by NRS 42.001, thereby entitling Plaintiff to recover punitive damages.

THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

FOR CONSPIRACY TO COMMIT FRAUD

(Against All Defendants and Does 1-30)

124. Plaintiff repeats the prior allegations of this First Amended Complaint and incorporates them herein by reference as if set forth in full.

125. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants agreed among themselves to form the corporate defendants and to use the corporate defendants to engage in the misconduct discussed in this First Amended Complaint. Plaintiffs are further informed and believe, and based thereon allege, that Defendants agreed among themselves that, to further and facilitate their scheme, that they would use different corporate parties in different locations and that the individual defendants would switch roles in different locations and with different targets.

126. Plaintiff's belief concerning the conspiracy is based on their review of the lawsuits filed against Weinstein and V. Reddy, the ABC News 6 article, the testimony provided by V. Reddy and the complaint filed by the Bankruptcy Trustee against V. Reddy. Plaintiff also relies on its own experience with Defendants, when V. Reddy was first introduced as an outside, independent reference and then reintroduced as Defendants' trainer.

participated in the conspiracy. V. Reddy testified under oath that M. Reddy was also working for Weinstein and was Weinstein's "silent partner." 128. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant Brown participated in the conspiracy. Brown has worked for and/or held himself out as working for Tannenbaum & Milask (owned by Weinstein) and also claimed to have worked for Visionary. Furthermore, Brown posted the initial listing for the new business and was the first person that Plaintiff spoke to concerning the Accounts and the new business. 129. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendants M. Thalmarla and Max Global participated in the conspiracy. These defendants helped conceal proceeds Defendants obtained from their illegal activities and assisted V. Reddy in attempting to perpetrate a fraud on the Bankruptcy Court. 130. Plaintiffs have been harmed by the conspiracy and suffered damages in an amount to be determined at trial but at least \$75,000. Defendants conduct was fraudulent as defined by NRS 42.001, thereby entitling Plaintiff 131. to recover punitive damages.

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FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION

Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that defendant M. Reddy

FOR DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES

(Against All Defendants and Does 1-40)

132. Plaintiff repeats the prior allegations of this First Amended Complaint and incorporates them herein by reference as if set forth in full.

133. NRS 598.0915 defines conduct that is considered to be a deceptive trade practice.

134. NRS 598.0915(3) provides that a person engages in a deceptive trade practice when the person "[k]knowingly makes a false representation as to affiliation, connection, association with or certification by another person."

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135. NRS 598.0915(15) provides that a person engages in a deceptive trade practice when the person "[k]nowingly makes any other false representation in a transaction."

136. Plaintiffs are informed and believe, and based thereon allege, that Defendants' misconduct as alleged in this First Amended Complaint is a deceptive trade practice as defined by NRS 598.0915.

137. In connection with their advertisement and promotion of the "business opportunity," Defendants made representations regarding the value of the Accounts, the number of Accounts that they would provide to Plaintiff and specifically, the monies Plaintiff would collect from such accounts should they purchase the business system. In particular, Defendants orally represented to Plaintiff during a series of phone calls (1) that they would provide Plaintiff with 60 clients for Medical Claims Appeal work and 30 clients for Medical Insurance Credentialing work, (2) that Plaintiff will earn a monthly profit of \$13,048 for medical appeals, (3) that Plaintiff will earn an annual profit of \$15,000 for insurance credentialing work, (4) that Defendants had no other sales agreements to fulfill and (5) that Defendants had a high degree of success and customer satisfaction.

138. In the Agreement, Defendants represented that Defendants owned "valid and marketable legal and beneficial title to the Assets and the Modules, which are free and clear of all liens, claims, encumbrances and security interests."

139. In the Agreement, Defendants also represented, "Litigation: There is no action, suit, proceedings."

140. Defendants knew that all of their oral and written representations to Plaintiff were false when they made them. Weinstein was sued in Georgia in 2013 and V. Reddy was sued in Michigan in 2010 for the same or similar misconduct alleged in this First Amended Complaint. Because they were sued at least twice before entering into the Agreement with Plaintiff, Defendants knew that their representations were false.

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141. Plaintiffs are informed and believe, and based thereon allege, that they have suffered harm as a direct result of Defendants' deceptive trade practices.

FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

FOR VIOLATION OF THE NEVADA CIVIL RICO STATUTE

(Against All Defendants and Does 1-50)

142. Plaintiff repeats the prior allegations of this First Amended Complaint and incorporates them herein by reference as if set forth in full.

143. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants' conduct as discussed in this Complaint constitutes racketeering activities as defined in NRS 207.390 and a racketeering enterprise as defined in NRS 207.380.

144. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants directly participated in a conspiracy with one another to commit at least two crimes related to racketeering.

145. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants' activities have the same or similar pattern, intent, results, victims and methods of commission so that they are not isolated events.

146. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Defendants acquired or maintained an interest in and/or control over the racketeering enterprise discussed in this First Amended Complaint.

147. Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon allege, that the damage they suffered directly results from, and was proximately caused by, Defendants' violation of NRS 207.400.

148. As a result of Defendants' misconduct, Plaintiff is entitled to treble damages pursuant to NRS 207.470(1).

WHEREFORE PLAINTIFF PRAYS FOR RELIEF AS FOLLOWS:

For compensatory damages in an amount to be determined at trial but at least \$75,000;
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1	2. For punitive damages in an amount to be determined at trial;				
2	3. F	For pre-judgment interest;			
3	4. F	For treble damages;			
4 5	5. F	For costs of suit; and			
6	6. F	6. For such other relief as the Court deems just and proper.			
7	I	Dated this 27th of August, 2019.			
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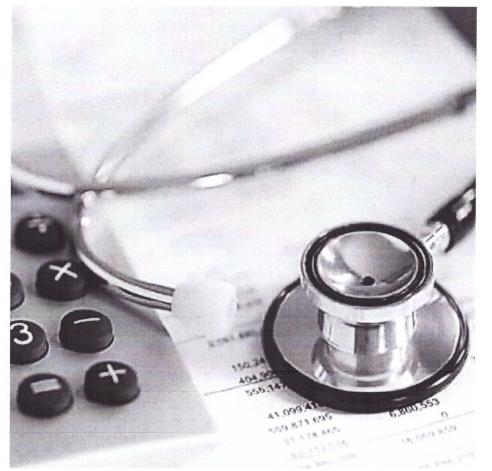
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Asking Price: \$135,000 **Gross Revenue:** \$300,000 Cash Flow: \$155,000 (Seller's Discretionary Earnings) **EBITDA:** Not Disclosed Inventory: Not Disclosed FF&E: Not Disclosed **Real Estate:** Not Disclosed

Business Description

This company has two departments:

First : This company negotiates contracts on behalf of medical offices between insurance companies and government payers to get the medical offices in the payers networks. (Credentialing)

Second: This company also handles denied claims from insurance companies and resubmits and/ appeals the denied claims.

EXHIBIT 1

Over 30 separate offices Medical Credentialing-

Over 60 separate offices for Medical Appeals

About the Business

Year Established:	2014
Number of Employees:	3
Relocatable:	Yes
Home Based:	Yes
Facilities:	completely turn key, all systems in place
Market Outlook/ Competition:	growing health care services field

About the Sale

Reason For Selling:	contact owner
Training/Support:	seller will train for a smooth transition.
Seller Financing:	78K required.

Listing Info

ID:	1374944

Ad Detail Views:

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The information on this listing has been provided by either the seller or a business broker representing the seller. BizQuest has no interest or stake in the sale of this business and has not verified any of the information and assumes no responsibility for its accuracy, veracity, or completeness. See our full Terms & Conditions.

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Exhibit 2

MEDASSET MANAGEMENT CORPORATION

A Complete Medical Solution

Medical Appeals Management

& Medical Credentialing



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Executive Summary

MEDASSET MANAGEMENT CORPORATION

A Complete Medical Solution

Medical Appeals Management & Medical Credentialing

Category: Medical Services



1401-L Route 130 S. Suite 343 Cinnaminson, NJ 08077 Medasset Management Corporation is presenting this business start-up opportunity in conjunction with expanding their national network. The opportunity arises from the Seller's extensive experience in the medical

administrative services industry. From a virtual office template, the unit buyer will operate a medical appeals service business. No medical experience is necessary and all the tools, training, support and clients necessary for positive cash flow are provided by Medasset Management Corporation.

Limited Units Available

This business opportunity for sale is a book of business contracts with Health Care Providers to support their Practices. This company supports health care providers' offices by performing their medical appeals and credentialing. Included with your purchase of this business are the necessary software and training. In addition, Medasset Management Corporation will introduce you to supporting vendors if you choose to use them.

Background and Overview

Medasset Management Corporation was established to offer collection, debt medical billing, medical medical medical transcriptions, and appeals management to clients/health care providers. All clients/health care providers are under 100% transferable service agreements. Business owners are offered the opportunity to affiliate with Medasset Management Corporation and to purchase access to the proven state-of-the-art, industry-leading software and training in a system that uses a proprietary streamlined approach. As you are being trained in your new business and becoming familiar with the systems for a discipline, Corporation Medasset Management provides the clients/health care providers to you under their transferable service agreement to fill your "books of business" in the discipline you purchase. Once these service agreements are transferred, the client/health care provider relationship is yours to 'own' and manage indefinitely.

Get a clear and direct approach to profitability with the ability to grow and expand in the health care field. Pairing this with the successful training methods and backup resources makes you uniquely prepared and qualified to enter the health care industry and become a profitable service provider in your own business. Each discipline has its own unique and proprietary system for you to follow with support provided by Medasset Management Corporation.

Never before has there been a package that encompasses so much with no marketing or sales activity required from the owner to reach profitability. No need for health industry background.

All training is received via standard web-based systems . . . no travel expenses.

Access to industry leading software and systems is supplied with your purchase.

You bill and get paid directly by your clients/health care providers.

Medasset Management Corporation provides the buyer with all the tools, software, training and equipment to allow the buyer to succeed in the exploding field of health care.

The business owner has total flexibility as they design their business enterprise. In addition, the business owner may elect to add additional units at a later date. The initial `book of business' for each unit is provided by Medasset Management Corporation from the continuing flow of new clients generated by its medical client level sales and marketing efforts. The new business owner is provided a guaranteed client base with no marketing effort of their own. As each purchased unit matures, additional units can be acquired from the company's resources on a fee based arrangement, or the owner may develop their own client generating referral programs.

This business model success is based on delivering the absolute highest level of customer satisfaction. Therefore, it is important for the new business owner to grow the business as quickly as possible to provide cash flow and to fully comprehend any and all nuances of satisfying the clients/health care providers to be serviced in any discipline. This is very much a relationship business managed primarily electronically via data or voice without face-to-face contact between the business owner and his/hers geographically disbursed clients/health care providers. Each unit will be filled with a diverse group of clients so the business owner will have a broad scope, not only geographically – but in range of types of practices as well.

By utilizing Medasset Management Corporation, you can take advantage of the benefits that were once only available to multi-million dollar companies. Small and large unit buyers alike can benefit from our streamline approach. Below are just some of the benefits:

Have a clear and direct approach to profitability.

Medasset Management Corporation will hold seller financing (if approved) for a vested interest in your success.

All client/doctor contracts are 100% transferable and once transferred to you, you own the contracts outright.

Medical practice cancellation guarantee* (see contract provisions).

Medical Appeals Management

With health quidelines new insurance and policies implemented, there are a growing number of claims that are being denied for various reasons, and claims in need of appeal. These processes can be time consuming to the medical practice making it a premium service in order to maximize a medical practice's revenue. Increasing numbers of claims are coming back as either denied or requiring more information and due to all the changes in the industry, many practices simply do not have the time or resources to devote to claim fixes. This is an opportunity for the Unit Buyer to not only help these practices increase their profit and success with their claims submission, but an opportunity also for the Unit Buyer to generate a sound income while also creating the opportunity to cross sell other available disciplines.

Medasset Management will introduce the buyer to industry specific software to maximize your profit. The buyer can then enter into contracts with that company. The client/doctor will forward the office's denied claims or claims appeals to the Buyer. The Buyer will then follow-up on each claim provided and liaison with the insurance companies, TPA, Self-Funded plans, etc. in order to get the claim paid.

Under the units' contract, Medasset Management will provide the business owner over a reasonable time period a client/doctor base capable of providing the estimated annualized cash flow as noted in the attached documents. The business owner will be solely responsible for the ongoing customer service relationship with his/her clients/doctors.

<u>Medical Claim Resubmission & Denial Management,</u> <u>once your contract is fulfilled *</u>

Number of clinics per your contract: 60 Average # of claims per client/doctor: 30 Average claim amount: \$450 Average contingency: 9.9% Average success rate: 25% Average Revenue Monthly: \$ 20,048 Average Overhead Monthly: \$7,000 Average Profit Monthly: \$13,048 After all contracts are fulfilled*

Medical Credentialing

In addition to medical appeals work, Medasset Management Corporation also provides 30 clinics who request credentialing services. Credentialing is a service provided to a clinic, where the doctor is currently out-of-network with an insurance carrier and would like to become part of the network. Clinics generally receive more patients when they are part of an insurance company's network, hence more income.

Medasset Management Corporation will attract clinics who are seeking this service. It should be noted that insurance credentialing is typically a one-time activity that results in the clinic A) becoming part of the network, or B) the clinic being placed on a waiting list for potential inclusion in the future, or C) the clinic's application being denied. Regardless of the outcome, payment will be required by the clinic for the work completed. Any referrals, cross-selling, or other services sold to the clinic is also part of the value package the Unit Buyer will enjoy.

<u>Medical Credentialing, once your</u> <u>contract is fulfilled *</u> Number of clinics per your contract: 30 Average # of insurance panels requested: 3 Average charge per panel credentialing: \$200 Average Revenue: \$18,000 Average Overhead per clinic: \$100 Total Projected Profit: \$15,000 After all contracts are fulfilled*

SELLING MEMORANDUM

MEDICAL CLAIMS RESUBMISSION & DENIAL SOLUTIONS

60 Doctors / Practices under contract for medical appeals work

30 Doctors / Practices requesting credentialing services

Relocatable

Seller provides two weeks training

Access to software provided at no charge

The information, material and judgments have been prepared by the Seller. While Visionary Business Brokers believes this document to be accurate, no warranty is implied, expressed or provided. Recast statements, comments of future potential, and financial projections are based on the assumptions that must be reasonably verified by the reader.

Exhibit 3

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHTENAW

ANTHONY E. HOLMES,

Plaintiff,

v.

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VIJAY REDDY,

Defendant.

JOHN M. PERRIN, PC JOHN M. PERRIN (P43352) Attorney for Plaintiff 27735 Jefferson Ave. St. Clair Shores, MI 48081 586-773-9500 Fax: 586-773-3475 johnmperrin@sbcglobal.net

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There is no other matter pending or resolved in this or any other court of competent jurisdiction between these parties and which arises out of the transactions and

occurrences alleged herein. John M. Perrin (P43352) **COMPLAINT** AND DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL

NOW COMES the Plaintiff, by and through his attorney, John M. Perrin, PC and for his

Complaint states as follows;

Jurisdiction

1. The Plaintiff, Anthony E. Holmes is a resident of the State of Texas.

 The Defendant Vijay Reddy is a resident of the State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw, City of Ypsilanti.

3. The underlying facts giving rise to this cause of action occurred within the State of Michigan, County of Washtenaw.

4. Jurisdiction and venue are properly laid with this Court.

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GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

5. During the summer of 2008, the Defendant Reddy began soliciting through advertisements in newspapers for the sale of what he referred to as "assets"; these assets were represented to by medical billing contracts which Reddy represented would generate revenue through debt collections.

6. Essentially, Defendant Reddy was representing that he was in the medical billing/collection business, collecting medical debts for doctors throughout the United States through a corporation called "National Billing Company, Inc." which he represented was a "non-profit" corporation registered with the State of Delaware.

7. After Plaintiff responded to Reddy's add, Reddy represented to Plaintiff that he would sell Plaintiff bundles of medical billing contracts which Reddy claimed were assets held by his corporation, National Billing Company, Inc.

8. During several discussions Reddy described the financial benefits and mechanisms through which Plaintiff would receive passive income by utilizing Ann Sinha of Katonia Tech Solutions to process the claims. According to Reddy, Plaintiff would be able to charge \$2.99 for each claim collected and would split that fee with Sinha.

9. Based upon these representations, Plaintiff and Reddy entered into an "Agreement for the Purchase and Sale of Certain Business Assets of National Billing

Corporation" (herein after referred to as the "Asset Agreement") on September 30, 2008. (Attached Exhibit 1).

10. According to the terms of the Asset Agreement, Reddy would transfer to Plaintiff 20 medical billing contracts that would generate gross revenue of ten thousand five hundred (\$10,500.00) dollars per month. Reddy also guaranteed that these medical billing contracts would generate a minimum of 7,000 in claims per month.

11. After receiving Plaintiff's initial payment of fifty thousand dollars, Reddy represented that he began transferring the medical billing claims to Sinha/Katonia Tech Solutions.

12. In exchange for the "assets" Plaintiff paid Reddy seventy five thousand (\$75,000.00) dollars total in two payments. The last payment of twenty five thousand (\$25,000.00) was made by Plaintiff on December 8, 2009.

13. By December 8, 2009, the "*assets*" sold to Plaintiff and supposedly transferred to Sinha/Katonia had generated no revenues for Plaintiff but Reddy continued to provide assurances that revenues were in fact being generated and would shortly be recieved.

14. At or around this time, Reddy suggested to Plaintiff that he would be willing to sell Plaintiff his entire company, National Billing Corporation, Inc. (herein after referred to as "*NBC*"). Reddy proposed that this sale would be a sale of 100% of Reddy's stock in this company.

15. Defendant Reddy made numerous representations about NBC to Plaintiff to induce him to purchase the company, including;

- a. That for a "*marketing cost*" of \$40,000.00 per month, 40 new medical billing contracts would be generated each month;
- b. That "this [business] model has been tested for the last 2 years successfully";

- c. That NBC was a profitable company;
- d. That "The company employs a handful of employees, who are able to attract more American based medical billing contracts and medical debt collection contracts than any other billing or collection company in the world, including publicly traded companies."
- e. That the company's success was due to "the unique marketing formula, which would be transferred to the new owner" generating monthly income of at least Forty seven thousand (\$47,000.00) each month.
- f. Reddy represented that as part of the sale Plaintiff would receive NBC's "website, software, marketing methodology, trade secrets, future cash flow, existing unfulfilled contracts, all mailing lists, customer lists, past, present, and future relationships with subcontractors, buyers of contracts, marketing consultants, and raw material vendors."
- g. That the company's "unique marketing methodology" would generate "more doctors (medical billing contracts) then you can handle..."
- h. That NBC had no liabilities whatsoever and had operated on as "100% cash based business, with no loans or credit" obligations; meaning the company ws debt free, and;
- i. That Reddy and his employees would not compete with NBC for a period of five years.

16. Between January 1, 2009 and February 5, 2009, Defendant Reddy introduced Plaintiff to David Weinstein who Reddy represented was the prior owner of NBC and who would vouch for the profitability of the company.

17. Based upon the representation of Defendant Reddy, on February 5, 2009, Plaintiff entered into a second contract with Reddy, a "*Stock Purchase Agreement*". (Exhibit 2).

18. According to the Stock Purchase Agreement Reddy represented that the Stock value of the Seller includes "website, software, marketing methodology, trade secrets, future cash flow, existing unfulfilled contracts, all mailing lists, customer lists, past, present, and

future relationships with subcontractors, buyers of contracts, marketing consultants, and raw material vendors."

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19. Reddy represented to Plaintiff that he would apply the previously received seventy five thousand (\$75,000.00) dollars and would accept an additional one hundred twenty five thousand (\$125,000.00) for Reddy's 100% stock interest in NBC.

20. In total, Plaintiff had paid Defendant Reddy two hundred thousand (\$200,000.00) dollars for the stock and assets Reddy claimed he was selling to Plaintiff.

21. After receiving an additional one hundred twenty five thousand (\$125,000.00) dollars from Plaintiff on February 5, 2009, Defendant Reddy failed to transfer any of the "assets" he had claimed represented the value of the stock. Plaintiff never received the website, software, marketing methodology, trade secrets, or mailing lists.

22. After the sale was completed, Plaintiff questioned Defendant Reddy regarding irregularities about the sources of income and documentation for deductions. Defendant Reddy then represented that he was unable and/or unwilling to provide back up for the financial records of the company.

23. Following the stock sale, Plaintiff repeatedly requested the prior years tax returns.

24. Contrary to the representations made by Defendant Reddy, Plaintiff learned that NBC was not a profitable company at all nor was it without debt. In addition, its status as a non-profit company was at best questionable.

25. After paying Defendant Reddy for the stock and "assets" of NBC, Plaintiff made several discoveries including that NBC's website was not owned by NBC; it was owned by David Weinstein.

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26. After Plaintiff demanded the "software" that Defendant Reddy had touted as being part of the sale, Defendant Reddy informed Plaintiff that "there is no software".

27. Following payment by Plaintiff, Defendant Reddy also told Plaintiff that the "unique marketing methodology" was to hire David Weinstien to perform the marketing function.

28. As it was then disclosed by Defendant Reddy, the "marketing methodology" required paying David Weinstein forty thousand (\$40,000.00) dollars per month.

29. Subsequent to the stock sale, Plaintiff learned that Defendant Reddy and David Weinstein had incorporated another entity in Nevada called "National Billing Corporation" on November 14, 2008.

30. As discovered by Plaintiff following the fraudulent stock sale, NBC was in fact a sham corporation with no assets, no profitability, numerous liabilities and a questionable designation as a non-profit corporation under Delaware law.

31. In sum, Defendant Reddy, with others, engaged in a "confidence scheme" intended to defraud Plaintiff out of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

COUNT I

FRAUD, FRAUD IN THE INDUCEMENT RECISSION

32. Plaintiff repeats by reference the preceding paragraphs by reference herein.

33. At all times relevant to this action, Defendant Reddy made representations to Plaintiff intending Plaintiff to rely upon those representations when entering into the two contracts described herein.

34. At all times relevant Defendant Reddy knew or should have known that the representations he and his agents were making to Plaintiff were misleading and/or deliberately false.

35. Plaintiff did rely upon Defendant Reddy's representations and in reliance thereon paid Reddy two hundred thousand (\$200,000.00) dollars.

36. As a direct and proximate cause, Plaintiff has been damage in that he has been defrauded of his money in the means set forth herein.

37. Based upon the intentional or reckless misrepresentations made by Defendant Reddy the two agreements at issue here are void and/or voidable.

38. Based upon the intentional and/or reckless misrepresentations made by Defendant Reddy Plaintiff is entitled to the return of the money taken by Defendant Reddy.

Wherefore, Plaintiff respectfully requests that this honorable Court enter Judgment in favor of this Plaintiff rescinding the contracts and entering an award of damages in an amount in excess of \$25,000.00 with reasonable attorney fees, costs, interest wrongfully incurred.

COUNT II

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BREACH OF CONTRACT

39. Plaintiff repeats by reference the preceding paragraphs as if fully set forth herein.

40. Plaintiff entered into two contracts with Defendant Reddy through which Reddy represented that various assets would be sold to Plaintiff.

41. Plaintiff conveyed to Defendant Reddy the purchase price required for the transfer of the assets promised.

42. Defendant Reddy did not transfer the assets promised and/or the assets were not as represented under the terms of the agreements.

43. Defendant Reddy's conduct as described in herein constitutes a breach of the agreements between the parties.

44. Plaintiff has been damaged in the amount of \$200,000.00 as well as suffering lost profits, incurring additional costs, attorney fees and other damages as a consequence of Defendant's breach.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff requests that this honorable Court enter judgment in Plaintiff's favor in an amount in excess of \$25,000.00 plus interest, reasonable attorney fees and costs wrongfully incurred.

COUNT III

UNJUST ENRICHMENT

45. Plaintiff repeats by reference herein the preceding paragraphs.

46. On the dates set forth herein the Defendant Reddy made certain promises to Plaintiff regarding the transfer of assets that were represented as having value to Plaintiff.

47. Defendant's promise was clear, definite and unequivocal and was specifically made to induce Plaintiff to render Plaintiff's performance, to wit, payment of two hundred thousand (\$200,000.00) dollars.

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48. In reliance upon the promises made by Defendant, and to his substantial detriment, Plaintiff performed all that was expected of him.

49. Despite Plaintiff's repeated requests and demands, Defendant has failed to transfer the assets promised and/or to return Plaintiff's money.

50. As a direct and proximate result of Defendnat's failure to perform, Plaintiff has suffered damages in excess of \$25,000.00.

51. Defendant has been unjustly enriched as a result of his actions.

52. Plaintiff is entitled to a judgment of this Court compelling Defendant to return his money unjustly received from Plaintiff along with costs, attorney fees and interest.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff respectfully requests that this honorable Court enter Judgment in his favor and order that Defendant return Plaintiff's money unjustly received and award Plaintiff attorney fees, costs, interest and any and all other damages this honorable Court deems just and fair.

<u>COUNT IV</u>

EXEMPLARY DAMAGES

53. Plaintiff incorporates by reference the preceding paragraphs as if set forth herein.

54. Defendant's representations were made intentionally and maliciously and have caused Plaintiff to suffer humiliation, outrage and indignation.

55. Defendant's conduct was intentional, improper, intended to defraud plaintiff and was at all times malicious and therein has cause Plaintiff to suffer harm in excess of what can be

compensated by ordinary damages, including mental anguish, stress, loss of sleep, and other emotional injuries which were and are the natural consequences of Defendant's actions.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Requests that this honorable Court enter judgment in his favor and against Defendant and award the following damages;

- a. Compensatory damages in an amount that is in excess of \$25,000.00 and that is sufficient to compensate Plaintiff for his actual, consequential and incidental losses sustained as a result of Defendant's wrongful actions.
- Exemplary damages in and amount in excess of \$25,000.00 resulting from
 Defendants intentional and malicious actions.
- c. Interest, costs and reasonable attorney fees.

Respectfully Submitted;

John M. Perrin (P43352) Attorney for Plaintiff 27735 Jefferson Ave. St. Clair Shores, MI 48081 (586) 773-9500

Dated: February 17, 2010

AGREEMENT for the PURCHASE and SALE of CERTAIN BUSINESS ASSETS of National Billing Corporation

THIS AGREEMENT, made effective this 30th day of September, 2008, in the State of Michigan, and the County of Washtenaw.

WHEREAS, <u>Tony Holmes</u> or a corporate nominee (hereinafter known as "Buyer"), and National Billing Corporation, a Delaware Corporation, whose office is located at 110 W. 9th Street, Suite 302, Wilmington, DE 19801 (hereinafter known as "Seller) wishes to sell, and Buyer wishes to buy certain assets of National Billing Corporation (hereinafter known as the "Business") the following applies:

The total purchase price for the assets described below will be a total of \$100,000 US (One-hundred thousand dollars and 00/xx). The payments will be as follows: Upon signing this contract, the Buyer will give the Seller a check in the amount of \$50,000 US (Fifty-Thousand dollars and 00/xx) towards the purchase price of the assets and promises as described below of Seller. Upon the acquisition of 10 medical billing contracts, Buyer will tender an additional check in the amount \$25,000 US (Twenty-five thousand dollars and 00/xx) to Seller. Upon the acquisition of a total of 20 clients, the final payment of \$25,000 US (Twenty-five thousand dollars and 00/xx) will be made to Seller.

Total purchase includes 20 medical billing contracts, where a <u>minimum</u> average of 7000 claims per month is received.

If the total average number of claims does not rise to a minimum of 7000 claims per month, after 20 clients have been assigned, then Seller will continue to provide additional clients until such a minimum is reached.

Seller will not receive any ongoing commissions, wages, franchise fees, or other accoutrements from Buyer after the total of \$100,000 has been paid. Seller will not independently contact clients after they have been assigned to Buyer, without the permission of Buyer.

Buyer will acquire on its own, a computer, high-speed Internet connection, a fax machine, and any other relevant items necessary for medical billing. Seller will provide a means to submit medical claims through the Internet.

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Seller will replace any lost clients (if at no fault of the Buyer, including but not limited to, not submitting claims within 48 hours, poor customer service, altering the contract, diverting checks, etc.) within 1 year of placement. Seller will have sole discretion in determining the cause of losing a client.

Furthermore, Buyer will have the option to purchase an additional 8000 claims (for a total of 15,000 claims). Buyer must exercise this option by February 1st, 2009, in writing. If the option is exercised, the following terms will apply:

The total purchase price of any claims through the option will be \$100,000 US (One-hundred thousand dollars and 00/xx). The payments will be as follows: Upon exercising the option, the Buyer will give the Seller a check in the amount of \$50,000 US (Fifty-Thousand dollars and 00/xx) towards the purchase price of the assets and promises as described below of Seller. Upon the acquisition of 13 medical billing contracts (under the option), Buyer will tender an additional check in the amount \$25,000 US (Twenty-five thousand dollars and 00/xx) to Seller. Upon the acquisition of 12 more clients (a total of 25 clients under the option), the final payment of \$25,000 US (Twenty-five thousand dollars and 00/xx) will be made to Seller. If the total average number of claims does not rise to a minimum 15,000 claims per month, then additional medical billing contracts will be provided until such a minimum is reached.

Witness our Hands and Seals this 30th day of September, 2008.

STOCK PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This Stock Purchase Agreement, dated as of February 4, 2009 (hereinafter referred to as "Agreement") is entered into by and among the Seller, Vijay Reddy, (hereinafter referred to as the "Seller",) National Billing Corporation (hereinafter referred to a the "Company") and Tony Holmes (hereinafter referred to as the "Purchaser"). The parties, intending to be legally bound, hereto as follows:

- Sale of Common Stock. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, Seller agrees to sell and the Company agrees to transfer and the Purchaser agrees to purchase from Vijay Reddy an aggregate of 2000 shares of Seller's Common Stock (the "Shares") at the purchase price of \$75.00 (Seventy-Five dollars US) per share. This 2000 shares represents 100% of shares available of the Company.
 - a) All partles acknowledge only a medical billing and marketing system is being sold. No other assets other than those relevant to medical billing and a medical marketing system for medical billing contracts are relevant to this agreement.
 - b) Stock value of the Seller includes website, software, marketing methodology, trade secrets, future cash flow, existing unfulfilled contracts, all mailing lists, customer lists, past, present, and future relationships with subcontractors, buyers of contracts, marketing consultants, and raw material vendors.
- 2. Payment of Purchase Price. The purchase price of the Shares is \$150,000 (One Hundred Fifty thousand dollars US). \$125,000 (One hundred twenty-five thousand dollars US) shall be paid by certified check at the time of the execution of this document and the balance of \$25,000 (Twenty-five thousand dollars US) will be paid and guaranteed by National Billing

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Corporation as per the Note and Security Agreement, which are attached.

- 3. Representations and Warranties of Seller. Seller hereby represents and warrants to Purchaser that, the statements contained in the following paragraphs of this Section 4 are all true and correct as of the Closing Date:
 - a) Organization and Standing. Articles and Bylaws. Seller is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Delaware and Michigan and has all requisite corporate power and authority to carry on its business as now conducted.
 - b) Corporate Power. Seller has all requisite legal and corporate power to enter into, execute and deliver this Agreement and the Warrant. This Agreement, and upon issuance, the Warrant will be valid and binding obligations of Company, enforceable in accordance with their terms, except as may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium, and other laws of general application affecting the enforcement of creditors rights.

c) Authorization.

- Corporation Action. All corporate and legal action on the part of Seller, its officers, directors, and shareholders necessary for the execution and delivery of this Agreement, the sale and issuance of the Shares.
- 2) Valid Issuance. The Shares issued will be validly issued and will be free of any liens, encumbrances; provided however, that the Securities may be subject to restrictions on transfer under state

and/or federal securities laws as set forth herein, and as may be required by future changes in such laws.

d) Government Consent Etc. No Consent, approval, order or authorization of, or designation, registration, declaration or filing with, any federal, state, local or other governmental authority on the part of the Seller is required in connection with the valid execution and delivery of, this Agreement, sale or issuance of the Securities, other than, if required, filings or qualifications under the Delaware Corporate Securities Law or other applicable Blue Sky Laws, which filings or qualifications, if required, will be timely filed or obtained by Seller.

- 4. Representation and Warranties by Purchaser. Purchaser represents and warrants to Seller as of the Closing Date as follows:
 - Investment Intent: Authority. This Agreement is made a) with Purchaser in reliance upon Purchaser's representation to Seller, evidenced by Purchaser's execution of this Agreement, that Purchaser is acquiring the Securities for investment for Purchaser's own account, not as a nominee or agent, for investment and not with a view to, or for resale in connection with, any distribution or public offering thereof, within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, (the "Securities Act") or the California Law. Purchaser has the full right, power, authority and capacity to enter into and perform this Agreement and the Agreement will constitute a valid and binding obligation upon Purchaser, except as the same may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium, and other laws of general application affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights.

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b) Transfer Restrictions. Purchaser covenants that in no event will it sell, transfer, dilute or otherwise dispose of any of the Securities without the express written consent of Mr. Vijay Reddy or until full satisfaction of the remaining \$25,000 which shall be paid by September 15, 2009.

c) Indemnification. Seller will indemnify any past acts or omissions with regard to the Stock Purchase including, but not limited to tax liability, and Purchaser will indemnify for all post sale acts and omissions.

5. Legends. Seller will place the following legends on each certificate representing Securities:

The Securities represented hereby have not been registered under the Securities Act of 1933 as amended ("ACT") or any applicable state securities laws ("Blue Sky Laws"). Any transfer of such securities will be invalid unless a registration statement under the ACT or as required by Blue Sky Laws is in effect as to such transfer or in the opinion of counsel satisfactory to the Seller such registration is unnecessary in order for such transfer to comply with the ACT of Blue Sky Laws.

6. Miscellaneous.

- (a) Waivers and Amendments. Any provision of this Agreement may be amended, waived or modified upon the written consent of Mr. Vijay Reddy and Purchaser.
- (b) Governing Law. This Agreement, and all actions arising out of or in connection with this Agreement,

shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Michigan, without regard to the conflicts of law provisions of any other state. The parties acknowledge and agree that the exclusive venue and jurisdiction of any dispute arising out of this Agreement shall be a federal or state court located in the County of Washtenaw in the State of Michigan.

- (c) Entire Agreement. This Agreement, together with the exhibits attached hereto, constitute the full and entire understanding and agreement between the parties with regard to the subjects hereof and thereof.
- (d) Survival. The representations, warranties, covenants, and agreements made herein shall survive the execution and delivery of this Agreement.

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- (e) Notices, etc. Any notice request or other communication required or permitted hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given (i) upon receipt of personally delivered (ii) three (3) days after being mailed by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, or (iii) one day after being sent by recognized overnight courier or by facsimile, if to Purchaser at 618 Mesa Ridge, San Antonio, TX 78258 or such other address or number as Purchaser shall have furnished to Seller in writing or if to Seller at 3830 Packard Street, Suite 220, Ann Arbor, MI 48180 or at such other address or number as Seller shall have furnished to Purchaser in writing.
- (f) Validity. If any provision of this Agreement shall be judicially determined to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

- (g) Counterparts. The Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be an original, but all of which together shall be deemed to constitute on instrument.
- (h) The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the respective successors and assigns of the parties. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer upon any party other than the parties hereto or their respective successors and assigns any rights, remedies, obligations, or liabilities, under or by reason of this Agreement, except as expressly provided in this Agreement.
- (i) Non-Compete. The Seller owner(s) and employees agree not to compete for a period of 5 years in the medical billing business without the express written consent of the Purchaser. However, in case of default of this Agreement or its related Exhibits, the noncompete will become void. Recognizing the financial importance of this particular marketing system to this particular business, Seller will not disclose or disseminate without written consent of the Buyer.
- (j) Training and Transition. Seller will train Purchaser for a period of 60 days at no additional cost.
- (k) If Purchaser requests, after the 60 day transition period, Mr. Vijay Reddy can be hired as a consultant for the business at a rate of \$20/hour. At the option of the Purchaser, no monies need to be paid to Mr. Vijay Reddy until such time the Purchaser draws a salary or other payment for himself or one of his assigns. Specific assignments, hours to be worked, and requests will be mutually determined by Purchaser and Mr. Vijay Reddy.

WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be duly executed and delivered by their proper and duly authorized officers as of the date and year first written above.

Vijay Reddy, Seller Signature: Red 1j9y Name:

National Billing Corporation, Company NAY By:_ Signature: President Title:_

Tony Holmes, Purchaser:/ Signature: tous HOLMES TONY Name:

PROMISSORY NOTE

Twenty Five Thousand Dollars and 00/XX US.

Date: February 5, 2009

I, Tony Holmes, President, acting on behalf of National Billing Corporation, the undersigned, promises to pay to the order of Vijay Reddy, located at 3830 Packard Street, Suite 220, Ann Arbor, MI 48180, or his assigns, in lawful money of the Unites States of America, the principal sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US (\$25,000) dollars, to be repaid as follows: One lump sum payment of \$25,000 US (Twenty Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US) shall be paid no later than September 15, 2009.

DEFAULT: If the above lump sum payment is not received by September 15th, 2009, a default will occur.

Security and repayment provisions are also contained in a document entitled "Security Agreement" as set forth in "Exhibit B" attached hereto.

If default be made in the performance of or compliance with any of said events, said principal sum thereon shall become at once due and payable at the option of holder thereof, and be collectible without further notice. Failure to exercise this option shall not constitute a waiver of the right to exercise the same in the event of any subsequent default.

If this note be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection after the same shall for any reason become due, or if collected by legal proceedings or through the probate of bankrupt courts, then all cost of collection, including a reasonable sum for attorney fees shall be added hereto as attorney's fees secured and collectible as the principal hereof.

The undersigned agrees to remain and continue bound for the payment of the principal provided for under the terms of this note notwithstanding any extension or extensions of the time of, or for the payment of said principle, or any change or changes in the amount or amounts agreed to be paid under and by virtue of the obligation to pay provided for in this note and waive all and every kind of notice of such extension or extensions, change or changes, and agree that the same may be made without the joinder of the undersigned.

Each party understands that this is a legally binding document. Both parties have had full opportunity to consult legal counsel and receive legal advice of their choice with respect to this agreement before signing it, have read this agreement and fully understand it. This note carries no interest.

It is expressly agreed and declared that this note is given for an actual loan of twenty Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx (\$25,000.00).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the DEBTOR has hereunto set his hand this 5th day of February, 2009

Jone Ho Debtor:

National Billing Corporation,

Tony Holmes, President of National Billing Corporation

Witness:

Acknowledged

Vijay Reddy

Exhibit "B"

Security Agreement

This Agreement, made effective this 5th day of February, 2009 in the State of Michigan and the County of Washtenaw.

I, Tony Holmes, President, and acting on behalf of National Billing Corporation, Inc. located at 618 Mesa Ridge, San Antonio, TX 78258, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hereby grants to Vijay Reddy, located 3830 Packard Street, Suite 220, Ann Arbor, MI 48180, or his assigns, (hereinafter called "SECURED PARTY") a purchase money security interest in the following properties (hereinafter called "COLLATERAL"): and all of the records, customer lists, vendors, subcontractors, goodwill, inventory, name, marketing and trade secrets, website, and other non-tangible assets used in the operation of the Business known as National Billing Corporation, Inc. located at 3830 Packard Street, Suite 220, Ann Arbor, MI 48180 in the amount of the remaining balance due, as set forth hereto, to secure the payment of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US (\$25,000) dollars as provided in the said Promissory Note of DEBTOR to SECURED PARTY, direct or indirect, absolute or contingent, due or to become due, now existing or hereafter arising (all hereinafter called the "OBLIGATIONS").

DEBTOR hereby warrants and covenants:

- 1. That the COLLATERAL is used primarily for business use;
- 2. That the COLLATERAL shall be kept at the place of business; and the DEBTOR shall notify SECURED PARTY in writing of any change in the location of the COLLATERAL prior to such change, and the DEBTOR shall not remove the COLLATERAL from the country or countries in which the COLLATERAL is presumably located without the written consent of SECURED PARTY;

- 3. That should the addresses shown at the beginning of this agreement change, DEBTOR shall notify SECURED PARTY in writing of any change prior to such change;
- 4. That DEBTOR will permit SECURED PARTY, upon 30 days written notice, permission to inspect the ongoing operation at DEBTOR's location, including but not limited to the books and records as well as general operation.

DEBTOR further covenants and agrees that they will maintain insurance at all time with respect to all the COLLATERAL against such risks, in such amount, containing such terms, in such form, for such periods and written by such companies as may be satisfactory to SECURED PARTY, such insurance to be payable to SECURED PARTY and DEBTOR as their interest may appear, that at the request of the SECURED PARTY all policies of insurance shall be delivered to it and held by it, that SECURED PARTY may work directly with Insuring parties in obtaining, adjusting, settling, and cancelling such insurance and endorsing any drafts; that DEBTOR will promptly pay when due all taxes and assessments upon the COLLATERAL; that at its option SECURED PARTY may discharge taxes, liens, or security interests or other encumbrances at any time levied or placed on the COLLATERAL, may pay for insurance on the COLLATERAL; and may pay for the maintenance and preservation of the COLLATERAL; and that DEBTOR shall reimburse SECURED PARTY pursuant to the foregoing authorization.

DEBTOR shall keep the Franchise Fees, lease and/or mortgage payments on the business and premises current at all times. Should DEBTOR fail to do so, SECURED PARTY may declare DEBTOR to be in default and seek its remedies hereunder, and/or bring the lease payments current and add the amount of the principal balance remaining on the Note.

DEBTOR shall be free to transfer the COLLATERAL to any corporation in which the DEBTOR is the owner of at least two thirds (2/3) of the outstanding shares of stock, but any such transfer shall not be done in such manner so as to reduce the security of the SECURED PARTY in said assets, and SECURED PARTY may require personal guarantees from the DEBTOR. DEBTOR shall not transfer any of the COLLATERAL to any other person or entity without the SECURED PARTY'S consent.

DEBTOR shall be in default if DEBTOR fails to pay any part of the remaining \$25,000 when due as set forth in the agreement dated this day. SECURED PARTY shall give written notice to DEBTOR that they are in default and DEBTOR shall have ten (10) days to make payment from date of written notice. This means that if the DEBTOR does not pay the debt and other obligations of the agreement when due, the COLLATERAL may be sold, repossessed, and/or removed in order to satisfy the debt under the agreements. Further, should the DEBTOR be in default at anytime, any and all non-compete and/or no solicitation agreements become null and void at the time of default. In the event of any default in the payment of the **OBLIGATIONS** secured by this Agreement or the performance of any covenant contained herein; or if any warranty, representation, or statement made or furnished to SECURED PARTY by DEBTOR proves to have been false in any material respect when made or furnished then SECURED PARTY under the laws of the State of Michigan, including, without limitation thereto, the right to take possession of the COLLATERAL and for that purpose SECURED PARTY may enter upon any premises on which the COLLATERAL or any part thereof may be situated and remove the same therefore. DEBOT agrees, upon request of SECURED PARTY, to assemble the COLLATERAL and make it available to SECURED PARTY at a place designated by SECURED PARTY. Notice of the time and place of any public sale or of the time after which any private sale is made, when required by law, shall be deemed reasonable if given at least five (5) days before such sale. SECURED PARTY shall be entitled to reimbursement from DEBTOR for reasonable attorney's fees and costs incurred by SECURED PARTY in enforcing its rights hereunder.

The word DEBTOR, whenever used herein, shall be construed to mean and include the necessary grammatical changes required to make the provisions hereof apply to corporations or Individual, men or women, singular or plural, as though in each case fully expressed. The provisions hereof shall, as the case may require, bind or inure to the benefit of, the respective heirs, successors, legal representatives and assigns of DEBTOR and SECURED PARTY.

Each party to this agreement understands that this is a legally binding document. All parties have had full opportunity to consult legal counsel and receive legal advice of their choice with respect to the agreement before signing it, have read this agreement and fully understand it.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the DEBTOR has hereunto set his hand this 5th day of February, 2009

Jory Holm , PRESIDENT Debtor:

National Billing Corporation,

Tony Holmes, President of National Billing Corporation

Witness:

Acknowledged

Vijay Reddy

ADDENDUM TO CONTRACT DATED FEBRUARY 4, 2009

It is hereby stated and otherwise agreed that the following terms shall be applied to the stock purchase agreement dated February 4, 2009:

As part of this Agreement, and Addendum, Tony Holmes will void his agreement with regard to the block purchase dated on or about October 1, 2008, between him and National Billing Corporation that was signed an executed prior to this Stock Purchase Agreement. All clients as part of consideration of the Stock Purchase Agreement shall be assigned to Vijay Reddy individually.

Recognizing that Vijay Reddy will in turn work and sell this block of business, the restrictive covenant is hereby amended to allow Vijay Reddy to service and profit from the voided and assigned block of business described above. However, absence of this block, the full restrictive covenant will be deemed as in place and as written.

Vijay Reddy, Seller

nn Signature: 1911 Name: Date:

National Billing Corporation, Company Bv: Signature: Title:

Tony Holmes, Purchaser: Signature Name: 0114 tormes

Exhibit 4

WHEREAS Medasset Corporation (hereinafter known collectively as the "Seller"), and who has agreed to sell certain systems, assets, as well as intellectual property and where <u>Liberty Consulting & Management</u> <u>Services, LLC (on behalf of a company to be formed later</u>) (hereinafter known as "Buyer") agrees to buy certain systems, assets, as well as intellectual property, both parties agree to the following:

The purchase price will be \$125,000.00 US (One Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US). Buyer will give Seller \$75,000.00 US (Seventy Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US) and simultaneously execute a Promissory Note in the amount of \$50,000 US (Fifty Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US) at the time of signing this Agreement. The Promissory Note will not be due until 60 medical appeals clinics have been assigned and 30 medical credentialing applications have been requested..

The following are to be provided:

Medical Appeals: Seller will deliver, over the course of nine months from the date of signing this Agreement, 60 medical practices, whose total annual uncollected receivables will average a goal of \$5 million dollars annually.

Medical Credentialing: Seller will deliver, over the course of nine months from the date of signing this Agreement, 30 medical offices who are seeking credentialing services. Credentialing is defined as a service provided to a clinic, where the doctor is currently out-of-network with an insurance carrier and would like to become part of the network.

If Buyer does not reach \$5 million dollars in annual uncollected receivables or 30 medical offices who request credentialing services, after all other contract terms are satisfied, then the Sole Remedy will be as follows: Seller will provide a refund, not to exceed \$45,000 for any reason under the following formulas:

Medical appeals refund:

[1 - ((total uncollected revenue from the past 30 days*12) / \$5,000,000)] *45,000 = refund.

For clarity, if the total uncollected revenue for the past 30 days, 9 months from the date the Agreement is dually signed, is \$250,000, then the refund would be calculated as follows:

[1-((\$250,000*12) / \$5,000,000)]*45,000 = an \$18,000 refund.

Medical credentialing refund:

[1 - (Number of clients delivered / 30)] *45,000 = refund

For clarity, if the number of clients delivered is 20, then the refund would be calculated as follows:

[1 - (20/30)] *45,000 = a \$15,00 refund.

At the signing of this contract, Buyer agrees to the following performance guidelines including but not limited to:

Billing:

1. Buyer agrees to begin servicing all clients within 1 business day of receipt and assignment of any transferred contract.

2. Buyer agrees to abide by all contract provisions of the assigned contracts and the medical practices.

3. Buyer agrees not to illegally defer any money.

4. Buyer agrees to a high standard of customer service and to promptly return calls and all correspondence and contracts that were assigned to them.

5. Buyer agrees to accept all contracts assigned to them.

6. Buyer agrees to be trained for all systems, intellectual property and assets.

7. Buyer agrees to do all requisite follow-up and keep in touch with the client on a minimum of a weekly basis to continue to generate new claims to appeal and/or bill.

Credentialing:

1. Buyer agrees to begin servicing all clients within 1 business day of receipt and assignment of any transferred request for credentialing.

2. Buyer agrees to abide by all contract provisions of the assigned contracts/work and the medical practices.

3. Buyer agrees to promptly contact insurance carriers to begin the credentialing process. Buyer will conduct all requisite work and only ask the doctor to perform work that Buyer cannot legally do.

4. Buyer agrees to a high standard of customer service and to promptly return calls and all correspondence and contracts that were assigned to them.

5. Buyer agrees to accept all credentialing work assigned to them.

Seller hereby represents and agrees:

- 1. Corporate Status: Seller has been duly created, validity exists, and is in good standing.
- **<u>2.</u>** <u>**Title to Assets:**</u> Seller holds valid and marketable legal and beneficial title to the Assets and the Modules, which are free and clear of all liens, claims, encumbrances and security interests.
- 3. Litigation: There is no action, suit, proceedings.
- 4. Seller has the right and power to transfer clients to Buyer as contemplated herein. Seller's contracts with Clients permit the assignment of those contracts to Buyer.
- 5. Medical billing software and a clearinghouse to process claims will be made available at no charge to the Buyer with a minimum of 10 simultaneous users allowed to access the system. The software will have a User ID that is transferrable to Buyer. The User ID will allow for Buyer to file medical billing claims electronically at no charge.
- 6. No restrictions will be placed on Buyer to attract their own clients through their own marketing methods including, but not limited to, Request for Proposals, referrals, telesales, telemarketing, or personal sales. If any new clients are acquired and a contract is signed, Buyer may inform Seller, and Seller will remove that clinic from active solicitation.
- 7. Seller will not sell any other service to a clinic that is assigned to Buyer (exclusive). This restriction includes, but is not limited to, medical transcription, medical collection, medical billing, and answering services.

Terms:

Buyer will provide a wire transfer or certified check in the amount of \$75,000.00 US (Seventy Five Thousand Dollars and 00/xx US) at the time of execution of this agreement. Buyer will give equal monthly payments as per the Promissory Note, which calls for an amortization of 5 years with a 3-year balloon. <u>Debt service payments and interest on the debt service will begin after and only when 60 medical appeals clinics have been assigned and 30 medical credentialing applications have been requested.</u> The Agreement including all exhibits, constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and merges and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous agreements, understandings, negotiations, and discussions. Neither of the Parties will be bound by any conditions, definitions, warranties,

understandings, or representations with respect to the subject matter hereof other than as expressly provided herein. No oral explanations or oral information by either party hereto will alter the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement. The terms and conditions of this Agreement will prevail notwithstanding any different, conflicting or additional terms and conditions that may appear on any letter, email or other communication or other writing not expressly incorporated into this Agreement.

Training and Transition:

At no cost to the Buyer, the Seller will train and transition up to 2 consecutive weeks for medical billing. If additional training beyond the 2 weeks is required, or requested, Seller will provide up to 20 additional hours of training at no cost to the Buyer. These 20 additional hours may be spread out over the course of one year. Training shall not exceed 1 year from the signing of this agreement for any reason. Buyer will make themselves available for this training and may not refuse the training. If Buyer is not available for training or refuses training it will be considered as though they have been trained for the full period allotted.

Confidentiality:

At all times, the Buyer will respect the confidentiality and the extensive work put into the intellectual property, assets, and systems. Buyer will not attempt to reverse engineer the marketing methodology for personal gain or publishing purposes.

Commercial Transaction:

This transaction is considered a commercial transaction.

Venue:

The venue is the State of Nevada and the County of Clark.

Governing Law:

This Agreement will be governed by the laws of Nevada and the County of Clark.

Default:

If the Buyer defaults with regard to any of the paragraphs above, as well as the Promissory Note, individually or collectively, the Buyer will immediately return all contracts, assets and systems and intellectual property that has been delivered and will release, hold harmless, and indemnify the Seller.

Restrictive Covenant:

Unless a default occurs, the Seller will be prohibited, once the contract has been transferred to Buyer, from contacting or soliciting those clients. The one exception would be to verify the reason of loss. Buyer will void this clause if Buyer chooses to use Seller's resources in order to service Buyer's clients however, Seller will not solicit Buyer's clients. Buyer will not solicit Seller's third party resources.

DATE: May 3, 2018 Buyer Seth son as Chief Or g Officer, Consult hent Services, LLC (on behalf of an entity to be formed later)

DATE:

May 3, 2018

Seller Medasset Corporation

Exhibit 5

OUTGOING WIRE TRANSFER Bank Name: WINTRUST BANK

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Address 3:							

BANK INFORMATION

Destination Bank Name:	BENEFICIAL BANK	Bank ABA: 236075689
Destination Bank Address 1:		
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Beneficiary Bank Name:		Bank ID:
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Beneficiary Bank Address 2:		
Intermediary Bank Name:		Bank ID:

CUSTOMER (BENEFICIARY) INFORMATION

Beneficiary Name to Credit:	VISIONARY BUSINESS BROKERS
Account Number to Credit:	Redacted
Beneficiary Address 1:	141-I ROUTE 130 SOUTH #343
Beneficiary Address 2;	CINNAMINSON NJ 08077
Beneficiary Address 3:	
Other Information:	180503132411LDIC
Bank to Bank Info:	
ORG to BNF Info:	
Purpose of Wire:	
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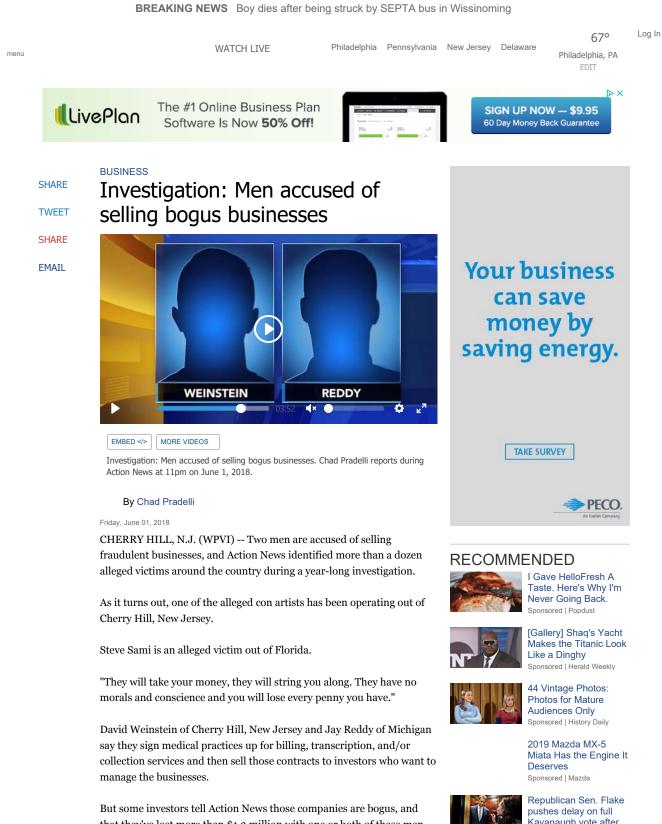
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May 3,2018 Date:

***CUSTOMER AUTHORIZATION *** BANK IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO SEND THE ABOVE REFERENCED WIRE TRANSER AND DEBIT THE ACCOUNT INDICATED ABOVE FOR THE AMOUNT OF THE WIRE TRANSFER PLUS WIRE TRANSFER FEES PURSUANT TO THE ACCOUNT AGREEMENT AND DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND FEE SCHEDULE, AS PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED OR MAY BE REQUESTED FROM BANK AT ANY TIME AND MAY BE CHANGED BY BANK FROM TIME TO TIME. Wire Transfer Disclosure Information (International Wires) Due to the nature and complexity of international banking and unless otherwise separately disclosed in writing: (1) it is impossible for the Bank to make any delivery time or fee charge guarantees on any foreign wire transfers and (2) the Bank is not responsible for variances in foreign exchange rates. Our fees only cover our costs for sending funds. Additional fees can be (and often are) incurred by necessary tracing, recall of funds, rate changes and verifications required by foreign banks. It should be understood any additional costs or fees are passed on to the customer. As the originating Bank, we rely on the customer for accurate and complete instructions for the receiver/beneficiary bank specifications. Erroneous information can (and often does) result in nonpayment or delay of funds and significant monetary impact to the originiator.

EXHIBIT 4

Exhibit 6



Sami says, "I've made probably, in the whole process, a couple hundred

dollars."

EXHIBIT 5

6-year-old boy: 'I

thought they

But some investors tell Action News those companies are bogus, and that they've lost more than \$1.3 million with one or both of these men since 2010.

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all three businesses for \$125,000.

said.

300 medical answering service contracts.

Weinstein's marketing materials say, "We do the hard part. We get the

doctors under contract for you." Buyers get what's called a Triple Play of

According to a sales brochures, buyers get "a clear and direct approach to profitability." Steve Sami says his contract with Jay Reddy promised

But in the two years since, he says he's received just a few. Sami and

"Within a month I texted him and said something feels strange and the contracts aren't coming, and he basically said he had a death in the

But he says it never did and that when he threatened to expose Reddy

represented an alleged victim out of Michigan who sued Reddy in 2010.

"It was really just an empty shell and there was nothing to it," Perrin

"There were literally dozens of these entities and when you looked at

who created them, it was coming back to either Vijay Reddy or David

after learning of other alleged victims, a man claiming to be David Weinstein called out of the blue and left a profanity-laced voicemail.

Action News has learned at least three alleged victims have sued

Weinstein and or Reddy over the years. Attorney John Perrin

He says Reddy was constantly reselling the business but never

delivering contracts with physicians,

others have filed complaints with their state attorneys general.

family and it's the holidays. He told me it will pick up."

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Bartender shot and killed in West

Philadelphia



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Powered by hoodline



Body found in Maryland believed to be man kidnapped in Philly



Boy dies after being struck by SEPTA bus in Wissinoming Updated 2 mins ago



Child rape suspect David Hamilton Jr captured in Aston, Pa. Updated 1 hr 54 mins ago



Committee sends Kavanaugh nomination to full Senate Updated 1 hr 22 mins ago

Delco man accused of shooting parents, killing father

Facebook says 50M user accounts affected by breach

Police: Shot fired in road rage incident, suspects sought

84-year-old NJ Crossing Guard Retires

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Weinstein." Perrin won \$200,000 in court but says he's never been able to collect and just last month Reddy filed for bankruptcy.

Two Georgia men sued Weinstein in Federal court in 2012. In court papers, Weinstein denied any wrongdoing. He and other defendants later agreed to a confidential settlement. Action News has also learned Weinstein was convicted of health insurance fraud in 2002.

Sami says he wants his money back and justice for himself and other victims.

"I believe the FBI should be involved, the IRS. Money should be recouped and given back to the people who lost it," Sami said.

Both Reddy and Weinstein refused our request for comment. We tracked down Weinstein to a Cherry Hill condo and he actually called police on us, accusing us of harassment.

Officially, the FBI says it cannot confirm or deny they're investigating. But since our investigation began, several alleged victims tell us they've been interviewed by agents.

Weinstein is still selling the business model and living in Las Vegas.

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Exhibit 7

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

In re:

Case No. 18-43079-mlo

Vijay Reddy,

Chapter 7

Debtor.

Hon. Maria L. Oxholm

Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee,

Adversary Case No.

Plaintiff,

v.

Vijay Reddy,

Defendant.

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COMPLAINT FOR REVOCATION OF DISCHARGE UNDER 11 U.S.C. §§ 727(d)(1) and 727(a)(2), (3), (4) & (5)

Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee, complains of the Defendant,

Vijay Reddy, as follows:

COMMON ALLEGATIONS

1. The Defendant is an individual who at the time his chapter 7 petition was originally filed, resided at 4269 Kingston, Milan, Michigan 48160.

2. The above-captioned proceeding was commenced by the filing of a

voluntary Chapter 7 petition on March 8, 2018.

3. The Defendant were granted a discharge on August 24, 2018. This action is therefore timely under 11 U.S.C. § 727(e)(1).

4. This is a core proceeding pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 157(b)(2)(J), over which this Court has jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1334.

5. Plaintiff Daniel M. McDermott is the United States Trustee for Region 9, comprised of the States of Michigan and Ohio.

6. The Defendant submitted bankruptcy schedules and a statement of financial affairs, signed under penalty of perjury. The Defendant also testified at his 341 Meeting of Creditors that his schedules and statement of financial affairs were true and correct.

7. The United States Trustee came into information, after Mr. Reddy's discharge was entered on August 24, 2018, that the Defendant knowingly and fraudulently failed to disclose required information in the course of his bankruptcy proceedings, and that assets had dissipated that could have otherwise been used to repay the Defendant's creditors.

8. Specifically, the United States Trustee became aware of the facts and subject matter giving rise to this cause of action on or after October 11, 2018 – the date that a putative creditor described below, Mr. Eli Johnson, left an initial telephone message for the U.S. Trustee trial attorney filing this complaint.

9. As further explained below, the Defendant ran a fraud scam along with several other individuals that duped unsuspecting investors into buying worthless corporate opportunities for significant sums of money. Those corporate opportunities were designed by Mr. Reddy and his co-conspirators to fail for the unsuspecting investors, and Mr. Reddy and his co-conspirators would abscond with the victim's investments – at least \$770,000 of which the United States Trustee knows about as of the date of this filing. When Mr. Reddy filed his bankruptcy case, he omitted these victims as creditors of his, and further failed to explain the dissipation of the \$770,000 or more of their investment money. Mr. Reddy also lied on his bankruptcy schedules and at his 341 meeting of creditors – he testified he had been unemployed since at least the year prior to his filing, when in fact he was still working in the same capacity he had previously been during the fraud scheme, and duped a new investor out of another \$75,000 only days after Mr. Reddy's meeting of creditors. His discharge should be revoked as a result.

The Fraud Scheme to Sell Worthless Corporate Opportunities.

10. Three main individuals were involved in the fraudulent scheme described in this complaint: David Weinstein, a resident of Nevada who has business interests in New Jersey, Kevin Brown, a resident of New Jersey, and the Defendant (collectively, "the Co-Conspirators").

11. The Co-Conspirators controlled various real or fake corporate entities described below, and would use those corporate entities to further the fraudulent scheme.

12. Generally, each victim known at this time by the United States Trustee would respond to an advertisement purporting to sell corporate opportunities – in every case known to the United States Trustee at this time, the corporate opportunity was generally for the purchase of answering service rights for doctor's offices, or to support their medical billing for their practices.

13. For example, many victims described below were induced to purchase answering-machine routing rights for medical offices. The victims believed they were purchasing guaranteed contracts to handle after-hours messages left at those offices, which they could charge between \$60 and \$70 monthly for those services. In turn, they would serve as a middle-man routing those calls to an overseas facility that would charge the victims roughly \$30 to \$40 monthly to handle each office's calls. In this way, the victims were induced to believe that money could be made simply by routing the medical office's calls overseas with very little effort on their own.

14. In most instances, the first individual that the victims would receive communication from was either Mr. Weinstein, through a brokerage company he

controlled called Tannenbaum & Milask, or Mr. Brown through either Tannenbaum & Milask or another company called Visionary Business Brokers.

15. From there, conference calls were often set up with the Co-Conspirators, and prospective materials about the business opportunities were transmitted to the victims outlining projected cash flow and likely returns on investment – both the materials themselves and the statements by the Co-Conspirators prior to the signing of purchase agreements were fraudulent inducements to close the sales.

16. The purchase agreements varied, but generally the victims would be buying a guaranteed number of medical offices that the Co-Conspirators were contractually obligated to bring to the victims during a specific time period. For example, one victim spent \$240,000 to purchase 1,200 client accounts for a 14month time frame – which at \$60 per month per account, would net \$1,008,000 for the victim during that time. Factoring out \$40 per month for the overseas call center's cost, the victim would still expect to make \$336,000 during those 14 months on his original \$240,000 investment.

17. Generally, a purchase agreement would be signed between the victim and Mr. Reddy as the owner or operator of a third-party entity, and funds would change hands from the victims to the Co-Conspirators. 18. After consummating the deal, the Co-Conspirators would send only minimal medical office leads to the victims to be serviced, and when the victims complained about the lack of such medical offices being sent to them, the Co-Conspirators would generally blame the victims and accuse them of somehow breaching their agreement. The Co-Conspirators would eventually cease communication with the victims, and abscond with the funds received from the victims.

The Pre-Petition Fraud Victims.

Camille Batiste

19. Camille Batiste ("Batiste") is a resident of the state of Illinois, residing at 600 Southbrooke Drive, Decatur, Illinois 62521.

20. In late 2016, Batiste invested \$75,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

21. Emails between Mr. Brown at Tannenbaum & Milask, and Batiste began on October 11, 2016, when Mr. Brown sent Batiste a non-disclosure agreement for a medical business opportunity.

22. Business prospectus materials were sent to Batiste with the Tannenbaum & Milask logo as well as an entity called Revenue Asset Services. Those materials outlined how, for \$75,000 down and an additional \$50,000 due over

three years, Batiste could expect to recoup net profits of \$135,600 per year over six years.

23. On December 13, 2016, a corporate entity Batiste controlled signed a purchase agreement with American Medical Answering Services, LLC. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling corporate entity.

24. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 300 medical answering service contracts at a minimum charge of \$69 per office per month. For this, Batiste paid \$75,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$50,000 from a promissory note.

25. In total, Batiste received only 12 such accounts, not the 300 contracted for.

26. When Batiste contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, she received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return her money, and eventually stopped responding to her communications after a few months.

Nadeem Fatmi

27. Nadeem Fatmi ("Fatmi") is a resident of the state of Georgia, residing at 1225 Kincaid Road, Marietta, Georgia 30066.

28. In 2016, Fatmi invested \$75,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

29. In late December 2016, Fatmi saw an advertisement on the internet for an opportunity to purchase after-hours call support for medical offices, through Mr. Brown as a broker with Tannenbaum & Milask.

30. On November 29, 2016, a corporate entity Fatmi controlled signed a purchase agreement with American Medical Answering Service, LLC. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity.

31. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 300 medical answering service contracts at a minimum charge of \$69 per office per month. For this, Fatmi paid \$75,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$50,000 from a promissory note.

32. In total, Fatmi received only 8 such accounts in the 3.5 months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 300 contracted for.

33. When Fatmi contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, she received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return her money, and eventually stopped responding to her communications after a few months.

Steven Sami

34. Steven Sami ("Sami") is a resident of the state of Florida, residing at2502 Delaney Avenue, Orlando, Florida 32806.

35. In 2016, Fatmi invested \$75,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

36. On November 1, 2016, Sami signed a purchase agreement with American Medical Answering Service, LLC. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity, but the signature line shows he is signing for an entity known as Revenue Asset Services, not American Medical Answering Service, LLC.

37. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 300 medical answering service contracts at a minimum charge of \$69 per office per month. For this, Sami paid \$75,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$50,000 from a promissory note.

38. In total, Sami received only 12 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 300 contracted for.

39. When Sami contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, he received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Sami's money, and eventually stopped responding to Sami's communications after a few months.

Gerson Benoit & Desiree Cortes

40. Gerson Benoit ("Benoit") and Desiree Cortes ("Cortes") are a married couple and residents of the State of Pennsylvania, residing at 965 Brookwood Drive, Pottstown, Pennsylvania 19464.

41. In 2016, Benoit and Cortes invested \$45,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

42. On November 1, 2016, Benoit signed a purchase agreement with an entity known as Revenue Asset Services. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity.

43. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 100 medical answering service contracts at a minimum charge of \$69 per office per month. For this, Benoit paid \$45,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$10,000 from a promissory note. The funds were wired from an account in Cortes' name.

44. In total, Benoit received only 10 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 100 contracted for.

45. When Benoit and Cortes contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, they received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Benoit and Cortes' money, and eventually stopped responding to their communications after a few months.

Paul Volen

46. Paul Volen ("Volen") is a resident of the state of Florida, residing at215 Pablo Road, Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida 32082.

47. In 2016, Volen invested \$75,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

48. On August 19, 2016, Volen signed a purchase agreement with Revenue Asset Services, LLC. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity.

49. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 300 medical collection contracts whose total annual uncollected receivables will average \$3,000,000. For this, Volen paid \$75,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$50,000 from a promissory note.

50. In total, Volen received only 10 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 300 contracted for.

51. When Volen contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, he received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Volen's money, and eventually stopped responding to Volen's communications after a few months.

Michael Bradley

52. Michael Bradley ("Bradley") is a resident of the state of Illinois, though his exact address is not known to the U.S. Trustee at the time of the filing of this complaint.

53. In 2016, Bradley invested \$240,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

54. On October 13, 2016, Bradley signed a purchase agreement with Revenue Asset Services, LLC. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity.

55. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 1200 medical answering service contracts at a minimum charge of \$69 per office per month. For this, Bradley paid \$240,000 immediately, which he paid for by taking out a bank loan.

56. In total, Bradley received only 35 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 1200 contracted for.

57. When Bradley contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, he received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Bradley's money, and eventually stopped responding to Bradley's communications after a few months.

Craig Sylverston

58. Craig Sylverston ("Sylverston") is a resident of the state of Florida, residing at 12366 Sunchase Drive, Jacksonville, Florida 32246.

59. In 2015, Sylverston invested \$30,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

60. On October 15, 2015, Sylverston signed a purchase agreement with MedAsset Management Company, LLC. Mr. Weinstein signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity.

61. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 100 medical debt accounts with total average uncollected receivables of \$1.5 million. For this, Sylverston paid \$30,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$25,000 from a promissory note.

62. In total, Sylverston received only 43 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 300 contracted for.

63. When Sylverston contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, he received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Sylverston's money, and eventually stopped responding to Sylverston's communications after a few months.

Kaplana Dugar

64. Kaplana Dugar ("Dugar") is a resident of the state of Pennsylvania, residing at 9004 Pembroke Court, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15237.

65. In 2016, Dugar invested \$155,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

66. On November 16, 2016, Dugar signed a purchase agreement with American Medical Answering Service, LLC. Mr. Reddy signed and initialed the purchase agreement on behalf of the selling entity.

67. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 1000 medical answering service contracts at a minimum charge of \$69 per office per month. For this, Dugar paid \$155,000 immediately, and pledged an additional \$75,000 from a promissory note.

68. In total, Dugar received only 11 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 1,000 contracted for.

69. When Dugar contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, he received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Dugar's money, and eventually stopped responding to Dugar's communications after a few months.

Mr. Reddy and the Other Co-Conspirators Defrauded the Victims.

70. Mr. Reddy, Mr. Weinstein and Mr. Brown, through the entities they either directly controlled or were associated with as described above, fraudulently

induced the above-described victims to give them significant sums in exchange for business opportunities the Co-Conspirators had no intention of ever making good on.

71. Each of the above-described victims has a "claim" against Mr. Reddy's bankruptcy estate, as that term is defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(5)(A). There are likely more such victims not known to the United States Trustee as of the filing of this complaint.

72. On information and belief, based on his communications with the victims and his responses to their demands for return of their money, Mr. Reddy is aware of the claims held by the victims described above.

73. None of the victims described above are listed as creditors in Mr. Reddy's bankruptcy documents – despite what Mr. Reddy may argue is the unliquidated and/or disputed nature of those claims. Mr. Reddy's failure to disclose these creditor claims constitute false oaths for each such victim.

74. The victims described above gave at least \$770,000 to Mr. Reddy and his co-conspirators in the years leading up to Mr. Reddy's bankruptcy filing, as can be seen from the chart below summarizing the relevant paragraphs above:

\$75,000
\$75,000
\$75,000
\$45,000
\$75,000

Bradley:	\$240,000
Sylverston:	\$30,000
Dugar:	+\$155,000
Total:	\$770,000

75. The \$770,000 received by Mr. Reddy and the Co-Conspirators, if still available, could otherwise have paid a significant portion of Mr. Reddy's creditor claims in this bankruptcy case.

76. To date, Mr. Reddy has offered no explanation, let alone a satisfactory explaination, for the dissipation of those funds.

77. To date, Mr. Reddy has provided no documents to explain the business transactions evidencing the dissipation of those funds.

Mr. Reddy's Bankruptcy Filing and 341 Meeting.

78. Mr. Reddy filed his bankruptcy petition on March 8, 2018.

79. Mr. Reddy filed his schedules and statement of financial affairs on or about March 21, 2018 [*see* Doc. No. 9]. All of those documents were signed by Mr. Reddy under penalty of perjury.

80. Mr. Reddy does not disclose the victims described above anywhere in his bankruptcy documents – most notably, they are omitted from his Schedule E/F list of unsecured creditors.

81. Mr. Reddy also does not disclose the \$770,000 as historical income in his Statement of Financial Affairs, which required disclosure of all income

received within the two years prior to the bankruptcy filing on Questions 4 and 5 of that document.

82. Mr. Reddy's Schedule I also discloses that he is unemployed.

83. Mr. Reddy appeared and testified under oath at his 341 meeting of creditors on April 18, 2018.

84. At that meeting of creditors, Mr. Reddy testified under oath that he has not worked since 2016. As described below, this was also false – Mr. Reddy continued to be involved in the fraud scam described above after that time, and defrauded at least one additional investor post-petition as described below. His 341 testimony about his employment was also false.

The Co-Conspirators Defraud Another Victim Post-Petition.

85. Seth Johnson is the Chief Operating Officer of an entity known as Liberty Consulting & Management Services, LLC.

86. In early 2018, *while Mr. Reddy's bankruptcy case was pending*, Mr. Johnson invested \$75,000 in the Co-Conspirators' fraud scheme.

87. On May 3, 2018 – less than three weeks after Mr. Reddy testified he had been unemployed since at least 2016, Mr. Johnson signed a purchase agreement with MedAsset Corporation. Mr. Weinstein signed the contract on behalf of the selling entity.

88. In that purchase agreement, the seller agreed to deliver 60 medical practice accounts with outstanding average annual receivables of \$5,000,000. For this, Mr. Johnson's company paid \$75,000 immediately, and signed a promissory note for an additional \$50,000.

89. Within days of Mr. Johnson signing the purchase agreement, Mr. Reddy ran the on-boarding meeting with Mr. Johnson to begin to implement the business asset transition – which, of course, was a scam just like the other victims described above were subjected to.

90. Mr. Reddy continued to communicate directly with Mr. Johnson on behalf of the Co-Conspirators until August 2018, when they ceased communications with Mr. Johnson.

91. In total, Mr. Johnson received only 3 such accounts in the months after the purchase agreement was signed, not the 60 contracted for.

92. When Mr. Johnson contacted the Co-Conspirators about their failure to perform, he received excuses originally and then later silence. They refused to return Mr. Johnson's money, and eventually stopped responding to Mr. Johnson's communications after a few months.

93. It therefore appears that Mr. Reddy's involvement with the fraud scam, and his likely derivation of income from that fraud scam, continued through

2017 and into 2018. Mr. Reddy's testimony at his meeting of creditors that he had no income sources and had not been employed since 2016 was therefore false.

94. To date, Mr. Reddy has not explained what became of the \$75,000 Mr. Johnson paid to the Co-Conspirators, nor has he provided any documentation to explain the dissipation of those assets.

95. The United States Trustee had no knowledge of the information included above until after the Court entered the Order Discharging Debtor on August 24, 2018.

COUNT I REVOCATION OF DISCHARGE PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1) and 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(2)

96. Plaintiff hereby incorporates and restates paragraphs 1 through 95 as if fully stated herein.

97. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(d), on request of the trustee, a creditor, or the United States Trustee, and after notice and a hearing, the court shall revoke a discharge granted under subsection (a) of this section if "such discharge was obtained through fraud of the debtor, and the requesting party did not know of such fraud until after the granting of such discharge." 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1).

98. The Defendant's discharge was obtained through fraud by committing acts proscribed by 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(2) that were not known by the United States Trustee before the Court granted the discharge on August 24, 2018.

99. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. \S 727(a)(2), the Court shall grant the

Debtor a discharge unless - -

the debtor, with the intent to hinder, delay, or defraud a creditor or an officer of the estate charged with custody of property under this title, has transferred, removed, destroyed, mutilated or concealed, or has permitted to be transferred, removed, destroyed, mutilated, or concealed - -

(A) property of the debtor, within one year before the date of the filing of the petition; or

(B) property of the estate, after the date of the filing of the petition.

100. As set forth above, the Defendant, with the intent to hinder, delay or defraud a creditor, has transferred, removed, destroyed, mutilated or concealed property, before and after the filing of the Petition, and has continued to conceal his financial transactions and dealings after the filing of the Petition with the intent to further hinder, delay or defraud his creditors and their collection efforts.

101. The Defendant's failure to disclose and to continue to conceal the existence, transfer or disposition of assets as set forth above constitutes an intent to hinder, delay, or defraud a creditor or an officer of the estate, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(2).

102. The United States Trustee did not know of the Defendant's fraudulent conduct described above until after the Court granted the Defendant's discharge on August 24, 2018.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court revoke Defendant's discharge under 11 U.S.C. §§ 727(d)(1) and 727(a)(2).

COUNT II REVOCATION OF DISCHRGE PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1) and 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(3)

103. Plaintiff hereby incorporates and restates paragraphs 1 through 102 as if fully stated herein.

104. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(d), on request of the trustee, a creditor, or the United States Trustee, and after notice and a hearing, the court shall revoke a discharge granted under subsection (a) of this section if "such discharge was obtained through fraud of the debtor, and the requesting party did not know of such fraud until after the granting of such discharge." 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1).

105. The Defendant's discharge was obtained through fraud by committing acts proscribed by 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(3) that were not known by the United States Trustee before the Court granted the discharge on August 24, 2018.

106. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(3), the Court shall grant the Debtor a discharge unless - -

the debtor has concealed, destroyed, mutilated, falsified, or failed to keep or preserve any recorded information, including books, documents, records, and papers, from which the debtor's financial condition or business transactions might be ascertained, unless such act or failure to act was justified under all of the circumstances of the case[.]

107. As set forth above, the Defendant has failed to provide, and thus either concealed, destroyed, falsified, or failed to keep information, including books, documents, records and papers from which his financial condition or business transactions might be ascertained for himself personally.

108. The Defendant's actions and/or failure to act as described herein do not appear justified under all of the circumstances of this case.

109. The United States Trustee did not know of the Defendant's fraudulent conduct described above until after the Court granted the Defendant's discharge on August 24, 2018.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court revoke Defendant's discharge under 11 U.S.C. §§ 727(d)(1) and 727(a)(3).

COUNT III REVOCATION OF DISCHARGE PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1) and 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(4)

110. Plaintiff hereby incorporates and restates paragraphs 1 through 109 as if fully stated herein.

111. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(d), on request of the trustee, a creditor, or the United States Trustee, and after notice and a hearing, the court shall revoke a discharge granted under subsection (a) of this section if "such discharge was obtained through fraud of the debtor, and the requesting party did not know of such fraud until after the granting of such discharge." 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1).

112. The Defendant's discharge was obtained through fraud by committing acts proscribed by 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(4) that were not known by the United States Trustee before the Court granted the discharge on August 2, 2017.

113. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(4), the Court shall grant theDebtors a discharge unless - -

the debtor knowingly and fraudulently, in or in connection with the case

- (A) made a false oath or account;
- (B) presented or used a false claim;

(C) gave, offered, received, or attempted to obtain money, property, or advantage or a promise of money, property or advantage, for acting or forbearing to act; or (D) withheld from an officer of the estate entitled to possession under this title, any recorded information, including books, documents, records and papers relating to the debtor's property or financial affairs.

114. As set forth above, it appears that the Debtor has not fully and accurately described his assets, financial dealings, creditors, employment history, and transfers of assets, and thus has made numerous false oaths in his written and oral statements under oath in violation of 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(4)(A).

115. The United States Trustee did not know of the Defendant's fraudulent conduct described above until after the Court granted the Defendant's discharge on August 24, 2018.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court revoke Defendant's discharge under 11 U.S.C. §§ 727(d)(1) 727(a)(4).

COUNT III REVOCATION OF DISCHARGE PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1) and 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(5)

116. Plaintiff hereby incorporates and restates paragraphs 1 through 115 as if fully stated herein.

117. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(d), on request of the trustee, a creditor, or the United States Trustee, and after notice and a hearing, the court shall revoke a discharge granted under subsection (a) of this section if "such discharge

was obtained through fraud of the debtor, and the requesting party did not know of such fraud until after the granting of such discharge." 11 U.S.C. § 727(d)(1).

118. The Defendant's discharge was obtained through fraud by committing acts proscribed by 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(4) that were not known by the United States Trustee before the Court granted the discharge on August 24, 2018.

119. In accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 727(a)(5), the Court shall grant the Debtor a discharge unless - -

the debtor has failed to explain satisfactorily, before determination of denial of discharge under this paragraph, any loss of assets or deficiency of assets to meet the debtor's liabilities[.]

120. As set forth above, the Defendant has failed to explain satisfactorily the loss of deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities, including but not limited to the dissipation of the \$770,000 in pre-petition funds and the \$75,000 in post-petition funds from the fraud scheme described above.

121. The United States Trustee did not know of the Defendant's fraudulent conduct described above until after the Court granted the Defendant's discharge on August 24, 2018.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Daniel M. McDermott, United States Trustee, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court revoke Defendant's discharge under 11 U.S.C. §§ 727(d)(1) 727(a)(5).

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL M. McDERMOTT UNITED STATES TRUSTEE Region 9

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Dated: November 15, 2018

Exhibit 8

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

In the Matter of: VIJAY REDDY, Debtor. Case No. 18-43079-mlo Chapter 7 Hon. Maria L. Oxholm

The Examination of VIJAY REDDY, taken before me, Glenn G. Miller, Notary Public within and for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, at 645 Griswold, Suite 1300, Detroit, Michigan, on Wednesday, June 27, 2018.

APPEARANCES:

CLAYSON, SCHNEIDER & MILLER, PC 645 Griswold, Suite 3900 Detroit, Michigan 48226 (By David P. Miller, Esq.)

Appearing on behalf of Trustee.

ALSO PRESENT: Brittany Byrnes

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1		Detroit, Michigan
2		Wednesday, June 27, 2018
3		At about 1:00 p.m.
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5		VIJAY REDDY
6		was thereupon called as a witness herein, and after
7		having been duly sworn to tell the truth, the whole
8		truth and nothing but the truth, was examined and
9		testified as follows:
10		MR. MILLER: Today is the date and time
11		set for the 2004 Examination of Vijay Reddy, case number
12		18-43079-mlo. My name is David Miller. I'm appearing
13		on behalf of Trustee Timothy J. Miller.
14		EXAMINATION
15	BY MR.	MILLER:
16	Q.	Mr. Reddy, would you state your name for the record.
17	Α.	Vijay Reddy.
18	Q.	You're the debtor in the case?
19	Α.	Correct.
20	Q.	Today is going to be a question and answer session.
21		I'll ask the questions and you give the answers. It is
22		being recorded, so please allow me to finish my
23		questions before you begin answering them so we can get
24		an accurate record and I'll do the same courtesy for
25		you. So the questions I'll be asking you, if you don't

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1		understand them please ask me to explain. Otherwise,
2		I'll assume you understood the questions.
3		And is there any reason that anything
4		you say today would not be truthful and accurate? Are
5		you under the influence of any sort of substances or any
6		medications?
7	Α.	No medications, no substances or anything else.
8	Q.	Where do you live, Mr. Reddy, what is your address?
9	Α.	4269 Kingston Drive, Milan, Michigan, 48160.
10	Q.	What do you do, what is your job?
11	Α.	Currently I'm not employed.
12	Q.	What is your education, your background?
13	Α.	I got my bachelor's degree from Michigan State
14		University in psychology, I've got a master's degree
15		from Indiana University of Pennsylvania in clinical
16		psychology and I've got an MBA from Cleary University.
17	Q.	Are you currently looking for employment?
18	Α.	I have something that may be offered to me in the coming
19		months but it's a position with my uncles. They want me
20		to work for them in Africa, but I need to be going out
21		there, which I didn't want to do before the bankruptcy
22		was over because it would look weird to do international
23		travel in the middle of this. So I haven't gone to
24		complete the investigation of what I would be doing.
25	Q.	Do you know what you would be doing in general?

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1	Α.	My uncles have a mine I believe in it's Ghana. They
2		want me to essentially oversee some of the operations,
3		making sure the people are showing up to work and doing
4		operational things.
5	Q.	Like a management position?
6	Α.	Yeah.
7	Q.	What about your previous occupations in the past, what
8		sort of work have you done?
9	Α.	After finishing graduate school in clinical psychology,
10		I worked as a psychologist at Henry Ford Hospital.
11		Technically, I worked in the Human Resources Department,
12		but it doesn't make a difference. After that I went
13		into business for myself doing medical billing and
14		medical transcription. That was a position that my
15		uncle essentially owned that business that he asked me
16		to run it and take care of it for him. After that,
17		through word of mouth, I was told about a position in
18		Philadelphia working for Blue Cross, so they recruited
19		me to go work for them there. That lasted about five or
20		six months.
21		After that I was recruited for a
22		position in Texas working for the VA based on my work I
23		had done in Philadelphia, it was word of mouth, so I
24		worked for them for four month. I don't recall the
25		exact time frame. That was several years ago. And then

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1		I came back to Michigan full time. From there I worked
2		with David Weinstein doing odd jobs for his medical
3		billing transcription businesses.
4	Q.	We'll get into a little bit of that later. The uncle
5		you mentioned, is it the same uncle who you have a
6		potential job offer for the mines in Africa or is that a
7		different uncle?
8	Α.	It's a different uncle that offered me the position, but
9		they're all brothers.
10	Q.	What are their names?
11	Α.	The one who owned the medical billing transcription
12		company from 12 years ago, his name is Siva, S-i-v-a,
13		and his last name is T-h-a-l-m-a-r-l-a. The other uncle
14		that you've been referencing is Mohan. His first name
15		is spelled M-o-h-a-n, and then Thalmarla is his last
16		name.
17	Q.	And Mohan Thalmarla is the same uncle who holds the
18		notes securing your current residence; is that correct?
19	Α.	With my wife, correct.
20	Q.	Okay. Then you live in that home that you mentioned,
21		the Kingston Drive home, with your wife. Correct?
22	Α.	Correct.
23	Q.	And two kids, I believe?
24	Α.	One kid is 25, grown and out of the house; the other one
25		is 14.

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1	Q.	I want you to look in this booklet that I've provided to
2		you. On the left-hand side in that pocket there is an
3		order. You can pull it out and take a look. The title
4		is Order Directing Debtor to Produce Certain Records and
5		Appear for Examination Pursuant to Federal Rule
6		Bankruptcy Procedure 2004. Have you seen this document
7		before?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	And you understand that it's an order in your bankruptcy
10		case requiring you to appear today and produce several
11		documents?
12	Α.	Correct.
13	Q.	I'm going to have this marked as Exhibit A.
14		(Deposition Exhibit A was
15		marked for Identification.)
16	BY MR.	MILLER:
17	Q.	So that very same order, now marked as Exhibit A,
18		requires you to produce, to the extent not already
19		produced and to the extent in your possession, several
20		documents, an itemized list of 1 through 28. Do you see
21		that?
22	Α.	Yes.
23	Q.	And these documents, the document lists 1 through 28,
24		those are essentially copied from my letters that I sent
25		to you requesting documents in this case. Correct?

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1	А.	Page 8 Correct.
2	Q.	So you received those requests and provided several
3	2.	documents in response to those requests?
4	А.	Correct.
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	Q.	If you look in that booklet in front of you, I'm going
6		to have you flip to the tab that says document requests
7		and response.
8		(Deposition Exhibit B was
9		marked for Identification.)
10	BY MR.	MILLER:
11	Q.	We marked that as Exhibit B. See that first page there
12		is a letter from you to the bankruptcy trustee, Timothy
13		Miller, sent in advance of your 341 Hearing. Do you
14		recognize that document?
15	Α.	Yes.
16	Q.	That's your signature at the bottom there?
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	And the next page of that same Exhibit B is titled
19		Evidence of Income/Statement of Support. Is that your
20		signature on that document as well?
21	Α.	Yes.
22	Q.	And you've seen that before and that's something you
23		prepared?
24	Α.	Yes.
25	Q.	And the next page in that same exhibit is a letter sent

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1		from me to you. June 8, 2018 is the date on it. This
2		is my first document request that I sent to you. You've
3		seen this request. This is the one we just referred to.
4		Correct?
5	Α.	Yes.
6	Q.	If you flip four pages, there's a letter from you dated
7		June 11, 2018 to me. It's a response to that first
8		document request. That's something you prepared?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	And the signature at the end of that letter, is that
11		your signature?
12	Α.	Yes.
13	Q.	The next letter in that same Exhibit B is dated June
14		12th, a letter from me to you, a follow-up document
15		request. You've seen this follow-up request before?
16	Α.	Yes.
17	Q.	And the last letter in this Exhibit B, it's actually an
18		attachment pulled from your e-mail that you sent to me
19		in response to that second document request. Correct?
20	Α.	Yes.
21	Q.	So that itemized list on that last portion of it, 1
22		through 12, that's something you prepared as well.
23		Correct?
24	Α.	Yes.
25	Q.	So the first document request asked for records and

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1		documents from current and prior businesses including
2		formation documents, etcetera, for 2016, 2017, 2018 for
3		Revenue Asset Services, LLC Nevada, American Medical
4		Answering Services, LLC and Revenue Asset Services, LLC
5		Michigan.
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	And the documents you produced, you believe that's
8		everything you have on that?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	Tell me about Revenue Asset Services, LLC Nevada.
11	Α.	So I had a Revenue Asset Services of Michigan, which I
12		sold to a guy named Joseph Bernardo. Once I sold that
13		to him and he defaulted on our agreement, a few months
14		later I decided I might go back into this business that
15		I sold to him again, but I haven't done anything with it
16		yet.
17	Q.	So the intent was to build up and create a company
18		similar to the Revenue Asset Services, LLC of Michigan?
19	Α.	Or at least have the option to if I wanted to get back
20		into it, but I've not done anything yet.
21	Q.	So there's no assets of that business at all?
22	Α.	Correct.
23	Q.	Have you done any work to sort of build a portfolio?
24	Α.	There's no bank account, there's no infrastructure.
25		Other than like intellectual property, I'm not sure what

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1		else to consider there.
2	Q.	What do you mean intellectual property?
3	Α.	Marketing, how to attract clients, how to set up the
4		infrastructure, how to talk to doctors, how to do the
5		things necessary to build that business.
6	Q.	So you mean you have that knowledge?
7	Α.	Yeah, it's in my head.
8	Q.	Are there any patents or trademarks or anything owned by
9		Revenue Asset Services, LLC Nevada?
10	Α.	No patents, no trademarks, no copyrights, anything along
11		those lines.
12	Q.	It's never filed a tax return or anything like that?
13	Α.	No.
14	Q.	Is that the same for American Medical Answering Service?
15	Α.	Correct.
16	Q.	In Exhibit B, your response dated June 11, item number 1
17		C, you reference that Mr. Bernardo would have any
18		balance sheets, profit loss statements, ledgers,
19		formation documents, etcetera. Correct?
20	Α.	Correct. What I did, if I can expound, the last time I
21		met with him in person I put everything into a little
22		green thumb drive that had bank statements, how to run
23		the company, what to do to attract the doctors,
24		frequently asked questions the doctors might have of
25		you, anything I could possibly think of that was in

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1		written form that could be put into this little green
2		thumb drive. All the clients, all the vendors I used,
3		anything else I put into a little green thumb drive and
4		handed it to him. I said when you confirm this is
5		everything, I'll destroy everything on mine, which he
6		confirmed for me the next day, maybe a couple hours
7		later. So I went ahead and destroyed everything on my
8		end because that was part of the company's belongings.
9	Q.	The next document request asked for financial records or
10		documentation relating to the transfer of Revenue Asset
11		Services, LLC Michigan. You produced several documents
12		in response to that request. Correct?
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	If you want to take a look at those documents before I
15		ask about the documents themselves, what were the assets
16		of Revenue Asset Services, LLC Michigan?
17	A.	You mean how was the company run, what was it doing?
18		I'm not sure I understand the question.
19	Q.	Sure. You can tell me that. What was the company
20		doing, what was going on with the company?
21	A.	The company was very unique. It was a very niche
22		business. It would go out, attract doctors, whether
23		pediatricians or pain doctors, and say basically we will
24		do your medical billing for \$2.99 for every claim we
25		process on your behalf. Generally, one patient visit

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Page 13 1 translates to one claim. We would do it essentially for 2 \$3.00 a claim. 3 I did medical billing many years ago 4 when I bought it from David. I don't want to ever do 5 that again. It's a very tedious process and I wasn't 6 interested in doing the day-to-day work. What I would 7 do is get these doctors under contract and I would put 8 in all those contracts this contract is assignable in 9 its entirety. So then you take that contract and the 10 sell it to someone else who actually wanted to run or 11 own or expand, or whatever, their own medical billing 12 business. 13 People would come to me and say I don't 14 have any skills in sales and marketing but I really want 15 to run a medical billing business. Please help me get 16 clients. So I would get the clients onboard, assign 17 them over to them and that person was supposed to take 18 care of it. If they didn't know how to do medical 19 billing, I would give them training, software that they 20 would need, ongoing support so they could be successful 21 and my job was to bring the doctors onboard. 22 Essentially be the sales arm for other 23 people's medical billing operation. Medical billing was 24 one thing, medical collection, bring doctors onboard 25 that needed medical collection services and then hand it

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1		off to other people who wanted to do medical collection.
2		That was the way the business was run.
3	Q.	So this Revenue Asset Services, LLC of Michigan, did it
4		already have contracts with doctors to do billing for
5		them when you sold it to Mr. Bernardo?
6	Α.	No. We considered doctors that would come onboard
7		inventory. We try to keep inventory as close to zero as
8		possible. If a doctor came onboard we would
9		immediately, within an hour, the same day usually,
10		assign it to someone else who needed to get another
11		contract to fill their contract. I call them block
12		owners.
13		If a block owner said give me 15
14		medical billing doctors, I would fill them under an
15		ongoing basis as quickly as they could absorb it. I
16		would keep doing marketing until they got to 15 doctors
17		or however many doctors they needed to get to. So we
18		didn't keep inventory in-house unless it was absolutely
19		necessary. At the time that I ran the company it was
20		never necessary. There was always another block owner
21		who said, okay, I'm ready for another client, send one
22		on over.
23	Q.	What was it that was sold if not contracts to Mr.
24		Bernardo, was it the ability to be a block owner? I'm
25		confused.

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1	Α.	I had a couple block owners. I sold all those block
2		owners to Mr. Bernardo and said when this person gets
3		eight contracts, or whatever the number is, they're
4		going to pay a benchmark payment of \$10,000 or whatever
5		it is. When they get to some number of clients, they're
6		going to make you a monthly payment of whatever it is,
7		depending what the block owner's contract says.
8		So the contract with the block owner
9		was sold to Mr. Bernardo as part of Revenue Asset
10		Services because Revenue Asset Services owned that
11		contract. I'm not sure if I'm making sense. I can
12		clarify it more if I need to.
13	Q.	I'm not familiar with medical billing at all.
14	Α.	Okay.
15	Q.	So try and break it down for me easily. Let's say A is
16		doctors or a doctor, B is Revenue Asset Services
17		Michigan, C is your block owners. Clarify what does a
18		block owner mean?
19	Α.	They would get a block of contracts. Like 15 doctors
20		offices would be assigned to them and that would fill
21		their block.
22	Q.	So they were the ones processing the claims?
23	Α.	On a day-to-day basis, correct. They were not my
24		employees. They were just people that came to me and
25		said I will pay you X amount of dollars if you give me Y

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	number of doctors, to break it down in very simple
	terms.
Q.	So you would recruit the doctors and then plug them into
	a block owner?
Α.	Yes.
Q.	How much did they pay you for that?
Α.	It depended on the contract. Some people went very
	small and said I don't know you, I've never heard of you
	so I'm just going to put up \$5,000 or whatever the
	number is and we'll see how it goes. As clients would
	come in, like every third client they would pay me
	another \$5,000. Others said I'm not a small fish, I'm a
	bigger fish in the sea, I want to do a \$35,000 contract,
	so I will pay you \$35,000 up front and when I get eight
	doctors I'll pay you another \$15,000, when I get 15
	doctors I'll pay you the final \$15,000, and if I still
	like it after we do that then the next contract I'll put
	up \$75,000. I never got to a \$75,000 contract with the
	medical billing, but that was the intent, to keep going
	for people that were still interested and wanted to
	become a repeat buyer.
Q.	Then these doctors are locked in on the contract to stay
	with the block owner since you have the ability to
	transfer it?
Α.	The doctor could exit their contract with 30 days
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1		notice, that was also written into their contract, and
2		that was fully disclosed to all the block owners.
3		Generally speaking, if you're doing a good job and
4		everything is going smoothly, why would they leave you
5		type of thing. If you're doing a bad job, you're
6		essentially going to kill the doctor's revenue and if
7		they're locked into you for one year or five years or
8		whatever, the doctor is going to go bankrupt before the
9		one year is over, so that's not a good business
10		practice.
11	Q.	Tell me how Revenue Asset Services fits into this
12		equation of you getting doctors and then tying them up
13		with the block owners.
14	Α.	So there are two sides to the business. One is with the
15		doctors and one is with the block owners. Revenue Asset
16		Services would go out and do marketing and sales work by
17		phone, fax, telemarketing. Eventually out of a thousand
18		doctors, or whatever, some percentage of those doctors
19		are going to sign up throughout the sales cycle, whether
20		you call them and explain what we do and how we do what
21		we do. We sell them on all the aspects of what we do.
22		Anyway, some number of those doctors are going to sign
23		up. When they sign up, they're immediately assigned out
24		to a block owner.
25	Q.	That doesn't tell me what Revenue Asset Services

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1 Michigan has done.

2	Α.	We would do the marketing, which is 80 percent of the
3		job is just doing marketing and controlling the
4		marketing and making sure there's not too much out there
5		or too little. When a block owner says give me clients
6		more aggressively, we increase the marketing. Doing the
7		marketing is really 80 percent of the job, convincing
8		them to sign a contract with us. To let us handle their
9		medical billing is a big undertaking. That's 80 percent
10		of the job. The other 20 percent is managing the block
11		owners, making sure they have the resources that they
12		need, making sure if they have a question, like if this
13		is a workmen's comp claim, it's weird, which is true,
14		then I would go and say here's the stuff you need to go
15		through, call workmen's comp, you're going to need X, Y,
16		Z before you can file the claim because workmen's comp
17		requires medical justifications, on and on and on.
18	Q.	You were the party doing that for Revenue Asset
19		Services?
20	Α.	I was helping, ongoing training with the block owners to
21		make sure they could do their job, but, yeah, I was the
22		one controlling that.
23	Q.	And doing the marketing?
24	Α.	I did it in conjunction with David.
25	Q.	David Weinstein?

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1	Α.	Weinstein.
2	Q.	Is there any other employees of Revenue Asset Services,
3		Michigan?
4	Α.	No.
5	Q.	Was there?
6	Α.	No.
7	Q.	So you and David were the only employees?
8	Α.	He was not my employee. He was more like my independent
9		contractor. I guess independent contractor is the
10		correct word.
11	Q.	So you were doing the marketing and managing the block
12		owners. What was David doing?
13	Α.	He was helping with marketing. Marketing is a huge
14		thing. There's no way one person can do it all. He
15		would help with sales calls as they came in. You have
16		to get to these calls in real time. No doctor wants to
17		deal with a billing company that can't answer their
18		sales line. That was his primary job. He also helped
19		me with the telemarketing side of it. He has a
20		telemarketing firm, I don't know if they're his personal
21		employees or not, but he has a team of people that does
22		that.
23		He would coordinate with the list
24		brokers to identify doctors that would be part of our
25		group of people that like doctors that work at

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1		hospitals we can't do. We can't do hospital billing.
2		The hospital has their own billers. Even if we did get
3		a hospital, I don't know how many thousands of claims
4		they process a day, but that would be ridiculous to give
5		to anyone. He would help me identify who would be part
6		of the appropriate target group. We didn't do dentists
7		because dental billing is a whole different animal. He
8		would identify outpatient private practice doctors that
9		fits certain criteria and then go identify them as part
10		of a list.
11	Q.	And so how was the compensation of you and David decided
12		for Revenue Asset Services Michigan?
13	Α.	The way I would do it is when a person signed up all
14		their up-front money would be used strictly for
15		marketing to get them through as much of their contract
16		until they defaulted on us, they quit, or said I've had
17		enough, this is not the business for me.
18	Q.	When you say a person who signed up, you mean a
19		potential block owner?
20	Α.	Block owner. They would put up some up-front money.
21		That was designed strictly for the marketing. And then
22		we go through their contract and when we came to the end
23		of their contract and whatever was left over was the
24		profit of the business and we would split that equally.
25	Q.	You and David would split that equally?

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1	Α.	Yes. If the down payment was big enough, we would take
2		part of the money up front, but that wasn't the way I
3		wanted to do business.
4	Q.	When Mr. Bernardo buys this company, is he expected to
5		take over operations as far as doing the work that you
6		were doing and/or David?
7	Α.	He was expected to replace me. David offered to keep
8		working with them and be his ongoing independent
9		contractor. I'm not a lawyer. I don't know the right
10		word for it. David offered to say I will stay onboard
11		and we'll split up the duties, what you're good at and
12		what I'm good at.
13	Q.	So in your 2016 tax return, if you flip backwards and
14		find that. I'm looking at the 2016 Form 1040 U.S.
15		Individual Tax Return for Vijayakumar Reddy as well as
16		the Michigan tax return for that same year, same person.
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	Is this a document that you've seen before?
19	Α.	Yeah.
20	Q.	That's your tax returns?
21	Α.	Correct.
22		(Deposition Exhibit C was
23		marked for Identification.)
24	BY MR.	MILLER:
25	Q.	If you look at the federal return, the first one,

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1		Schedule C, which is profit or loss from business. It's
2		about the fourth page of the document. There it is.
3		You see that on top, Profit or Loss from a Business, and
4		that's for medical consulting sales and marketing is the
5		principal type of business?
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	And the business name of Revenue Asset Services?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	Is that one in the same, Revenue Asset Services of
10		Michigan, LLC, that we've been discussing?
11	Α.	Correct.
12	Q.	And so the gross receipt or sales of \$81,000, is that
13		what you and David split or is that your split already?
14		Let me clarify. You mentioned you and David would split
15		the income from the business. That \$81,000, does that
16		represent the total gross sales of the business or just
17		your portion of it?
18	Α.	I don't recall. I'm inclined to say that's my part of
19		it. I think that's my part of it.
20	Q.	Let me ask it another way. Look down at line 31 on that
21		same page. You see that was the net profit after all
22		the business expenses and all that, that number \$36,944.
23		Is that what you received after splitting with David or
24		is that the total income for 2016, total net income for
25		2016 of Revenue Asset Services, LLC Michigan?

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1	Α.	I don't recall how I know he had expenses that are
2	<i>.</i>	not recorded here because he had the telemarketing team,
3		so I'm inclined to say that \$81,000 was my part of what
4		I had to pay off and the \$36,944 is what was left over
5		after I covered my expenses for building brochures,
6		phone, fax, Internet, cell phone, gas.
7	Q.	Did Revenue Asset Services, LLC Michigan ever file its
8		own tax return?
9	Α.	No. It was a pass-through.
10	Q.	Do you know if it was listed on Mr. Weinstein's tax
11		return in the same way, on a Schedule C?
12	Α.	I have no idea how he did his taxes.
13	Q.	Understood. The money that was paid to you, how was it
14		paid to you?
15	Α.	What do you mean?
16	Q.	Did it come in the form of checks, was it cash payments,
17		was it direct deposit?
18	Α.	The block owners would pay the brokerage firm, which in
19		this case was Tannenbaum & Milask. Tannenbaum & Milask
20		would take ten percent of whatever the contract value
21		was and give it to whoever the broker was for that
22		particular transaction that brought the block owner to
23		us and then yeah, whatever is left over how did we
24		split it, though? Some portion of the profit was just
25		sent to me as a check from Tannenbaum & Milask.

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1	Q.	So checks you received were issued by Tannenbaum &
2		Milask?
3	Α.	Yes.
4	Q.	Did they issue you a 1099?
5	Α.	No, I don't think so, although it was a couple years
6		ago and I'm trying to recall the information. I have
7		some recollection some of these people might have
8		written a check to me directly and I took ten percent
9		off and paid Tannenbaum, who eventually paid off the
10		broker. I'm sorry. I'm trying to be as complete as
11		possible but I just don't recall how it was done.
12	Q.	Expenses you list on the same sheet. If you look at
13		line number 9, you have car and truck expenses. Do you
14		recall what those expenses were for?
15	Α.	Mostly maintenance of my car that I had to drive around
16		to some of these doctor offices. Anywhere in the
17		Midwest area, if I could, and they were a large enough
18		contract, I'd go meet the doctors personally. I spent a
19		lot of time on the road between the car, the
20		maintenance, the tolls because I'd go to Pennsylvania as
21		well, and it added up to \$4,967.
22	Q.	What kind of car was it?
23	Α.	Toyota RAV4.
24	Q.	That's the same Toyota RAV4 that you still have?
25	Α.	Yes.

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1	Q.	Do you drive it still, is that how you got here today?
2	Α.	Yes.
3	Q.	Commission and fees, line number 10, \$12,500, is that
4		the portion that was paid to Tannenbaum & Milask?
5	Α.	Not necessarily. Tannenbaum & Milask was one of the
6		brokers that made themselves available. There was
7		another broker in Florida, John I can't think of his
8		company. He had a Florida brokerage firm, I can't
9		recall the name of that company, but he brought in
10		people as well. I believe that he was some part of that
11		\$12,500. It's not strictly \$12,500 all went to
12		Tannenbaum. Some portion of that would have went
13		straight to John.
14	Q.	I'm confused. If the income was \$81,000 and you're only
15		keeping ten percent, why would the commissions and fees
16		be so much less?
17	Α.	Because the commissions and fees are based on the total
18		amount of the contract. If someone said I'll put up
19		\$10,000 now but the total value of their contract when
20		it all was paid off, let's say it's \$55,000, then the
21		commission would be \$5,500. So it throws off the
22		numbers. I can see where the confusion would come in,
23		it's skewed a little bit, so the brokers are making more
24		than their ten percent because if the block owner never
25		completes their contract because they quit the business,

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1		they never pay the rest of what's owed then I'm out the
2		money. But the broker made their ten percent off the
3		full amount, whatever the contract amount would have
4		been.
5	Q.	You have an expense for supplies. What sort of
6		supplies? Is that just paper, marketing materials?
7	Α.	Brochure material, marketing material, ink cartridges
8		for a very expensive printer. The printer itself was
9		like \$1,200 but the cartridges for that is really
10		expensive and we run through them very quickly because
11		we send out so many brochures.
12	Q.	You have expenses under line 25 for utilities. Does
13		Revenue Asset Services have or did it have an office?
14	Α.	It did at one point. We shut it down in 2016 because it
15		just didn't make sense to keep an expense that big, but,
16		yeah, I think it was early in the year, I don't recall
17		what time of the year it was, but it just didn't make
18		sense to maintain it.
19	Q.	You shut it down before the sale to Bernardo?
20	Α.	Yes.
21	Q.	Do you remember where it was located?
22	Α.	You want the address? I know how to get there. I can't
23		recall the name of the road. Packard Road in Ann Arbor.
24	Q.	Michigan?
25	Α.	Michigan.

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1	Q.	So if you go to that same tab of Revenue Asset
2		Management, it should be after the taxes.
3	Α.	My page starts with 2 of 3. I don't know what happened
4		to 1 of 3. Oh, here it is. My fault.
5	Q.	You see an Offer to Purchase?
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	Is that something you prepared?
8	Α.	I think it was jointly prepared between me and Joseph.
9	Q.	So you've seen this document before?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	And that page 3 of 3, that's your signature there?
12	Α.	Yes.
13		(Deposition Exhibit D was
14		marked for Identification.)
15		MR. MILLER: Let the record reflect I had
16		that marked as Exhibit D.
17	Α.	I think the exhibits are missing from this document,
18		though. It's only three pages long.
19	BY MR.	MILLER:
20	Q.	Number 1 on that Offer to Purchase describes websites,
21		equipment, trade fixtures, inventory, supplies,
22		trademarks, trade names, phone numbers, contracts and
23		all other tangible and intangible assets used in the
24		business known as Revenue Asset Services.
25	Α.	Correct.

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1	Q.	What is the website?
2	Α.	I think the website at that time was
3		revenueassetservices.com or .net.
4	Q.	Does it still exist?
5	Α.	I'm not paying for it. I never tried to go to it again.
6		I'm not sure.
7	Q.	The equipment of the business, what was that?
8	Α.	It would have been any brochure supplies that I had in
9		my possession.
10	Q.	Equipment is not necessarily supplies, though. Later on
11		it asks for supplies. What is the equipment, printers?
12	Α.	No, I didn't give him a printer. I told him he needed
13		to buy a printer and gave him the model number for my
14		printer and said you should get an equivalent one, but
15		mine was seven or eight years old. I told him to get an
16		equivalent one of that model. I don't know if they
17		still manufactured it or not. I think the word was put
18		in there to be sure we were thorough.
19	Q.	So there was no equipment then?
20	Α.	I guess not, no. I don't know the legal terminology of
21		it, but no.
22	Q.	What about trade fixtures?
23	Α.	I'm not even sure what that is. He insisted we put that
24		in there. I don't know the legal significance of that.
25		I guess a fixture is something that's physical, but I

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1		don't know what else he got that was physical other than
2		what was on my thumb drive.
3	Q.	It references trademarks as well.
4	Α.	There was no trademarks but I threw it in there because
5		he wanted to be thorough.
6	Q.	Did Revenue Asset Services have a phone number?
7	Α.	Yes, it had 800 numbers, which I transferred to him.
8	Q.	And you had mentioned earlier that there were no
9		contracts at the time of the sale?
10	Α.	There were contracts with block owners but with doctors
11		I had already assigned everything. So inventory was
12		zero with doctors.
13	Q.	The contracts with the block owners were I send you a
14		doctor and you pay me ten percent?
15	Α.	Right. That was Exhibit something that is not here.
16		You might have put it somewhere else.
17	Q.	If you flip through a little bit
18	Α.	(Interposing) If it's in there, that's fine.
19	Q.	you'll come upon an acquisition agreement. I believe
20		that's the one you're referring to that would have the
21		exhibits.
22	Α.	Yeah.
23		(Deposition Exhibit E was
24		marked for Identification.)
25	BY MR.	MILLER:

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1	Q.	What we're looking at is an Acquisition Agreement as
2		well as exhibits attached to that that I've had marked
3		as Exhibit E. Do you recognize these documents as well?
4	Α.	Yes. I jointly prepared them with Mr. Bernardo.
5	Q.	And on Page 4 of that Acquisition Agreement your
6		signature appears there above your name?
7	Α.	Correct.
8	Q.	And Mr. Bernardo is it Bernard or Bernardo?
9	Α.	He's given it to me both ways. He told me Bernardo was
10		his family name but Bernard is what he used with his
11		contracts. I just took his word for it.
12	Q.	But that's his signature on Page 4?
13	Α.	Yeah. What happened was he signed it, if you look after
14		Page 7, you'll see his signature again. That was his
15		attempt to do a digital signature. He did that around
16		October 27th or 28t. I wasn't satisfied with it so I
17		physical drove down to Chicago and we signed it again
18		and that's where his signature is from November 1st.
19	Q.	On page 4?
20	Α.	On page 4. The pages after page 4, I don't know if that
21		was binding or not. His personal banker also signed it,
22		which is page 9, not marked.
23	Q.	Do you know what that name is?
24	Α.	Sumitra Parikh.
25	Q.	Can you spell that?

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1	Α.	Let me find it for you. It's on page 7.
2	Q.	So Sumitra Parikh was Mr. Bernard's personal banker?
3	Α.	Correct.
4	Q.	So it mentions in the recitals on the first page you're
5		the hundred percent owner of the membership interest in
6		Revenue Asset Services?
7	Α.	Correct.
8	Q.	How does Mr. Weinstein come into play there?
9	Α.	He's not an equity owner. He's my independent
10		contractor that helps me with stuff. I don't know the
11		legal terminology. I guess that's the best way to
12		describe him. The reason he's not part of the company
13		is because we don't agree on how to run companies and
14		we're better off being I'm the one who owns the company
15		and I'll make the decisions about how to do things and
16		you just do whatever it is that you do.
17	Q.	Do you still work with him?
18	Α.	I assist him but he doesn't pay me for the work I'm
19		doing. I don't spend more than two hours a week maybe
20		doing various things for him because he asks for it.
21		It's more of a professional courtesy and at some point
22		in the future I might need him. It's partly an
23		investment of my time knowing he'll return the favor
24		later. It's not like we have a financial arrangement.
25	Q.	What kind of things will you do for him?

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1	Α.	If he says could you read this document, because he's
2		poor at spelling and grammar, and I'll fix it for him.
3		Like on the website if he says I don't know how to do an
4		SEO for this search term, can you help me, it will take
5		me a few minutes' time. I talk to him more than I work
6		for him. I talk to him a couple hours a week. He's a
7		good friend of mine. I've known him for like 12 years.
8	Q.	You said on the website. What website?
9	Α.	He has a website, medassetmanagement.com, .net.
10	Q.	You said Med Asset Management?
11	Α.	M-e-d management.com, I think. It's still a work in
12		progress. The website is not complete.
13	Q.	On that first page of the Acquisition Agreement marked
14		as Exhibit E you see item 1.2, the purchase price for
15		\$500,000?
16	Α.	Yes.
17	Q.	Did you receive any of that purchase price?
18	Α.	None. There was no down payment because he essentially
19		admitted he lied when he he sent a form to Tannenbaum
20		& Milask saying he had a hundred thousand dollars
21		available for funds purchase, but he admitted to me when
22		I met him in person he didn't have the hundred thousand
23		dollars. He really wanted to get out of his current
24		industry and he begged me and said I really, really want
25		to do this so can we work out an arrangement when money

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1		comes in you'll get a certain percentage of it until a
2	-	hundred thousand dollars is paid off? As more money
3		comes in, you'll get 80 percent for the first hundred
4		thousand, 60 percent when we cross that threshold, then
5		40 percent when we cross 200,000 and so on, but he quit
6		the business after about ten days is my recollection.
7		There were people ready to sign up but he refused to do
8		what needed to be done to get them to sign up.
9	Q.	What do you mean people ready to sign up?
10	Α.	The brokers had lined up, Ray something or other,
11		anyway, Ray said I want to do a deal for \$35,000 to
12		start and we'll see how it goes. He was ready, okay,
13		give me the contract, let me put my signature down, but
14		Joseph refused to do anything.
15	Q.	The block owners were ready?
16	Α.	Yes. I think it's referenced in the later e-mails.
17	Q.	The second page of that document, item 2.6, it says the
18		broker record of this transaction is Tannenbaum $\&$
19		Milask. That's the one you've been referring to.
20		Correct?
21	Α.	Correct.
22	Q.	It references a broker listing agreement. Is that
23		something you are in possession of?
24	Α.	Where do you see that?
25	Q.	In item 2.6, that second sentence says both parties

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1		acknowledge seller will pay any commissions or fees
2		required by Tannenbaum & Milask, Inc. as part of their
3		broker listing agreement.
4	Α.	I never signed one with Tannenbaum & Milask. I think
5		that was something Joseph put in there, that whole
6		section. It didn't seem to matter that much to me. I
7		think the last sentence was the operative sentence,
8		buyer is not responsible for any fees or commissions
9		payable to the brokers because he didn't want to be
10		paying out anything at closing.
11	Q.	So on page 4 of 7 of that same document, the Schedule A
12		- Contingent Assets, CJPS Services, two collection
13		blocks, one billing block. Is that what you've been
14		referring to as a block owner?
15	Α.	Correct, and there's six of them here.
16	Q.	Who owns CJPS Services?
17	Α.	I don't recall, actually. It was a corporation, a C
18		Corp, and that's all I remember about those people.
19		They were kind of miserable to deal with, as I remember,
20		but I don't recall the owner's name. I think it was a
21		man who was the miserable one but I don't recall his
22		name.
23	Q.	And Cindy Tyler, is that an individual?
24	Α.	Yes. She's in Michigan, Minnesota, Michigan. I'm
25		pretty sure it's Michigan.

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1	Q.	Do you still work with her?
2	A.	I've not heard from her since a little bit after the
3		sale. She called me to complain that Joseph Bernardo
4		wasn't answering her calls.
5	Q.	And Gary Tucker, is that an individual?
6	Α.	Yes.
7	Q.	And do you know where he is?
8	Α.	Somewhere down south but I don't remember which state.
9	Q.	Have you talked to him recently?
10	Α.	Not since the sale went south. He called to complain
11		also about Joseph wouldn't return his calls.
12	Q.	What about IBN Corporation?
13	Α.	They're an Indian company and same thing. They called
14		me to complain Joseph wasn't responding and they wanted
15		advice what they need to do next. Each of these people
16		were pretty close to hitting a benchmark or completing a
17		contract or whatever it was. If he had done a little
18		bit of work, he could have made a little bit of money.
19	Q.	Paul V, is that an individual as well?
20	Α.	Yes. I'm blanking on his last name. I think he's in
21		the same state as Gary, is my recollection, and they're
22		somewhere down south because they had a southern accent.
23	Q.	What about DRC Systems USA?
24	Α.	My recollection is they're an Indian company.
25	Q.	What happened to these companies after you sold the

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1		business as far as receiving clients? Did they continue
2		to receive clients or did anyone pick up the reigns for
3		Mr. Bernardo?
4	Α.	The clients the doctors you mean?
5	Q.	Well, the job of Revenue Asset Services, LLC was to pull
6		in these doctors and plug them into these blocks.
7		Correct?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	And so what happened with these block owners once Mr.
10		Bernardo stopped or when you sold the business and they
11		stopped getting new clients, new doctors?
12	Α.	I got a lot of angry phone calls. I think most of these
13		people were far enough along that they got the value of
14		what they already paid for. If they put up 10,000 or
15		20,000 or whatever it was, then they got at least that
16		number of clients, plus the training and other things.
17		This is strictly my conjecture and assumptions. If they
18		were thinking of suing me or Joseph, they went to an
19		attorney and the attorney said they're going to go
20		through all this and we're going to go through
21		mitigation and whatever, how much is your actual damages
22		based on what you paid? I think the answer for probably
23		most or all these people is pretty much almost nothing
24		and is it worth it to litigate for 2,000 or 3,000 based
25		on what they had received up to that point.

Page 37 1 If you broke down the value of each 2 client plus the training they got and the ongoing 3 support, it came up to some number value, which they got 4 from me with no problems at all. I told them they 5 should do whatever they felt they needed to do, whether 6 it was to sue me or sue Joseph, but I didn't feel it was 7 legal for me to take back a business from him without 8 filing a lawsuit. Maybe I'm wrong about that, I didn't 9 consult with an attorney, but it seemed like he could have sued me if I tried to take back clients that 10 11 technically belonged to him or the company. I was kind 12 of paralyzed for a few weeks, a month, whatever, and 13 then eventually the phone calls just stopped and I was 14 sort of stunned and didn't do anything for all of 2017. 15 Ο. My question after that is, if each of these had gotten 16 most of what they were to receive and there was only a 17 couple thousand left, where is the value that's going to Mr. Bernardo? 18 19 Well, let's say like CJPS, their receivables was Α. 20 \$75,000. Let's say he got nine clients, I have no idea 21 where he was at when he got to the point where he was 22 at, if he was at nine clients then all he needed was one more client then he would have put up \$5,000. 23 There was 24 value there. I think clients did come in because the 25 marketing didn't stop abruptly. Even if I put a bunch

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1		of stuff out there today, I just can't stop it once it's
2		out there. People will call and people will send in
3		their contracts.
4	Q.	Would these companies then be obligated to keep
5		accepting or, I guess, they would want to keep accepting
6		doctors from Mr. Bernardo?
7	Α.	I would assume logically that he would want to sign the
8		contract, hand it over, take their money, but he chose
9		not to. He chose not to sign anything at all, even the
10		doctors that were coming in. So there was a lot of
11		value if he had just if he literally had done nothing
12		but signed contracts for doctors and handed them out to
13		people but he refused to do anything.
14	Q.	How much do you think he would have made?
15	Α.	He could have made a lot based on the receivable that
16		were out there. So if you just added the receivables,
17		it comes out to about \$250,000 overall. There's still
18		money from the 250 that would go to expenses, so I don't
19		want to say it was all profit. It was not.
20	Q.	So there's \$200,000 out there to be gained, you sell it
21		to Mr. Bernardo for supposedly \$500,000?
22	Α.	That was the asking price. I think that was the
23		acquisition price.
24	Q.	And he pays you nothing?
25	Α.	Correct.

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1	Q.	Why didn't you see an attorney?
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	Α.	I was told that he had nothing. He told me when I first
3		met with him that he lied about how much he didn't
4		have a hundred thousand dollars available for making an
5		acquisition. He told me about his import-export wine
6		company was doing badly for various economic reasons
7		that I couldn't really follow. He begged me to let him
8		do this and he was a hard worker and he sold me on it,
9		so I went forward with it. I guess it was sort of I've
10		seen this before, like if someone has no money and you
11		go sue them, what is the point on spending \$10,000 on an
12		attorney to get nothing.
13	Q.	I don't mean seeing an attorney to sue him for the
14		purchase price, I mean to void the contract so you can
15		pick up where you left off and recover these 250,
16		\$200,000 of receivables.
17	Α.	I didn't even know that was possible. It didn't occur
18		to me, actually.
19	Q.	Weren't you upset when Mr. Bernardo didn't pay you
20		anything for this and you did all this hard work and it
21		was left on the table?
22	Α.	Yes. I was extremely upset. I probably wasn't thinking
23		clearly. Between them and getting all these people
24		complaining to me that I'm going to come after you and
25		him, I was mostly bracing for the idea that I'm going to

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1		get hit with all these lawsuits and there's nothing I
2		can do about it. It didn't occur to me to pick up the
3		reigns. I would assume it would take years to go
4		through litigation that way. Maybe I'm wrong. I did
5		not consult an attorney.
6	Q.	Did you ask David Weinstein about that?
7	Α.	No. He felt sorry for me, you know, he said if there's
8		anything I can do for you let me know. He's not an
9		attorney either.
10	Q.	But you do have a lot of schooling, so you understand
11		business clearly and understand medical billing clearly.
12	Α.	Yeah, but the law is a little bit outside my wheelhouse.
13	Q.	Page 5 of 7, the first two contingent liabilities. What
14		is the difference there between Schedule A and Schedule
15		B? It looks like a copy and paste.
16	Α.	That was something Joseph put together. He said
17		basically, maybe he's wrong, but he said basically when
18		you make a stock purchase that the clients, under this
19		scenario, the clients that are being sold are both
20		assets and liabilities, assets because they have
21		receivables that you'll eventually get, but those assets
22		are also liabilities because it takes money to do the
23		things that need to get done so you can collect those
24		receivables. It sounded like circular logic to me, but
25		it seemed important to him so I said okay.

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1	Q.	So page 7 of 7 there, is that Mr. Bernard's signature as
2		well, Joseph M. Bernard, who we also have been referring
3		to as Mr. Bernardo?
4	Α.	Correct.
5	Q.	And Mr. Bernardo lives at 3457 West Irving Park Road,
6		Chicago, Illinois, 60618?
7	Α.	I think that's his storage unit he has. I think he
8		lived at the other address, 1313 something Lundergan
9		Avenue.
10	Q.	Is that on the
11	Α.	(Interposing) I think it's in the e-mails I turned over.
12	Q.	Okay. If you need to take a break at any time, just let
13		me know.
14	Α.	No, it's just this cough.
15	Q.	To your knowledge, is Revenue Asset Services, LLC
16		continuing any business operations?
17	Α.	Revenue Asset Services of Michigan?
18	Q.	Yes.
19	Α.	My understanding is he just abandoned it and left it.
20		He didn't even contact the State of Michigan to do
21		whatever transfer paperwork was necessary. I sent him
22		the link but he even refused to do that.
23	Q.	You understand you could have sued Mr. Bernardo.
24		Correct?
25	Α.	Yeah. I mean, I know I could have sued him, you can sue

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1		anyone for any reason, but my concern was how much am I
2		going to get back from him, which I think the answer was
3		zero.
4	Q.	Is that why you didn't put it on your bankruptcy
5		schedules as far as an asset of yours?
6	Α.	Yeah. It didn't occur to me it was an asset. If I need
7		to amend my bankruptcy papers, I'm happy to do that, but
8		I don't think it will change anything.
9	Q.	To your knowledge, has Mr. Weinstein sued Mr. Bernardo
10		at all?
11	Α.	No. Well, I think he would have told me but I think the
12		answer is no. I don't know what his grounds would be
13		for suing him.
14	Q.	You had mentioned some e-mails you turned over. I did
15		pull some excerpts from them. They're in the front
16		pocket of the binder you have in front of you.
17		(Deposition Exhibit F was
18		marked for Identification.)
19		MR. MILLER: Those are marked as Exhibit
20		F.
21	BY MR.	MILLER:
22	Q.	Have you seen these documents before?
23	Α.	Yes. I turned them over to you.
24	Q.	That first page looks like an e-mail from you to Joseph,
25		Mr. Bernardo. Correct?

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1	Α.	Correct.
2	Q.	And quoting you, you say "Specifically I need to close
3		my bank account before I sign." What bank account are
4		you referring to?
5	Α.	There is a bank account at TCF Bank that I used for
6		Revenue Asset Services. I think it had a few thousand
7		dollars in it when I closed it.
8	Q.	When did you close it?
9	Α.	It would have been around the end of October 2016 before
10		the sale was complete.
11	Q.	This e-mail is dated 10-29-16.
12	Α.	Then it would have been like 10-30, 10-29 possibly. It
13		was done in the afternoon.
14	Q.	Is that a business checking account then?
15	Α.	Yes. I used to pay for, like, the website maintenance,
16		the 800 numbers, other things for the business.
17	Q.	Was it in your name or the business' name?
18	Α.	The business' name.
19	Q.	But you were a signatory on it?
20	Α.	Right.
21	Q.	Was anyone else signed on the account?
22	Α.	No.
23	Q.	My June 8th record request letter had requested copies
24		of all monthly statements, check registers, canceled
25		checks for all checking, savings, investment, credit and

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1		other financial accounts in which you had an interest
2		for March 1, 2016 to present including all accounts held
3		in your name, held jointly or any accounts you merely
4		used or had access to including closed accounts. So
5		this account would fall under that request. Correct?
6	Α.	I don't think so because the account doesn't belong to
7		me. It belongs to the company and the company belongs
8		to Joseph. I didn't think I was permitted to get that
9		and I don't have any bank statements from that time
10		anyways. I put everything on a little green thumb drive,
11		they're all PDF bank statements and whatnot, and I
12		handed it over to him and I destroyed everything that
13		was in my possession. So if there's a way to get it,
14		I'll be happy to turn it over, but I don't think they'll
15		give it to me anymore.
16	Q.	The end part of that request says any accounts that
17		debtor merely used or had access. You understand that
18		means accounts that you were a signatory on?
19	Α.	Correct, but with no malicious intent, I didn't think
20		it was appropriate to turn over an account for something
21		I didn't own anymore.
22	Q.	You understand that now though. Right?
23	Α.	If you're telling me the truth, I'll take your word for
24		it.
25	Q.	Is there any other accounts you were a signatory on for

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1		March 1, 2016 to present?
2	Α.	No.
3	Q.	You're not a signatory on any other bank accounts?
4	Α.	No, just the ones I turned over to you.
5	Q.	The People's Driven Credit Union is what you're
6		referring to?
7	Α.	Right.
8	Q.	Other than the People's Driven Credit Union account
9		statements you turned over and the TCF business checking
10		account in Revenue Asset Services, LLC of Michigan's
11		name, there were no other accounts you were signatory to
12		from March 1, 2016 to present?
13	Α.	Not that I can recall, no. I'm pretty sure the answer
14		is a complete no.
15	Q.	The third page of the e-mail excerpts that have been
16		marked as Exhibit F, the second e-mail on that page from
17		you to Joseph Bernardo, in your third paragraph you
18		reference signing power of attorney paperwork so you can
19		sign documents on the company's behalf?
20	Α.	Correct.
21	Q.	Were those documents executed?
22	Α.	No.
23	Q.	What was going to be the purpose of that?
24	Α.	I showed him an app on my phone called Sign Now. You
25		can digitally sign documents. So when I would get like

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Page 46 1 a contract from a doctor's office that says I want 2 medical billing, they would fax in their contract, the 3 fax would go to my 800 number and it would convert it to 4 a PDF and send it to me. I could pull it up from my 5 phone, sign it digitally from my phone and forward it to 6 whoever the next block owner was. It was very 7 convenient. When I could do it on my phone, everything 8 was much easier. I showed him the app on my phone and 9 said this is what you should download on your phone. He 10 said that's great but his phone was acting up. It was 11 overheating. He was going to get a new one. I told him 12 when you get your new phone we'll be golden, just 13 download the app. 14 In the meantime I said you'll have to 15 get these contracts, print them at your computer, sign 16 them, scan them, organize them and then e-mail them to 17 the next block owner. It's going to be a little extra 18 work than pushing a button and sending it but that's 19 what happens when you don't have a working phone. He 20 suggested to me why don't we just do it where you sign 21 everything, I'll give you power of attorney and it will 22 be easy to do just until this was done, so we'll make it a limited power of attorney. I think we had a certain 23 24 number of days set aside. 25 I never drew up the paperwork and as

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1		far as I know I don't think he did either. I would have
2		insisted that we sign the documents together in front of
3		a notary so that no one could come back at us later, but
4		he never signed he never produced the documents. I
5		think by the time we got around to the point we'll do it
6		on this date he stopped talking to me.
7	Q.	Did you ever meet him in person?
8	Α.	Two or three times, actually. He's in Chicago.
9	Q.	Do you know about what age he was?
10	Α.	Early to mid 30s.
11	Q.	Do you know his educational background at all?
12	Α.	I probably knew it back then. I don't know it now.
13	Q.	Do you think he went to college?
14	Α.	He has maybe an associate's degree but college might be
15		pushing it.
16	Q.	On the next page of that e-mail excerpt, Exhibit F, the
17		last e-mail on that page is from you to Joseph and
18		references a wire to Tannenbaum. What was that for?
19	Α.	When a block owner signs their initial contract, they
20		either send a check to Tannenbaum or wire to Tannenbaum
21		and the broker works that out with them. They prefer it
22		wired because it's instantaneous and the broker
23		commission gets paid out right away and so forth.
24	Q.	So this Ray Gillani was one of the block owners?
25	Α.	I don't think he ever signed up. I could be wrong about

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1		that. He definitely didn't sign up with Revenue Asset.
2		I don't remember talking to the guy ever.
3	Q.	But he was a potential block owner?
4	A.	He was a potential. I may have spoken with I can't
5		remember.
6	Q.	Is this the Ray you referenced earlier?
7	Α.	Yeah, yes.
8	Q.	You had mentioned a Ray but you couldn't remember his
9		last name.
10	Α.	Yeah.
11	Q.	The last page of that Exhibit F, the front side of it,
12		the first e-mail is an e-mail from you to Joseph,
13		November 5th, 2016. It talks about "Between you and
14		David you should be able to handle most of it. I'll
15		keep doing the trainings," etcetera. So, really, he was
16		replacing you in the business?
17	Α.	That was the intent, yes.
18	Q.	How long had this business been in existence?
19	Α.	About six months before I sold it to him is my
20		recollection, but I'm pretty sure I formed it that year.
21		I got we have the formation documents here somewhere.
22	Q.	You think it was 2016?
23	Α.	I'm sorry, it was 2014. I don't think I did anything
24		with it right away. I think it was late 2015, early
25		2016 I started doing stuff with it.

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1	Q.	You began operations?
2	Α.	Yeah, I began started doing stuff.
3	Q.	So it took you almost a year then to sort of build up
4		this block of business, these block owners, and that's
5		what you were planning on selling to Mr. Bernardo?
6	Α.	Right.
7	Q.	Did you make any income from it in 2015?
8	Α.	2015 I don't think so. I'm inclined to say no. Did I
9		have any clients in 2015? 2015 I was working for a guy
10		named Avner (ph), who was in the medical billing
11		business. I basically took care of his clients for him.
12		I can't recall if I had him pay me directly or if he
13		paid my company, but I made a little bit of money off
14		him in 2015. It might have been 2014. I don't think I
15		had any active block owners that early is my
16		recollection but I can't recall.
17	Q.	In the backside of that very last page there's a screen
18		shot of an e-mail from you to Joseph on November 9,
19		2016. Have you seen this before?
20	Α.	Yes. I wrote that e-mail to him.
21	Q.	So it looks like you were at that point threatening a
22		lawsuit against him?
23	Α.	No, I wasn't threatening a lawsuit against him. I was
24		informing him that all the block owners were probably
25		going to file a lawsuit against him. And I didn't say

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1		this but I expected they were going to file against both
2		of us because I think that's what people do. When they
3		file lawsuits, they file against everyone. No, I wasn't
4		threatening him with anything.
5	Q.	In this e-mail you say, "If you continue this course of
6		action, it will not prevent lawsuits against you."
7	Α.	Yes. I was referencing everyone else that was probably
8		going to sue him. The previous e-mail to this one I
9		sent he said something to the effect of this is hard or
10		I can't do this or this isn't my personality to run this
11		kind of business. And this e-mail here is dated
12		November 9th, so it was nine or ten days after he bought
13		the business that he decided he didn't want it.
14	Q.	You reference here his personal bank account, savings,
15		401 (k) and wine import-export business. Do you have
16		knowledge of those items?
17	Α.	No. I just threw out stuff because I was trying to get
18		him to come back to the table and he was clearly on his
19		way out.
20	Q.	The wine import-export business is oddly specific. Had
21		he mentioned something like that before?
22	Α.	Yeah. He said he was in the wine import-export business
23		when I met him, but he said it was going downhill for
24		various international I don't know about the wine
25		import-export business, but someone else was flooding

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1		the market or something and that's why he wanted to exit
2		that business and go into a profitable business in the
3		health care sector because it was recession proof.
4	Q.	Did he mention any names of any businesses or anything
5		like that?
6	Α.	Not that I recall. Unless it's listed in the e-mail, I
7		don't think he did. He may have during one of our
8		conversations but I can't recall from two years ago.
9	Q.	The People's Choice Credit Union account statement we
10		referenced earlier that was turned over, there wasn't
11		much going on in that account at all. Correct?
12	Α.	Correct.
13	Q.	The statements that you turned over were from March
14		31st, 2016 to current. Correct?
15	Α.	I think it goes before that but let me take a look here.
16	Q.	I'm sorry, March 1st.
17	Α.	I believe that's the times you requested it for.
18	Q.	You see this is just an excerpt of what you sent me but
19		it's that first statement and then the last statement as
20		well as the balance details.
21	Α.	Yeah.
22	Q.	That you screen-shotted and then it looks like you
23		printed a PDF from the web page for that last page.
24	Α.	Yeah, whatever.
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1		(Deposition Exhibit G was
2		marked for Identification.)
3		MR. MILLER: Let the record reflect I've
4		marked these bank account statements as Exhibit G.
5	BY MR.	MILLER:
6	Q.	You had stated you were making income in 2016 from
7		Revenue Asset Services. Correct?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	That you would either receive payments directly from the
10		block owners or indirectly through Tannenbaum & Milask?
11	Α.	Correct.
12	Q.	What did you do with that money?
13	Α.	I would have deposited it. I think I deposited it to my
14		wife's account. In 2016 I don't think I actually made
15		too terribly much. I think I would have kept some of it
16		in the Revenue Asset Service's account. The real profit
17		would have come from the end when these contracts were
18		fulfilled. I don't think I took much.
19	Q.	I saw in your 2016 tax return there was \$80,000 of
20		income.
21	Α.	I think I had them write it to my wife's account because
22		it was easier to get one big check instead of two small
23		checks because my wife was working for David separately
24		from anything I was doing for him.
25	Q.	This is money that you earned then and it's being paid

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1		out, not operational costs. Correct?
2	Α.	Could you restate that?
3	Q.	So you had mentioned that you had a business bank
4		account?
5	Α.	Um-hmm, yes.
6	Q.	But then that you also had some profit from the
7		business.
8	Α.	That's reflected on the tax return.
9	Q.	Correct. Now, the money that came in and then was paid
10		out for your expenses, like we discussed, did that
11		happen in your business bank account?
12	Α.	For the website, the 800 numbers and so forth, right,
13		that would have came out of the business bank account.
14		So I think I refreshed that enough to make sure there
15		was enough there to take care of all the monthly
16		expenses that might have been incurred. I think the
17		rest of the profit I just told David just write me a
18		check, my wife a check, rather than sending us two
19		separate checks.
20	Q.	What do you mean rather than sending us two separate
21		checks?
22	Α.	He would mail her a check for the work she had done and
23		he would mail me a separate check.
24	Q.	She was doing the same thing?
25	Α.	She was working with David on David's projects. David

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1		had been doing other things with medical billing,
2		medical collection, medical transcription, electronic
3		medical record services, a bunch of things I'm not into.
4	Q.	But those payments to her were separate from the
5		payments to you for the Revenue Asset Services?
6	Α.	Right. She made her own money from him doing stuff she
7		was doing for him.
8	Q.	But your money then was issued on a separate check but
9		still deposited in your wife's account?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	So if you look at those bank statements, would you be
12		able to tell which ones were yours or which ones were
13		hers?
14	Α.	Only because of my tax returns. I could well,
15		individual checks? I don't know. I probably could have
16		if I had all the statements and things I gave to Joseph
17		Bernardo. I could have matched up each one from them.
18	Q.	Where does she bank at?
19	Α.	Chase Bank.
20	Q.	So often banks will keep, I think actually they're
21		required to keep images of the checks that are deposited
22		and posted to the account. If you looked at those
23		checks, would they be designated in any particular way
24		as to differentiate them between payments to you and
25		payments to your wife?

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1	Α.	No. I doubt it. I think it was one giant check he
2		wrote.
3	Q.	You said before it was two separate checks.
4	Α.	That's what I'm saying, why would he send two separate
5		checks. He did not send two separate checks. He sent
6		one giant check and said here, I'm not going to waste
7		another check going to the same address.
8	Q.	How would you know between you and your wife what money
9		was yours, what money was hers?
10	Α.	Well, at the time I would have been able to figure it
11		out by looking at all the stuff that's now not in my
12		possession. That's how I figured out my tax returns,
13		was based on what I did with these people, what she did
14		and I could say this much was set aside for this
15		contract and so forth, but she got all the checks but I
16		assigned a certain portion of it to me. That's how I
17		did my tax returns.
18	Q.	And so why was it going into your wife's account?
19	Α.	Convenience.
20	Q.	Is it you guys had joint expenses and were paying things
21		together?
22	Α.	Yeah, just convenience. Depositing one check rather
23		than going to two separate banks. It didn't occur to me
24		it was important.
25	Q.	Within your responses you mentioned when you lived back

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1		at 4569 Hickory Pointe Boulevard you had paid something
2		like the home maintenance and some of the taxes on that
3		property. Would that have come from that joint account?
4	А.	Yes. The account is strictly owned by my wife. It's
5		not a joint account.
6	Q.	You're not a signatory?
7	А.	Correct.
8	Q.	But that account in your wife's name, that has both your
9		money and her money in it?
10	Α.	Correct.
11	Q.	How do you live day-to-day now? Do you still use that
12		account?
13	Α.	No.
14	Q.	Does your wife?
15	~ A.	Just my wife.
16	Q.	You still live together?
17	A.	Yes.
18	Q.	And so when you need to put gas in your car, what do you
19	2.	do?
20	Α.	Cash.
21	Q.	Where does that cash come from?
22	æ.	From her. I usually keep about a hundred dollars with
23		me at any given time.
23	0	She doesn't give you a debit card to use or anything
24	Q.	like that?
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1	Α.	No.
2	Q.	Does she give you a certain amount of cash each month?
3	Α.	I ask her for it when I need it. We usually have a
4		couple hundred dollars laying around the house. My job
5		right now is mostly to take care of our daughter, who is
6		sick.
7	Q.	I'm sorry to hear about your daughter being sick. When
8		you say sick, does she have a serious illness?
9	Α.	It's pretty serious. Do you need to know the medical?
10		I prefer not to talk about it.
11	Q.	No, I'm just wondering what the nature is. Is that
12		something you do full time?
13	Α.	Someone needs to be with her when she's not in school
14		for her safety. I'll leave it at that.
15	Q.	Do you work around the house?
16	Α.	How do you mean, like a house husband?
17	Q.	What do you do during your days, what is a day in your
18		life spent like?
19	Α.	Cleaning, making sure my daughter doesn't have something
20		that could be harmful to her. I check her a lot and
21		then I just take care of the household.
22	Q.	What about your wife?
23	Α.	She works for Kelly Services who contracted her to Ford.
24	Q.	And then comes home and helps with everything else?
25	Α.	She doesn't do a lot when she gets home, but yeah.

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1	Q.	Eats dinner, watches some TV and hangs out with the
2		daughter?
3	Α.	Yeah.
4	Q.	But she works for Kelly Services full time?
5	Α.	Correct. She started in January. Prior to that she was
6		working with David more but the work with him has
7		tapered off considerably and he advised her to go get a
8		real job, salary job.
9	Q.	What has caused the work to taper off considerably?
10	Α.	You want my conjecture?
11	Q.	If you know anything that's not conjecture, I'd like to
12		know it but, if not, I'll take the conjecture.
13	Α.	Broadly speaking the market changed so there's not as
14		many doctors coming in to do the things we used to do.
15		My conjecture is because of various things President
16		Trump did, like he tried to kill the Affordable Care Act
17		several times, it caused a lot of ripples throughout the
18		entire industry and I think it affected this. I don't
19		have any hard evidence of that.
20	Q.	If you would flip to the tab that says pay stubs MR,
21		later in that booklet. That's your wife's pay stubs
22		there?
23	Α.	Correct.
24	Q.	She works 40 hours a week, gets a regular paycheck?
25	Α.	Correct.

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1	Q.	And she's been doing that since December 2017?
2	A. '	My recollection is January.
3	Q.	Is she at the Troy location or does she work from home?
4	Α.	No, she works on site in Dearborn, I believe.
5	Q.	The next document there under Statement of Commissions,
6		if you can take a look at that.
7		(Deposition Exhibit H was
8		marked for Identification.)
9	Α.	It looks like the car title. Oh.
10	BY MR.	MILLER:
11	Q.	This is marked as Exhibit H. Have you seen this before?
12	Α.	I produced it.
13	Q.	So you created this?
14	Α.	With assistance from my wife and David, yeah.
15	Q.	This is just like a Word document or Excel document you
16		created?
17	Α.	Yes.
18	Q.	So what did you use to create this?
19	Α.	I think I went to the bank statements and looked at any
20		deposits and any deposits that would have come from
21		David specifically.
22	Q.	You say you went to the bank statements. You mean your
23		wife's Chase Bank account?
24	Α.	Yeah. She pulled it up on her computer and said how do
25		I do these.

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1	Q.	So these 2016 deposits, are they all going to be your
2		wife's?
3	Α.	Yes.
4	Q.	So none of these are your deposits for Revenue Asset
5		Services?
6	Α.	No, because it was sold in October. So some of these
7		must be commingled because David sent one check. I
8		might be able to reconstruct it if I asked David for
9		some of the paperwork.
10	Q.	So this is actually a list of deposits from Tannenbaum $\&$
11		Milask to the Chase bank account?
12	Α.	Correct.
13	Q.	Not necessarily only Margaret's income?
14	Α.	Correct.
15	Q.	Some of these 2016 ones
16	Α.	(Interposing) Yeah, the May, June, up until November
17		1st it was sold, so anything from 10-11 going backward
18		might be some commingled statements. 10-11, time looks
19		too small, but I can look at it, but yeah, 5-12-16 to
20		10-11 might be some commingled statements.
21	Q.	If you go back to the tax returns, I want to look at
22		your wife's tax returns that you provided.
23		MR. MILLER: Off the record.
24		(A brief discussion was held
25		off the record.)

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1		MR. MILLER: Back on the record here.
2	BY MR.	MILLER:
3	Q.	We were about to look at your wife's tax returns. It
4		looks like in 2016 she had both wages and business
5		income?
6	Α.	Yes.
7		(Deposition Exhibit I was
8		marked for Identification.)
9		MR. MILLER: I had marked as Exhibit I the
10		2016 and 2017 tax returns of Margaret Reddy. I will be
11		retaining this exhibit and redacting the Social Security
12		numbers prior to giving it back to our court reporter
13		here for the record.
14	BY MR.	MILLER:
15	Q.	It looks like she had wages and business income in 2016?
16	Α.	Yes.
17	Q.	Do you know where she was working?
18	Α.	I think she was working at United Health Group at that
19		time.
20	Q.	She also was getting business income?
21	Α.	Yes.
22	Q.	Do you know what business it was?
23	Α.	It was with David, what she does now.
24	Q.	Do you know what particular business entity or is it
25		just work for Milask, Tannenbaum & Milask?

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1	Α.	I don't know which entity she was getting the money
2		from. He has several businesses. I don't know all the
3		things she was doing for each one of them.
4	Q.	How did you get these tax returns?
5	Α.	She gave them to me. She didn't raise a stink about it.
6		She said hold on, I'm going to pull them up.
7	Q.	Would she give you those Chase Bank statements as well?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	Would she give them to you to turn over to me?
10	Α.	I don't see why not.
11	Q.	You can have her do that for that same applicable
12		period?
13	A.	Sure. Could you e-mail me? That will work.
14	Q.	But all this consulting work on her Schedule C, 2016,
15		that would all be work for David?
16	Α.	Correct.
17	Q.	And/or Tannenbaum & Milask?
18	Α.	Correct.
19	Q.	And remind me again what this work entails.
20	Α.	She pretty much did all the behind-the-scenes work, took
21		sales calls, built brochures. She managed people who
22		had tempers, she in some cases managed David, she helped
23		with the web site, she put her voice on all the 800
24		numbers to say like welcome to whatever the company's
25		name was, press 1 for this, press 2 for that. All the

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1		behind-the-scene's work that no one likes to think about
2		she took care of.
3	Q.	And the commissions then, how was she paid commissions
4		for that behind-the-scene work?
5	Α.	The word commissions I see why it's confusing, but
6		she wasn't doing commission-based work, like she made a
7		sale and made a commission off of it. That was internal
8		lingo that all of us used with each other because just
9		the way we've been working. The same way David was a
10		silent partner for me, she was a silent partner for him
11		in doing things. I don't know what his formula was for
12		how much she got paid, I never thought to ask, but it
13		was always a very generous amount and I wasn't about to
14		look a gift horse in the mouth. Every time he made a
15		sale with whatever work he was doing with her, whether
16		it was with medical collection or transcription, he set
17		aside a certain portion for how much he thought was his
18		profit margin from that and he would pay her based on
19		his formula. I don't know how much he paid himself, but
20		I know how much she got paid and that's where it all
21		came from. He used the word commission. I'm not sure
22		if misnomer in the right word. It's not the way that
23		other people use the word commission in a more
24		traditional business model.
25	Q.	That commission statement that we looked at marked as

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1		Exhibit H, they're not actually commissions?
2	Α.	If I can put more context around it. Let's say someone
3		came in and said I want to buy an electronic medical
4		record system from you, here's my I'm just making up
5		numbers, these aren't real hundred thousand dollars.
6		David would take that and say I need to set aside
7		\$30,000 for taking care of getting the things this guy
8		needs. The other \$70,000 is my profit margin. Of that
9		\$70,000 I'm going to keep X and Y goes to Margaret. Is
10		that a commission? I don't really know.
11	Q.	So do you know what percentage, you said you and David
12		were 50/50, but do you know what percentage your wife
13		was?
14	Α.	It was not 50/50, and I don't really know the formula,
15		but he had a formula that he plugged in and divided by
16		two and multiplied by that and it came out to whatever
17		number it was. David would know the formula but I never
18		asked him for it.
19	Q.	Did you think it was less than half?
20	Α.	I'm pretty sure it was less than half but there's no
21		way it would be more than half. Is it less than half?
22		Probably, but I don't know how much less.
23	Q.	Was there any agreements written between you and David
24		or your wife and David ever?
25	Α.	Yes, there was not in the recent period. When I

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1		first met him in 2005, anyway, at that point when I
2		didn't know him at all we had agreements on everything,
3		like for whatever transaction we had, bar none. After a
4		couple of years getting to know him and being good
5		friends with him, they just sort of faded away because
6		we just understood each other. The only reason that
7		people would write up contracts that way is because they
8		don't trust the other party not to screw them. It's
9		kind of the unspoken sentiment between us. And I would
10		not sue him either. I can't even think in what context
11		I would sue him.
12	Q.	In law school they called contracts planning for the
13		divorce, plan for when bad things happen. So you don't
14		imagine that happening with David?
15	Α.	No. Short of him having a heart attack and not having
16		paid us the last commission, I can't think of any
17		scenario that would upset me with him.
18	Q.	Does David have other, quote-unquote, other silent
19		partners other than you and your wife?
20	Α.	Conjecture, yes, but I don't know who they would be or
21		who they are or what they do.
22	Q.	You think he has other businesses besides the ones you
23		and your wife are helping him out with?
24	Α.	He certainly has other he's always working on
25		something. He's not the kind of guy that sits still and

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1		coasts along. He's the guy that has to keep doing
2		something. I'm not sure if I'm a hundred percent aware
3		of every business he's engaged in and I never asked him
4		for it. When I was working with him it kept me busy
5		enough, but with what my wife does with him kept her
6		busy enough, too. She's not doing almost anything with
7		him now.
8	Q.	Was she doing this at the same time as working for
9		United?
10	Α.	I think there was a very little, if any, overlap between
11		the two. I think she'd come to the end of her time at
12		United because she was miserable there and David says
13		why don't you come work with me and we'll work on this
14		other project I've got going, so that's how that kind of
15		got started. There might have been some overlap at the
16		end but I don't think it was fairly significant.
17	Q.	On her 2016 Schedule C there is an expense listed on
18		line 11 for contract labor and \$126,766. Do you know
19		who that contract labor was or what company?
20	Α.	It was with Karthik Thalmarla. He's my cousin
21		essentially. They were working on something. He worked
22		for Black Rock and financially he's kind of a brilliant
23		guy, but he had been doing stuff and I don't fully
24		understand the nature what of he was doing but it was
25		around businesses that my wife had.

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1	Q.	How do you spell his first name?
2	Α.	K-a-r-t-h-i-k. He is now working with my uncles in
3		Africa. I think he's back, but he works in the African
4		businesses now.
5	Q.	You mentioned Black Rock. What is that?
6	Α.	A consulting firm, like Deloitte & Touche. One of the
7		big ten, big five. He has an MBA.
8	Q.	What was the work that he did for your wife?
9	Α.	I don't know. I know they would talk everyday and
10		working on stuff. I think with the EMR system but I
11		don't want to conjecture on things I don't have good
12		knowledge of.
13	Q.	She lists car and truck expenses on her Schedule C as
14		well. Do you know what that is for?
15	Α.	She did a lot of traveling to Chicago specifically but
16		also to meet with vendors for the EMR. She met with
17		Advanced MD, a couple others. I don't fully understand
18		what that was for but it was for a lot of travel expense
19		she incurred.
20	Q.	Is that for the same RAV4?
21	Α.	No. I believe it was for her Toyota Highlander.
22	Q.	That's what she drives?
23	Α.	That's what she drives.
24	Q.	You drive the RAV4?
25	Α.	Yes.

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1	Q.	But they're both titled in her name?
2	A. '	Yes.
3	Q.	They're both paid off?
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	Who paid those?
6	Α.	She did.
7	Q.	When, do you know?
8	Α.	Whatever year they were bought. I think one was bought
9		in 2015 and the other was 2014. The 2014 one was the
10		RAV4, but my father actually paid for that and then we
11		reimbursed him a few weeks after the sale, but it was
12		still titled in her name.
13	Q.	There were never any loans then?
14	Α.	Right.
15	Q.	What does your father do?
16	Α.	He's a retired physician. He's not working anymore. He
17		does have properties. He has a couple gas stations. He
18		lives in Florida. He has a condo down there. He also
19		owns a home in Indiana, right at the Indiana-Illinois
20		border. He's trying to sell that, too, but he was a
21		physician for 35 odd years.
22	Q.	So now he's sort of a property owner and
23		jack-of-all-trades?
24	Α.	Yeah. He's mostly retired. He's 80 percent retired and
25		20 percent dabbles in stuff.

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1	Q.	On the same Schedule C of your wife's 2016 tax returns
2		there is \$15,000 in expenses for travel, meals and
3		entertainment. Is that for her visits to Chicago?
4	Α.	No, she flew a couple places. She flew to Las Vegas,
5		flew to Philadelphia, the hotel and Uber and then to
6		take out the people she was entertaining.
7	Q.	Again there's utilities listed on here in the amount of
8		\$10,000. Does she have an office she works out of?
9	Α.	No. I'll have to ask her about it. I don't know. I
10		wonder what that is.
11	Q.	When she was doing this consulting work, where was she
12		working?
13	Α.	From a home office. She might have taken out a space
14		for a home office deduction. I think that would be
15		I'll have to ask her.
16	Q.	And on the line 27 A, other expenses, it lists \$125,000.
17		If you flip the page, part B details the other expenses
18		and there's just one line. Under part 5, do you see
19		other expenses? It says consulting fees, Max Global
20		Inc., \$125,000. Do you know what that is for?
21	Α.	Consulting. I can get a breakdown for you. I don't
22		know what it is.
23	Q.	What is Max Global Inc.?
24	Α.	A company in Chicago. It's owned by my uncle.
25	Q.	Which uncle?

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1	Α.	Mohan.
2	Q.	It looks like she was receiving income from David then
3		paying out to your cousin for some contract labor?
4	Α.	She was doing stuff with David. She took a lot of the
5		money she was doing with him and had a separate thing
6		she was doing with my uncle and my cousin.
7	Q.	Do you know what that separate thing was?
8	Α.	It was in the medical industry. They were trying to put
9		together a software package for something with all their
10		expertise. They had an outsource team in India that was
11		coding to create EMR is my understanding. My
12		understanding is pretty poor when it comes to this
13		stuff. My wife is an IT person. I don't know her or
14		like that stuff and when she explains it to me it makes
15		my eyes glaze over. I don't have the details what she
16		was doing.
17	Q.	Do you know if any of this income came from that
18		separate venture she was doing with your cousin and
19		uncle?
20	Α.	I don't understand the question.
21	Q.	On the Schedule C, 2016, there's gross income of
22		\$462,774. Was that income all from her dealings with
23		David or was some of it income from whatever side
24		business she had with your cousin and uncle?
25	Α.	I don't think the side business has generated anything

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1		yet. I think it will soon but it hasn't yet. I'm
2		always told we'll have to wait a few more months and
3		that's all I hear from my uncle, my cousin and wife.
4		I'll leave it to them to do whatever they're doing.
5	Q.	Does your wife have any business interests in her name?
6	Α.	No. This is a sole proprietorship that she was
7		operating under.
8	Q.	She doesn't have any LLCs or corporations or anything in
9		her name?
10	Α.	No.
11	Q.	Remind me again. Max Global Inc., that's Mohan
12		Thalmarla's business?
13	Α.	Yeah.
14	Q.	What does he do?
15	Α.	One of his things is the mining I mentioned earlier in
16		Ghana or wherever it's at. I don't know if he still has
17		an interest in the company or not, but he used to have a
18		flower-type of business. Basically I don't know which
19		country in Africa it is but in some African country
20		there's certain soil conditions and weather conditions
21		that a certain type of flower that's apparently very
22		expensive will grow, so he harvests that and sells it to
23		Israel, Japan, Poland, a couple other countries. That's
24		another thing he does. I don't know if this is part of
25		Max Global or not. But then he has other building
24		another thing he does. I don't know if this is part of

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1		projects in India. His brothers might be more involved
2		than him, but they're building, for lack of a better
3		word, a skyscraper in one of the more industrial cities
4		in India, in Mumbai, I believe. He has a couple other
5		things I'm blanking on. He's got his hand on lots of
6		certain pots and he's constantly traveling.
7	Q.	Is the Thalmarlas, are they related to you by blood?
8	Α.	Yes. They're my mother's brothers. Mohan, I don't know
9		this but I've heard a rumor that Mohan isn't technically
10		our blood relative, he might be more of a distant cousin
11		that might be adopted, but we don't bring it up.
12		There's someone else in the family, Madhavi,
13		M-a-d-h-a-v-i, she is definitely not related to us. She
14		was essentially adopted by, like, a second cousin type
15		of thing, but that's a story from 30 years ago.
16	Q.	So when you call him an uncle that's sort of
17	Α.	(Interposing) I call Havi my aunt even though she's not.
18		It's like a respect thing. Even people who are
19		definitely not related to you but like your father's
20		friend, you call them uncle or aunty.
21	Q.	Did your wife know the Thalmarlas prior to being married
22		to you or was she introduced to them by marriage?
23	Α.	She met them after we got married. My family didn't
24		approve of my wife because she's white, so they didn't
25		want anything to do with her. When I married her they

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1		didn't really have much choice but to accept her. They
2		met in about 2002.
3	Q.	It seems like they accept her now.
4	Α.	Oh, yeah.
5	Q.	That's good. Her 2016 return references a health
6		savings account. Has she used that account for medical
7		expenses for yourself?
8	Α.	For me, yes; for herself, yes; for our daughter, yes. I
9		don't know how much is left in the HSA because she's not
10		working for United Health Group who was funding the HSA.
11	Q.	But it was used for all three of your expenses?
12	Α.	Yes, our household.
13	Q.	Do you guys get insurance through Tannenbaum & Milask?
14	Α.	She gets it threw Kelly Services. She doesn't get
15		health insurance because she wasn't satisfied with their
16		plan, so we pay for it privately through Blue Cross.
17	Q.	And it covers you and your daughter?
18	Α.	And my wife. Although the deductible is so high, it's
19		practically useless.
20	Q.	In between her work for United and working now for Kelly
21		Services, did you guys just buy private insurance then?
22	Α.	Yeah. There might have been a gap of a month or two,
23		but, yeah, pretty much we just bought it from Blue
24		Cross.
25	Q.	Correct me if I'm wrong, but she stopped working for

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1		United in 2016?
2	Α.	Right.
3	Q.	And then throughout 2017 up through December of 2017 she
4		was strictly doing commission work. Both of you were?
5	Α.	I was doing Revenue Asset Services and she did
6		commissioned work and she worked with my uncles but
7		I'm not sure what the question is.
8	Q.	So throughout 2017 neither of you had a $W-2$ employer.
9		Correct?
10	Α.	Yeah, I'm pretty sure that's correct.
11	Q.	Except for maybe at the very end of December when she
12		started working for Kelly Services?
13	Α.	Yeah. I think Kelly Services was January of this year.
14	Q.	So during that time you had no employer with which to
15		provide you health care?
16	Α.	Correct.
17	Q.	So did you have health care?
18	Α.	Yeah, we paid for it privately. I think there was a
19		month or two there was a gap but otherwise it was paid
20		for privately.
21	Q.	Were you continuing to work for commissions as well in
22		2017?
23	Α.	In 2017? No, I didn't do anything. I just took care of
24		my daughter.
25	Q.	Did your wife work from home throughout 2017 then?

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1	Α.	Yeah, except for when she was looking for a job with
2		Kelly Services. She went on interviews prior to that
3		with a few other firms, but for all intents and purposes
4		she worked from home.
5	Q.	You had mentioned she had all these different roles as
6		far as filling gaps where it needed to be for David,
7		like doing marketing, doing various other roles in this
8		commission-based job.
9	Α.	Correct.
10	Q.	Did you ever help her with that, I mean if she was
11		pressed for time or if she had various things to be
12		completed?
13	Α.	I don't think she was ever pressed, quote-unquote, for
14		time. If she asked me for help I would have helped her,
15		but I don't recall helping her tremendously much.
16	Q.	There's a lot of leg work as far as printing, stuffing
17		envelopes?
18	Α.	That's a little more we don't print and stuff
19		envelopes because that would take a tremendous amount of
20		time. There's actually a mail house that mails and
21		stuffs and prints thousands of envelopes for us, so they
22		would be doing that sort of thing, and David would take
23		care of paying them. So for every, like, thousand
24		pieces of mail that go out to various doctors offices,
25		one percent maybe will answer, so you got like ten, give

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1		or take, that respond and want a brochure. Building ten
2		brochures doesn't take that much of her time. Even if
3		they came in daily, they would take five minutes a
4		piece.
5	Q.	In other words, it's a lot of work on the computer then?
6	Α.	Yeah, maintaining the website, doing the SEO for it,
7		stuff I have no expertise for, answering the sales
8		calls. I don't recall there being a point I can't do
9		anymore, there's 60 hours of work coming in a week, I
10		can't keep up, I don't think I ever heard her say that.
11		If anything, I think I'd say she was probably under 40
12		hours a week, which is why she had free time doing work
13		for my uncles and cousin.
14	Q.	If you look at her 2017 Schedule C, you can see she had
15		gross income of \$205,700. What was the source of those
16		funds?
17	Α.	My assumption is all David.
18	Q.	And the line item 11 again is a \$10,000 expense for
19		contract labor. Do you know what that's for?
20	Α.	I think she had hired certain other people to take care
21		of small projects. It might have been on the website to
22		make it look pretty because it's not something she's
23		good at. I think there might have been some other
24		people that might have been helping her with grunt work,
25		for lack of a better word, and that probably would have

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1		been more along the lines of stuffing envelopes that any
2		monkey can do.
3	Q.	Throughout 2017 she's doing this work for David and
4		you're staying at home taking care of your daughter and
5		you are living at the Hickory Pointe house. Correct?
6	Α.	Correct.
7	Q.	And in your response you mentioned that originally when
8		you moved into Hickory Pointe you were paying the
9		mortgage. Was that you and your wife paying the
10		mortgage together?
11	Α.	Yes, because back then I was working for Henry Ford
12		Hospital and I think she was working for a company
13		called Arial (ph), which is no longer around.
14	Q.	How long did you pay the mortgage for?
15	Α.	Three or four years.
16	Q.	You lived there about ten years?
17	Α.	I think a little more than that. Bear with me. We
18		moved in in 2004 and we moved out in December of last
19		year.
20	Q.	So 13 years?
21	Α.	Yeah.
22	Q.	And the house is titled in your father's name?
23	Α.	Correct.
24	Q.	Except that you're the power of attorney on the title.
25		Correct?

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1	Α.	When the house was sold he gave me power of attorney to
2		sell the house because he couldn't be there, just for
3		the closing.
4	Q.	The deed to the buyer?
5	Α.	Yeah.
6	Q.	Did you know the buyer?
7	Α.	No.
8	Q.	So you paid the mortgage for maybe three or four years
9		with your wife. The mortgage is also in your dad's
10		name?
11	Α.	Yes.
12	Q.	Not in your wife's name or not in your name?
13	Α.	No.
14	Q.	Do you remember what the mortgage payment was?
15	Α.	It was around a thousand dollars, give or take.
16	Q.	And during that time your dad is paying the taxes?
17	Α.	The first couple of years, yes, and the house insurance.
18	Q.	And then what causes you to sort of switch that
19		arrangement?
20	Α.	I stopped working for Henry Ford, my wife wasn't working
21		for Arial and we said we have a problem, so he's like
22		let's see how it goes, you'll find a job. So we went
23		through quite awhile of difficulty. It gets into a
24		little bit of family drama, but my wife and father
25		didn't get along for a while for various reasons. Do

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you need the reasons?

2 Q. If they're pertinent.

3 Basically she didn't spend enough time with my parents, Α. 4 didn't call them enough. My father is an easily angered 5 type of man. I don't remember what year it was, but 6 basically he told my wife the house belongs to me, the 7 car you're driving belongs to me, it was a Toyota 8 something, not either of the cars we drive now, but I 9 bought all this stuff, done all this stuff for you. So 10 they had a big argument. The final product was take 11 your lipstick and get out of my house. So we were 12 planning on moving out even though we didn't know where 13 we were going to go, so we were thinking of moving in 14 with my sister-in-law but my mother told my father if 15 they do that we're pretty much never going to see them 16 again and I want to see my granddaughter.

17 So at that point it triggered another 18 series of events that brought my father on the paying 19 for the house and saying you can stay there as long as 20 you want but the house belongs to me, just take care of 21 the lawn and taxes and house insurance and etcetera, and 22 that's how we got to that arrangement.

Q. So for the next ten years, nine to ten years then, you
paid the taxes on the house and the insurance?
A. And other upkeep/maintenance.

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1	Q.	Was there any major projects you did as far as putting
2		on a new roof?
3	Α.	Yes, the roof was replaced. I don't remember what year
4		that was, ten years ago, give or take. The carpet was
5		taken out and replaced. The basement was carpeted, too.
6	Q.	That was replaced as well? Replaced or newly carpeted?
7	Α.	There was nothing there before so I guess newly
8		carpeted.
9	Q.	But the other carpets in the house were then replaced?
10	Α.	Yeah. Hot water heater was replaced. A back porch
11		my son-in-law went ahead and built a back porch for us.
12		We just paid him for the material and he essentially did
13		it for free. Other than that it was like little things,
14		planting flowers, cutting the lawn.
15	Q.	And the insurance and taxes as well?
16	Α.	Yeah.
17	Q.	So that was the situation then for the next ten years
18		through to the end of 2017?
19	Α.	Yes, December.
20	Q.	And so when you and your wife went back to work or were
21		making income then, your dad didn't say you got money
22		now, let's pay the mortgage?
23	Α.	No. We didn't talk to him about my relationship with
24		my father is complicated. I told him very clearly I'm
25		not working in 2017 and every single, well, every couple

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1		days he would call, because he calls me every couple
2		days, he would say do you have a job yet? It got
3		ridiculous and he would be insulting about it that I'm a
4		house husband. I didn't tell him about my daughter and
5		what was going on at that time. I told him, because I
6		was tired of all the abuse I was taking from him, I told
7		him that I was working for Blue Cross, which was not
8		true, but that stopped the conversation of what are you
9		doing, when are you going to get a real job, when are
10		you going to start being a man, so he stopped that. He
11		still continues to believe that I work for Blue Cross,
12		even though I do not, because it's easier for me to live
13		and have some sort of relationship with him than to deal
14		with what it would otherwise be. What was the question
15		again?
16	Q.	When was it that you told him you worked for Blue Cross?
17	Α.	It was early 2017. I don't recall the exact date.
18	Q.	But you had worked other jobs in between during that
19		nine to ten years. Right?
20	Α.	I actually did work at Blue Cross in Philadelphia and I
21		worked for the VA, I worked for a guy named Avner out in
22		New York doing medical billing work for him. I had done
23		other things in the meantime.
24	Q.	My question is, during that nine to ten years when you
25		would get a job and make some income, I'm not sure

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1		exactly what was happening with your wife, but he never
2		said you need to pay this mortgage again or you guys
3		just kept the agreement?
4	Α.	We kind of kept the agreement. I never brought it up
5		again.
6	Q.	You weren't going to upset the status quo?
7	Α.	I wasn't going to rock the boat when I had a decent
8		arrangement that I could be happy with. If he did bring
9		it up and say I want to get paid, I would have resumed
10		payment, but I didn't bring it up. I think partially he
11		was concerned with my mother's wrath with him if it came
12		to take your lipstick and get out of my house type of
13		thing again. I think he wanted to ask but he didn't and
14		I think he was waiting for me to say something and I was
15		sort of in the same boat. I don't know how much this is
16		pertinent.
17	Q.	It helps me understand the situation at the very least.
18		So at the end of that 13, 14 year period you guys decide
19		to move to a different home?
20	Α.	Yes.
21	Q.	And sell the house?
22	Α.	Right. My father made it clear that the house was still
23		his. He's always made snide comments, to either me or
24		my daughter, that the house is his and she's his guest.
25		I guess he thought it was teasing but I was not happy

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1		with it.
2	Q.	Sometimes parents can be that way.
3	Α.	Yes. My wife, she holds a grudge against take your
4		lipstick and get out of the house. That was the impetus
5		for we're financially stabilized more than we've ever
6		been, let's get out of here.
7	Q.	When that house is sold do you know what the mortgage
8		was?
9	Α.	There was no you mean to the new person?
10	Q.	No, no, the original mortgage that was taken out when
11		you guys first moved in.
12	Α.	The purchase price. It was 230,000 the price, somewhere
13		around there.
14	Q.	So the Hickory Pointe house was sold for about \$233,000?
15	Α.	Something like that, yeah.
16	Q.	And there was no mortgage on it when it was sold?
17	Α.	No. My father paid it off years before.
18	Q.	How long ago?
19	Α.	He paid it off like four years into us living there,
20		five years. That was the time the get your lipstick and
21		get out of my house conversation happened.
22	Q.	It wasn't that he continued to make the payments
23		according to the term, it's he had the cash and paid it
24		off?
25	Α.	Yeah. He's not into paying interest. He thinks that's
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1		highway robbery and he's got the cash to do it.
2	Q.	So he paid it off sometime during that nine to ten year
3		period?
4	Α.	Yes.
5	Q.	So the end of 2017 you're financially stable, you want
6		to move. What becomes of that, you said, that \$230,000?
7	A.	Yeah, I think the selling price was \$205,000. That's
8		what ended up being after closing costs and this and
9		that was taken out. I think about \$205,000 was the
10		final check that was cut to my father.
11	Q.	The net proceeds?
12	A.	Yes.
13	Q.	And he kept those net proceeds?
14	A.	Yeah.
15	Q.	He didn't share any with you or your wife?
16	Α.	No. He deposited it to his bank account and I never
17		heard about it again.
18	Q.	Did you feel entitled to any of that?
19	Α.	I didn't do anything to earn it. No, he paid off the
20		house. I don't see how I would have any equity stake in
21		that, no.
22	Q.	Well, you did pay the mortgage for four years or so.
23	A.	Well, when you rent an apartment you don't get money
24		back from the apartment complex. That's the way I
25		thought of it, that I was a renter.

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1	Q.	You did pay the mortgage for three to four years?
2	Α.	Yeah, but I don't think that was I never thought I
3		never thought of it as mine.
4	Q.	For the nine or ten years you did pay the insurance and
5		taxes?
6	Α.	Correct.
7	Q.	And did those repairs you mentioned?
8	Α.	Yes.
9	Q.	As well as generally maintaining the house?
10	Α.	Yeah.
11	Q.	You said you're more financially stable than you've ever
12		been so you decide to get a new house.
13	Α.	Well, I should clarify. I didn't decide, my wife
14		insisted we get a new house because she didn't want to
15		keep living in a place she was told to get out of.
16	Q.	That's the Kingston Drive property you moved to?
17	Α.	Correct.
18	Q.	And the purchase price of that particular property was
19		something like \$300,000?
20	Α.	Like 330.
21	Q.	Who is Robert Hugh McCurren?
22	Α.	He's the guy that bought the house on Hickory Pointe
23		Boulevard.
24	Q.	Do you know him outside of him buying the house?
25	Α.	No. I didn't meet him at closing. I met him the week

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1		before closing when he was doing the final walk-through.
2		That's the first and last time I ever met him.
3	Q.	How do you say your father's name?
4	Α.	Rama-chandra.
5	Q.	In the closing documents he's listed as, he or you, I'm
6		not sure, is listed as Ramachandra Jay Reddy. Is Jay
7		his middle name?
8	Α.	No. Can I see that?
9	Q.	Sure. We'll mark it as an exhibit.
10		(Deposition Exhibit J was
11		marked for Identification.)
12	BY MR.	MILLER:
13	Q.	This is the closing package of the Hickory Pointe
14		property marked as Exhibit J. Let me make sure you're
15		on the right page. See the tab that says Hickory
16		property? That's the first page there. If you flip to
17		the fourth page, Wall Mount Addendum. There it is.
18	Α.	I don't see the Jay.
19	Q.	See under seller?
20	Α.	Yeah, Ramachandra Jay Reddy. Oh, the real estate agent
21		put it in that way. That is all her.
22	Q.	Whose signature appears there?
23	Α.	I had power of attorney so I signed it.
24	Q.	That is your signature?
25	Α.	Right, and my initials next to it.

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1	Q.	Then your wife's signature below that?
2	Α.	Correct, because that's what they asked us to do. I did
3		not prepare this paperwork, Real Estate One did.
4	Q.	Have you seen it before?
5	Α.	I've seen it before but I'm not the author of it.
6	Q.	The page right before that, where it says Ramachandra V.
7		Reddy, that's your signature as well?
8	Α.	Yes, power of attorney, POA.
9	Q.	Is your father's middle initial V?
10	Α.	Yes.
11	Q.	That may have been where they confusion lied.
12	Α.	V stands for Vanam, V-a-n-a-m. That's the family name.
13	Q.	So if you look at the form at the top it says 2017
14		Substitute Form 1099 S, 1099 for a sales tax form.
15		That's it. See the gross proceeds there? So this
16		account or escrow number there, is that your father's
17		account, is that the escrow account? Do you know whose
18		account that is?
19	Α.	It's not mine. It might be Real Estate One or the
20		closing company.
21	Q.	Is that your signature there, though?
22	Α.	Yes. This is one of the papers that they gave us at
23		closing. I'm not sure I understand all the legal
24		significance of everything.
25	Q.	So then the Kingston Drive property, that's the new one,

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1		the sales price of that is \$327,000; is that right?
2	Α.	Yes. I thought it was 330. No, you're right. I think
3		they took off a little bit because there was some things
4		that needed to get fixed.
5	Q.	That's in your wife's name?
6	Α.	Correct.
7	Q.	And the purchase of that property, where did the money
8		come from?
9	Α.	From my uncle.
10	Q.	And is that just cash he had on hand or did he himself
11		take out a loan to fund it?
12	Α.	I believe it's cash he had on hand, but I never asked
13		him where he got the funds from.
14	Q.	Obviously if he has \$300,000 to throw around
15	Α.	(Interposing) My uncle is pretty wealthy. His net worth
16		is a very large number, one I'll never see in my
17		lifetime.
18	Q.	I understand why you want to go work for him then. All
19		these signatures are your wife's signature?
20	Α.	Yes.
21	Q.	Do you know Joseph Fox and Jamie Fox outside of the
22		previous owners and sellers of the property?
23	Α.	No. Until the day we moved in, I never met them.
24	Q.	So your wife executed a promissory note to pay Mohan
25		Thalmarla back for the 330 that was borrowed from him?

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1	Α.	Correct, because she didn't want to get into another
2		situation like she did with my father. Although, my
3		uncle doesn't have the temper issues my father does.
4	Q.	So that \$1,978.52, has that been paid starting in June
5		2018?
6	Α.	She mailed the check on June 1st but he's in Africa so
7		he hasn't deposited it, as far as we know.
8	Q.	Is that check from the same Chase account?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	And you plan on continuing to make those payments,
11		you're going to make another one in July?
12	Α.	Yes. I expect on July 1st it will go out.
13	Q.	And that's his signature there on that fourth page?
14	Α.	Yeah.
15		(Deposition Exhibit K was
16		marked for Identification.)
17	BY MR.	MILLER:
18	Q.	Marked as Exhibit K is a promissory note as well as an
19		insurance contract on the Kingston property we've been
20		discussing. Have you seen this promissory note before?
21	Α.	Yes.
22	Q.	The insurance on the property mentioned specific
23		coverage. There's an itemization on the insurance held
24		on that property. The coverage of the property for
25		personal property and other structures is \$37,100 for

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1		other structures and \$259,700.00 for the personal
2		property?
3	Α.	Correct.
4	Q.	Do you know what that covers?
5	Α.	Yeah. I think when I called GEICO to have them explain
6		to me what all this means, they basically said if a
7		typhoon completely wiped out your property what would it
8		cost to restore everything? The outside structures
9		include things like the deck, the driveway, the fencing
10		around parts of the property, tool shed, foundation for
11		a structure that's out there already, and possibly large
12		trees and bushes. When she added that together, it's
13		probably about this much. GEICO never came out and did
14		an estimate. The other 239 odd thousand was if a
15		typhoon wiped out the house and it had to be completely
16		bulldozed away, what would it cost to replace it. It
17		was estimated at about 239 odd thousand is what it would
18		cost to recover all that.
19	Q.	What I'm referring to is not the real property coverage.
20		I understand the other structures. There's a personal
21		property portion of it for 259 in addition to the real
22		property and other structures.
23	Α.	I think you're mistaken. If we're paying for it, I
24		think we should reverse that. There's nothing in the
25		house that that's valuable.

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1	Q.	I may be mistaken.
2	A. '	If you add the two pieces together, it adds up pretty
3		close to the cost of the house we paid for and you throw
4		in the value of the real estate for location or
5		whatever. If there's a gold mine, I'd love to know
6		about it.
7	Q.	Do you have any personal property insurance policies or
8		does your wife?
9	Α.	I thought whatever GEICO covered. We did file a claim
10		when we first moved in because one of the toilets on the
11		first floor we flushed and apparently it didn't work
12		right and it caused some significant damage on the first
13		floor, so they reimbursed like \$2,000 or something, but
14		there was no content damage. I can't think of what
15		would be worth \$259,000 in my house.
16	Q.	Sometimes in the case where there's jewelry in the home
17		or any other expensive items they'll do a rider on it
18		and do personal property coverage as well. To your
19		knowledge, there's nothing covered under that GEICO
20		insurance policy?
21	Α.	Other than my wedding ring and my wife's wedding ring,
22		we don't have stuff like that.
23	Q.	We're almost done, I promise.
24	Α.	Do you need to see my driver's license to confirm who I
25		say I am?
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1	Q.	I think your testimony here today confirms.
2	Α.	Do you mind if I use the rest room?
3	Q.	Go ahead.
4		(A brief recess was held during
5		the deposition.)
6	BY MR.	MILLER:
7	Q.	The main reason you filed this case it seems is a
8		judgment against you?
9	Α.	Yes.
10	Q.	From Mr. Holmes?
11	Α.	Yes.
12	Q.	In relation to a business that you sold him and he
13		alleged was a fraudulent transaction?
14	Α.	Yes.
15	Q.	Has he been making collection attempts against you?
16	Α.	In 2009 he won the judgment and I think in 2015 he tried
17		to secure the judgment. Other than that, nothing.
18	Q.	What do you mean secure the judgment?
19	Α.	I think there's paperwork after you go through
20		arbitration that you have to tell the judge you won and
21		you want to do whatever it is so you can secure the
22		judgment so you can garnish bank accounts or garnish
23		wages. But he finally started legal proceedings to
24		secure the judgment, but whatever that procedure is he
25		did that in 2015. I did try to oppose it because there

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1		was a Michigan Supreme Court case that said you got one
2		year to secure the judgment. Between my attorney and
3		his attorney wrangling over it I lost that motion, but I
4		never heard from him again after that point.
5	Q.	So it went to arbitration?
6	Α.	Correct, in 2009.
7	Q.	And the arbitrator decided
8	Α.	(Interposing) It was a breach of contract.
9	Q.	And you owed him \$200,000?
10	Α.	Right, but there was no fraud.
11	Q.	So when you say secure the judgment, do you mean that to
12		transform the arbitration result into a judgment?
13	Α.	Yes. I'm not really sure of the legal wording that's
14		correct here, but I think that's what it is.
15	Q.	Did you employ an attorney in this matter?
16	Α.	Yes. My attorney never showed up for the arbitration so
17		I ended up defending myself.
18	Q.	Did you pay the attorney?
19	Α.	I paid him in advance, which was my problem, and all he
20		said was settle, settle, settle. I said I didn't do
21		anything wrong, I refuse to settle when I've not done
22		anything wrong. When the arbitration date came, he
23		pretty much called me the day before and said I'm not
24		going to be there but go ahead and do it anyway, you're
25		smart, and if you need me you can call me.

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1		I went through and prepared it as best
2		I could. When I got there the arbitrator said it's fine
3		that you want to do this and it's your choice but you're
4		going up against a very experienced attorney so you're
5		at a disadvantage. So I called my attorney and he said
6		don't worry about it, you're fine, you got all the facts
7		on your side. I apparently chose the wrong attorney
8		because that was terrible legal advice.
9	Q.	This attorney you're referring to, is that Michael
10		Maddaloni?
11	Α.	Yes.
12	Q.	How much did you pay him?
13	Α.	I think it was \$3,500, but it was so long ago, plus
14		whatever it costs for depositions and whatever other
15		court costs.
16	Q.	What work did he do on the case?
17	Α.	My opinion? Nothing. I think I did most of the work
18		myself because I would put together everything. I would
19		say here's what I want to file a motion for, here's what
20		our legal strategy should be and he said basically yeah,
21		that's good. He was present for my deposition. He was
22		not present when the other side wanted to do a
23		creditor's exam and he wasn't present at all for the
24		arbitration. I wrote the closing argument myself and I
25		e-mailed it to him and he forwarded it to the

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1		arbitrator, I'm not sure he read it, and the arbitrator
2		sent back the decision. That's kind of where I'm at
3		now. I should have delayed but Mr. Maddaloni told me it
4		was okay.
5		The other attorney had me sign this
6		form before we started arbitration saying I agree I was
7		going to do it pro se hac. I had to sign a form saying
8		I wouldn't use this as a reason to dismiss the judgment
9		or the arbitrator's award. My attorney said go ahead
10		and sign it, and here we are.
11	Q.	When this happens you're living at the Hickory Pointe
12		Drive house?
13	Α.	Yes.
14	Q.	And were you still working at that time? Refresh my
15		memory. Still working in 2010?
16	Α.	No. I think I was not working until it was a couple
17		years later I think I went to Philadelphia. I guess I
18		was working on this quite a bit of my time.
19	Q.	Did they ever garnish your wages or your bank account?
20	Α.	No. There never was an attempt to and I didn't hide
21		where I was banking. I didn't close any accounts. I'm
22		sorry. I did have account with Fifth Third at the time
23		but I closed that account because I was upset with their
24		customer service because they were charging me every
25		month a fee and my balance is so much more than what

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1		you're telling me it has to be, but they kept charging
2		me like ten dollars a month and I eventually closed that
3		account but not because of any of this.
4	Q.	Have you been contacted by Mr. Holmes or his attorney,
5		John Perrin, since then?
6	Α.	No. I did include it with the bankruptcy filing in the
7		sense I'm filing bankruptcy, so he knows.
8	Q.	Are you aware of the criminal allegation against Mr.
9		Weinstein?
10	Α.	Yeah. You mean from Florida?
11	Q.	Yes.
12	Α.	Yes. I found out after this litigation was complete. I
13		asked him about it and he said for the most part it was
14		blown over and he had all the civil rights restored. He
15		didn't get a pardon but basically everything he was
16		doing at the time is now legal in Florida but at the
17		time it was political. I looked into it and I confirmed
18		it all.
19	Q.	And as of right now does he have any sort of
20		investigation against him?
21	Α.	Not criminally or anything else like that, no.
22	Q.	Your wife hired attorneys who filed an appearance in
23		your bankruptcy case.
24	Α.	I'm aware.
25	Q.	The attorneys are based out of New Jersey. I can't

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1		recall the name at the moment.
2	Α.	Kasen, K-a-s-e-n.
3	Q.	Have you spoken with them at all?
4	Α.	I've spoken with them.
5	Q.	Are you a client of theirs?
6	Α.	No. He's made it clear I'm not a client of his and
7		nothing we talk about is confidential.
8	Q.	Has he asked you questions in relation with your
9		bankruptcy case?
10	Α.	The reason my wife hired him at the time she hired him,
11		at the time, it's sort of in flux now, but we were
12		discussing getting a divorce at some point. We
13		previously decided if we do we're going to wait until my
14		daughter is finished with high school, she just finished
15		her freshman year, because of her safety concerns and
16		mental health issues. We don't want to add more stress
17		than what's already going on, but she wanted to be sure
18		she wouldn't be liable for my old business debts that
19		she had nothing to do with. So she hired an attorney to
20		represent her for that in that way.
21	Q.	And what has been the nature of your conversations with
22		them?
23	Α.	I just told them I'm filing. I didn't tell them I was
24		going to come meet with you and do one of these meetings
25		to answer questions. I asked them is it okay that we

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1		get, like, various things from my wife like her tax
2		returns. I asked her initially and she said go talk to
3		the attorney, so I called him up and he said that's
4		fine.
5	Q.	The 2004 order is on the docket, they get electronic
6		notice of that, so they are aware you are appearing, or
7		they have notice you're appearing here today.
8	Α.	You said 2004? 2009.
9	Q.	I'm sorry, 2004 is the bankruptcy rule under which
10		you're appearing for examination. It's a legal term of
11		art, Bankruptcy Rule 2004 Examination. That's what I
12		was referring to.
13	Α.	Got you.
14	Q.	The attorneys that she employed, is there a reason she
15		went to New Jersey to employ bankruptcy attorneys as
16		opposed to finding a local attorney?
17	Α.	My understanding is she spoke with David because we're
18		all friends and he said he used a bankruptcy attorney
19		way back when and his name is David Kasen, here's his
20		number, and I think that's how she found him.
21	Q.	Do you know if Mr. Weinstein is a client of theirs
22		currently?
23	Α.	He's not. He filed bankruptcy in 2000.
24	Q.	Probably in Florida?
25	Α.	Yes.

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1	Q.	Other than the Chase Bank account statements that are in
2		your wife's name from March 1, 2016 to current, that
3		concludes my questioning. I may have questions about
4		those statements. So at this time I will hold the
5		examination open until I have time to receive those
6		documents and review them, if you can get them to me in
7		the next two weeks. I'm trying to think of my schedule,
8		but I think within two weeks of reviewing them I should
9		be that should conclude the examination as far as
10		today goes. There may be other questions I have for you
11		in general, but at this time that concludes the
12		examination.
13		(The Examination was concluded
14		at 3:55 p.m.)
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1	STATE OF MICHIGAN)
2	COUNTY OF OAKLAND)
3	I, Glenn G. Miller, Notary Public
4	within and for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan,
5	do hereby certify that the witness whose attached
6	examination was taken before me in the above-entitled
7	matter was by me duly sworn at the aforementioned time
8	and place; that the testimony given by said witness was
9	stenographically recorded in the presence of said
10	witness and afterwards transcribed by computer under my
11	personal supervision, and that the said deposition is a
12	full, true and correct transcript of the testimony given
13	by the witness.
14	I further certify that I am not connected
15	by blood or marriage with any of the parties or their
16	attorneys, and that I am not an employee of either of
17	them, nor financially interested in the action.
18	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set
19	my hand at the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland, this
20	day of , 2018.
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22	Blenn Miller
23	Glenn G. Miller
24	Notary Public, Oakland County, MI
25	My Commission expires 8-27-18

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jay Freedman, declare under penalty of perjury under the law of the State of Nevada that the following is true and correct. I served the attached **FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT** in the following manner:

Through the Court's electronic service system on August 31, 2019.

Dated this 31st day of August, 2019

/s/_Jay Freedman

Jay Freedman