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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY

COLLIN STUART,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No.: CL26003972-00
	)	
BABC INC. et al.,	)	
	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

ORDER

THIS MATTER came before the Court on Plaintiff Collin Stuart ("Plaintiff")'s Ex Parte Motion For Temporary Restraining Order, and the Court, having considered the motion and the arguments of counsel findings good cause therefor, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Ex Parte Motion For Temporary Restraining Order is GRANTED;

ORDERED that Plaintiff is entitled to entry of the requested Restraining Order ex parte and without prior notice provided to Defendants BABC Inc. and Marcelo Eduardo Merino because of the potential irreparable harm unless Defendants are restrained from dissipating the assets of BABC;

ADJUDGED, ORDERED AND DECREED that Defendants BABC Inc. and Marcelo Eduardo Merino are temporarily restrained and enjoined from transferring, encumbering, dissipating, concealing, or otherwise disposing of any assets of beyond ordinary and necessary expenditures for reasonable personal living expenses and specifically prohibiting Defendants from using BABC's funds to pay Merino's personal expenses, paying any salary or compensation from BABC to Merino, or settling any BABC obligation for less than the full amount owed;

ADJUDGED, ORDERED AND DECREED that Defendants will preserve all books, records, financial statements, bank statements, and electronically stored information relating to BABC Inc. and to transfers of BABC assets;

ADJUDGED, ORDERED AND DECREED that within seven (7) days after service, Defendants will provide a verified accounting identifying BABC's financial accounts, current balances, assets, and all transfers to or for Merino's benefit from January 1, 2024 to the present;

ADJUDGED, ORDERED AND DECREED that this Restraining Order shall last until otherwise modified or dissolved by this Court or until a Preliminary Injunction is granted or denied by this Court; and

ADJUDGED, ORDERED AND DECREED that the Parties will appear for a Show Cause Hearing on _____ to ascertain if a preliminary injunction should not be entered on the same terms pending the resolution of this action.

ordered that anything purchased using BABC funds in the last 90 days of this order should not be sold or transferred to any individual or entity.

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Judge, Circuit Court for Prince William County

Date: 5/6/26

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