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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SUPERIOR COURT

SUFFOLK, ss.

CIVIL ACTION NO.

2684CV1684 BLS I

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

Plaintiff,

v.

EAST COAST FINANCIAL,
ASSESSMENT RESOLUTION, LLC
PAUL SANTORSOLA, individually and in his
capacity as Manager of ASSESSMENT
RESOLUTION, LLC
RICHARD SANTORSOLA, individually and in his
capacity doing business as (d/b/a) EAST COAST
FINANCIAL
"JACKIE"
"TOM GILCHRIST"

Defendants.

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~~PROPOSED~~ PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

This matter having come to be heard by the Court upon the Commonwealth's Motion for Preliminary Injunction, after notice to the Defendants and a hearing on June 16, 2026 at which the Defendants appeared, pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 65, it is hereby ORDERED

that:

- 1) This Order applies to the following Defendants and their officers, agents, servants, employees, and attorneys, and upon those persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of the order by personal service or otherwise.:
 - a. East Coast Financial, of 55 West Central Street, Unit 2-C, Franklin, MA 02038;

- b. **Assessment Resolution, LLC**, of 55 West Central Street, Unit 2-C, Franklin, MA 02038;
 - c. **Paul Santorsola**, individually and in his capacity as Manager of Assessment Resolution, LLC, of 20 Dean Avenue, Apt. B, Franklin, MA 02038;
 - d. **Richard Santorsola**, individually and in his capacity doing business as (d/b/a) East Coast Financial, of 20 Dean Avenue, Apt. B, Franklin, MA 02038;
 - e. **"Jackie,"** a natural person working in collusion with or on behalf of East Coast Financial and Assessment Resolutions, LLC; and
 - f. **"Tom Gilchrist,"** a natural person working in collusion with or on behalf of East Coast Financial and Assessment Resolutions, LLC.
- 2) The Defendants **are enjoined from** collecting on any debts or judgments. "Collecting" shall include, but not be limited to, accepting payments from consumers, filing litigation against consumers, pursuing ongoing litigation against consumers, sending letters to consumers, making phone calls to consumers, and seizing personal and/or real property from consumers.
- 3) The Defendants **are enjoined from** destroying, modifying, or otherwise tampering with any and all Documents. "Documents" are defined as documents or electronically stored information - including writings, drawings, graphs, charts, photographs, sound recordings, images and other data or data compilations - stored in any medium from which information can be obtained either directly or, if necessary, after translation by the responding party into a reasonably usable form, in the Defendants' possession, custody, or control.

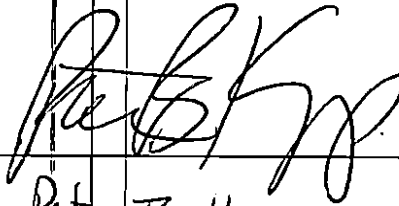
4) The Defendants are enjoined from transferring, dissipating, pledging, selling, mortgaging, encumbering, concealing, or in any way disposing of ownership or custody of any real or personal property or funds that Defendants own or control or have an ownership interest in, individually or collectively, or may own or control or obtain an ownership interest in, while the injunction remains in effect (including, but not limited to: all real property, wherever located; all personal property, wherever located; all household and office furnishings; all bank accounts, and all funds held therein, wherever located; all securities; and all lump-sums of money or cash equivalents), without the agreement of the Commonwealth and with all proceeds to be held in escrow by the Defendants or their attorney, except such real or personal assets as may be used in the ordinary course of business or for necessary and usual living expenses as defined by the Internal Revenue Service.

5) Any party aggrieved by this preliminary injunction may petition the court for relief by motion pursuant to Superior Court Rule 9A.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: 6/16/26

Time: 12:20 pm



Peter B. Kopp

Justice of Superior Court

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