

IN THE GRAND COURT OF THE CAYMAN ISLANDS
CIVIL DIVISION



CAUSE NO: 116 OF 2019 ()

BETWEEN:

- (1) BLAKE DUCHARME
- (2) BLACK GOLD INVESTMENTS INC.

PLAINTIFFS

AND:

- (1) SANDRA HILL
- (2) CAYMAN MARL ROAD LLC

DEFENDANTS



WRIT OF SUMMONS

TO: Sandra Hill, Unit 23 Pasadora Place, Smith Road, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands, and tips@caymanmarlroad.com.

AND: Cayman Marl Road LLC, 16192 Coastal Highway, Lewes, Delaware 19958, County of Sussex, United States of America and tips@caymanmarlroad.com.

THIS WRIT OF SUMMONS has been issued against you by the above-named Plaintiffs in respect of the claim set out on the next page.

Within [28] days after the service of this Writ on you, counting the day of service, you must either satisfy the claim or return to the Court Office, P.O. Box 495G, George Town, Grand Cayman, the accompanying Acknowledgment of Service stating therein whether you intend to contest these proceedings.

If you fail to satisfy the claim or to return the Acknowledgment within the time stated, or if you return the Acknowledgment without stating therein an intention to contest the proceedings, the Plaintiff may proceed with the action and judgment may be entered against you forthwith without further notice.

Issued this 19th day of July 2019.

NOTE - This Writ may not be served later than 4 calendar months (or, if leave is required to effect service out of the jurisdiction, 6 months) beginning with the date of issue unless renewed by order of the Court.

IMPORTANT

Directions for Acknowledgment of Service are given with the accompanying form.

GENERAL INDORSEMENT

The Plaintiffs claim:

- 1 Damages for libel in respect of an article which the Defendants first published or caused to be published on 13 July 2019 on the website www.caymanmarroad.com entitled "*Blake Ducharme: Millionaire allowed to walk on firearm and customs duty offenses?*" (the "**Libellous Article**");
- 2 A permanent injunction to restrain the Defendants whether by themselves, their servants or agents or otherwise, from continuing to publish or causing to be published the Libellous Article or similar remarks which are defamatory of either of the Plaintiffs;
- 3 Interest pursuant to section 34 of the Judicature Law (2017 Revision) at such a rate and for such a period as the Court sees fit; and
- 4 Costs.



Ogier
Attorneys-at-Law for the Plaintiffs

Dated this 19th day of July 2019

This Writ of Summons was issued by Ogier, Attorneys-at-Law for the Plaintiffs, whose address for service is:
89 Nexus Way, Camana Bay, Grand Cayman KY1-9009 Cayman Islands (MKS/BZS/426452.08)

**DIRECTIONS FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT
OF SERVICE OF WRIT OF SUMMONS**

- 1 The accompanying form of Acknowledgment of Service should be completed by an Attorney acting on behalf of the Defendant or by the Defendant if acting in person.

After completion it must be delivered or sent by post to the Law Courts, P.O. Box 495G, George Town, Grand Cayman.

- 2 A Defendant who states in his Acknowledgment of Service that he intends to contest the proceedings must also serve a defence on the Attorney for the Plaintiff (or on the Plaintiff if acting in person).

If a Statement of Claim is indorsed on the Writ (i.e. the words "Statement of Claim" appear on the top of page 2), the Defence must be served within 14 days after the time for acknowledging service of the Writ, unless in the meantime a summons for judgment is served on the Defendant.

If the Statement of Claim is not indorsed on the Writ, the Defence need not be served until 14 days after a Statement of Claim has been served on the Defendant.

If the Defendant fails to serve his defence within the appropriate time, the Plaintiff may enter judgment against him without further notice.

- 3 A Stay of Execution against the Defendant's goods may be applied for where the Defendant is unable to pay the money for which any judgment is entered. If a Defendant to an action for a debt or liquidated demand (i.e. a fixed sum) who does not intend to contest the proceedings states, in answer to Question 3 in the Acknowledgment of Service, that he intends to apply for a stay, execution will be stayed for 14 days after his Acknowledgment, but he must, within that time, issue a Summons for a stay of execution, supported by an affidavit of his means. The affidavit should state any offer which the Defendant desires to make for payment of the money by instalments or otherwise.

See over for notes for guidance.

Please complete overleaf.

Notes for Guidance

- 1 Each Defendant (if there are more than one) is required to complete an Acknowledgment of Service and return it to the Courts Office.
- 2 For the purpose of calculating the period of 14 days for acknowledging service, a writ served on the Defendant personally is treated as having been served on the day it was delivered to him.
- 3 Where the Defendant is sued in a name different from his own, the form must be completed by him with the addition in paragraph 1 of the words "sued as (the name stated on the Writ of Summons)".
- 4 Where the Defendant is a FIRM and an attorney is not instructed, the form must be completed by a PARTNER by name, with the addition in paragraph 1 of the description "Partner in the firm of (.....)"after his name.
- 5 Where the Defendant is sued as an individual TRADING IN A NAME OTHER THAN HIS OWN, the form must be completed by him with the addition in paragraph 1 of the description "trading as (.....)" after his name.
- 6 Where the Defendant is a LIMITED COMPANY the form must be completed by an Attorney or by someone authorised to act on behalf of the Company, but the Company can take no further step in the proceedings without an Attorney acting on its behalf.
- 7 Where the Defendant is a MINOR or a MENTAL PATIENT, the form must be completed by an Attorney acting for a guardian ad litem.
- 8 A Defendant acting in person may obtain help in completing the form at the Courts Office.

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If you intend to instruct an Attorney to act for you, give him/her this form IMMEDIATELY.

Important: Read the accompanying directions and notes for guidance carefully before completing this form. If any information required is omitted or given wrongly, THIS FORM MAY HAVE TO BE RETURNED.

Delay may result in judgment being entered against a Defendant whereby he may have to pay the costs of applying to set it aside.

1. State the full names of the Defendant by whom or on whose behalf the service of the Writ of Summons is being acknowledged.

2. State whether the Defendant intends to contest or otherwise participate in the proceedings (*tick appropriate box*)

yes no

3. If the claim against the Defendant is for a debt or liquidated demand, AND he does not intend to contest the proceedings, state if the Defendant intends to apply for a stay of execution against any judgment entered by the Plaintiff (*tick box*).

yes no

Service of the Writ of Summons is acknowledged accordingly.

Attorneys-at-law for the Defendant

Address for service:

Notes on address for service:

Attorney: where the Defendant is represented by an attorney, state the attorney's place of business in the Cayman Islands. A Defendant may not act by a foreign attorney.

Defendant in person: where the Defendant is acting in person, he must give his post office box number and the physical address of his residence or, if he does not reside in the Cayman Islands, he must give an address in Grand Cayman where communications for him should be sent. In the case of a limited company, "residence" means its registered principal office.

Indorsement by Plaintiffs' Attorney (or by Plaintiff if suing in person) of his name, address and reference, if any, in the box below.

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Indorsement by Defendant's Attorneys (or by Defendant if defending in person) of his name, address and reference, if any, in the box below.

[Empty box for Defendant's Attorneys indorsement]