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Re: Kassenoff

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Date: Monday, March 20, 2023, 01:51 PM EDT

Ms. Ozer:

I continue to respectfully request that the Court not permit litigation by letter and await Dr. McKay's report prior to addressing custodial issues.

Thank you.

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Ms. Ozer,

I wish to correct one statement in my email below: it should read "Now his story is that I 'caused a commotion' **prompting him to get** the manager later." The video time-stamped 1:38 pm shows this to be demonstrably false. There was no commotion; then the father says "I'm going to report you" and walks to get the manager. He just lied, again.

I implore the court to issue an order of protection in my favor. I cannot sustain this situation.

Thank you,

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Catherine Kassenoff

On Monday, March 20, 2023, 12:30:47 PM EDT, catherine kassenoff <ckassenoff@yahoo.com> wrote:

Ms. Ozer,

I cannot sustain this situation. I have been the subject of so many false reports by the Father that it is beyond harassment. How does this end? With another arrest of me? With my losing another job? I need the court's protection.

My video and photo evidence conclusively demonstrates - because it accounts for almost every second that I was watching JoJo at the rink - that I was harassed and menaced by the Father, just as I was in May 2022 when he lodged a false report and again in October 2022 when he stalked me at Charlotte's soccer game. See the video I submitted in my motion papers and the false police report.

If there was a "commotion" then why did the manager walk away? What commotion? What "irrational behavior"? Why was I permitted to stay? It is a complete lie.

And notice how the story changes. First, the Father said I "harassed" him <u>before</u> getting on the ice. Now, his story is that I "caused a commotion" with the manager <u>later</u>. HE IS THE ONE CAUSING COMMOTIONS. He instigated the call to the police by several times going to the manager and making the manager nervous by referring to prior and baseless orders of protection that were vacated. He also told the manager that I had been previously arrested? Wow. Did he tell the manager that the arrest was false? I'm guessing he did not.

The father says: "When Mr. Kassenoff asked to behave civilly, she caused a scene and commotion, leading Mr. Kassenoff to speak to Mike, the manager of the rink." I have the father **coming at me on video.** He was the aggressor and intimidating me. He says "your children don't even want you here". Four times I tell him to "leave me alone." He walks away immediately to get "Mike". There was no commotion before he walks away to get Mike and the video proves that. I did not react to him and I remained in the same exact spot before and throughout the exchange.

I was not escorted out of the building and the police report confirms that as well. It says I

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"<u>left the location.</u>" The "third party" who called the police is either the manager (relying on the father) or the father himself.

The worst part? It is what JoJo saw and how the father stayed several feet away from me while I was speaking with the police so that he could get JoJo to believe him that she should be fearful of me. That was disgusting and shows his real intent was to create an aura of fear in her. Any responsible parent would have taken the child away. Was he hoping she would see me in handcuffs? He was laughing behind the police as well.

I cannot read the report that Mr. Dimopoulos provides because it is illegible. He needs to send a better copy of it so that the exact "facts" his client reported to police can be scrutinized.

Allan Kassenoff will manufacture incidents to have me arrested. This has to stop now.

I understand that Ms. Culley has generated a new report and I request that it be circulated immediately.

Respectfully,

Catherine Kassenoff

On Monday, March 20, 2023, 11:51:59 AM EDT, Gus Dimopoulos <gd@dimolaw.com> wrote:

Ms. Ozer,

We write to request that you decline to sign Ms. Kassenoff's most recent Order To Show Cause, which is nothing more than her latest effort to change custody by seeking an order of protection. Ms. Kassenoff elected to watch Jojo's ice skating lesson this past Saturday. While Mr. Kassenoff was skating around, Ms. Kassenoff was busy giving him the middle

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finger (as she has previously done, including once in Jojo's presence). When Mr. Kassenoff asked to behave civilly, she caused a scene and commotion, leading Mr. Kassenoff to speak to Mike, the manager of the rink. Mike then approached Ms. Kassenoff and she continued her irrational behavior, which led him (not Mr. Kassenoff) to call the police. To be 100% clear, Mr. Kassenoff never told or asked Mike to call the police – in fact he expressly told Mike not to do so. In any event, the police arrived and they proceeded to escort Ms. Kassenoff out of the facility in Jojo's presence. Attached is the police report, which confirms that the police were called by a third-party (not Mr. Kassenoff); Ms. Kassenoff refused to cooperate with the police; Mr. Kassenoff expressly told the police that Ms. Kassenoff was permitted to be at the rink.

We are on the verge of receiving Dr. McKay's report and scheduling a trial; therefore, we respectfully request that no further custody motions be entertained.

Thank you.

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