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CASE NO. 1:23-cv-01097

JEFFREY RYAN FENTON,

PLAINTIFF

v.

VIRGINIA LEE STORY ET AL.,

DEFENDANTS

MOTION FOR ALL FILINGS TO BE SUBMITTED UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY¹ EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION REQUESTED

Plaintiff brings this motion pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 11(b) and Article III, Section 1 of the U.S. Constitution, inherent powers of the court. Article III's grant of inherent authority is conventionally understood as permitting a federal court to regulate its own proceedings. Here, litigation is in danger of being multiplied yet again because of the actions of certain defendants. Plaintiff has filed nearly everything signed under penalty of perjury because he has nothing to hide and truly seeks justice.

Defendant Story—and seemingly others—on the other hand, are seeking to thwart justice. This has become evident in the fact that of the fifteen bar individuals served process, *not one* of them has actually signed the return receipt² as required by certified U.S. mail with restricted delivery, likely using their knowledge of the rules and procedures combined with local influence over the populace—including postal carriers—in an attempt to stymie and confound Plaintiff.....and justice. It has also become evident in the fact that nearly everything defendant

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¹ Citations to the court record in this lawsuit will be notated without the case name or number, using the starting ECF Number, followed by both the beginning and ending Page ID, which is abbreviated as "PID."

See attached exhibit 'A'.

Story filed in the Tennessee courts contained factually false or misleading information. This is one of the reasons why she is a defendant in this matter. To allow her to continue would be preposterous. In her very first filing, she has already done so.³ This has been proved by Plaintiff's COUNTER-AFFIDAVIT filed concurrently.

In the interests of justice, truth, and the most productive use of time and resources by all involved, including the court, Plaintiff is asking this court to require all parties filing any "pleading, written motion, or other paper" that s/he "certifies that to the best of the person's knowledge" the content of each document is in fact true, sworn to under the penalty of perjury, pursuant to 28 U.S. Code § 1746 while also certifying the contents of each document are in compliance with F.R.Civ.P. 11(b) that:

- "(1) it is not being presented for any improper purpose, such as to harass, cause unnecessary delay, or needlessly increase the cost of litigation;
- (2) the claims, defenses, and other legal contentions are warranted by existing law or by a nonfrivolous argument for extending, modifying, or reversing existing law or for establishing new law;
- (3) the factual contentions have evidentiary support or, if specifically so identified, will likely have evidentiary support after a reasonable opportunity for further investigation or discovery; and
- (4) the denials of factual contentions are warranted on the evidence or, if specifically so identified, are reasonably based on belief or a lack of information."

This should reduce future filings in the case because Plaintiff will not have to waste time, energy, and other resources countering many of the false documents that have been filed and are still yet to be filed. It should therefore not only somewhat unburden Plaintiff, but also the court by reducing the potential docket size by perhaps a factor of two or something close. It should also be another step towards justice, not *away* from it.

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³ ECF 76-1, PID.5076

Should any party not file and sign any document pursuant to 28 U.S. Code § 1746, that

document should be automatically struck, or otherwise, not require a response from Plaintiff, and

the court would not give it any merit. Lastly, Plaintiff is asking the court to make its order

retroactive so that any motion to dismiss will also be subject to this order.

CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, this court should require all filings to be submitted and signed

pursuant to 28 U.S. Code § 1746 and to make its order retroactive. Plaintiff requests a ruling by

October 11, 2024, so that he has sufficient time to reply to DEFENDANTS' VIRGINIA LEE

STORY AND STORY AND ABERNATHY, PLLP'S MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT

TO FED. R. CIV. P. 12(b)(1)(2)(3)(4) & (5) if not mooted by granting this motion.

Executed on October 3, 2024

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