

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT FOR POLK COUNTY

MARIO SCIORROTTA,

Plaintiff,

v.

KATIE BYRD,

Defendant.

LAW NO. _____

**AFFIDAVIT OF MARIO
SCIORROTTA**

I, Mario Sciorrotta, being duly sworn, states as follows:

I am employed as a landscaping contractor. I have a Facebook page that I use for social interactions and for my employment. I have never met Katie Byrd, but she repeatedly and consistently posts harmful and derogatory content on my Facebook page.

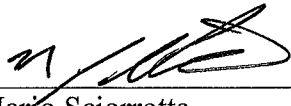
For example, I was charged with theft in Dallas County. The charges were dismissed and expunged from my record and are the basis of a civil action that I brought against the charging entities. Byrd responds to third party posts on my Facebook page, including customers, by posting my booking photo from this charge. She has involved third parties, and has them posting me as well, with threats and claims that I am a "felon".

I blocked Byrd from my Facebook page, but she has numerous Facebook identities, under different names, including Ashlee Doe and Kathryn Inacardigan. I have attached the latest emails, in which she responded to a post from my client Julie Phillips commending my work, by sending a post containing my booking photo. I have also enclosed a post from a woman who states that Byrd committed the same type of harassment against her son, on charges that were expunged, resulting in his suicide. These posts also include a personal threat to me from someone named "Joshua Jones", who I have also never met, sent to me in response to one of Byrd's posts.

These posts are a fraction of what Katie Byrd has posted on my Facebook page.

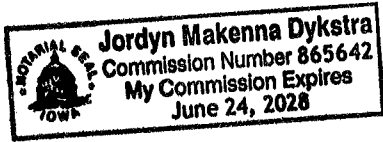
I have involved the Des Moines and West Des Moines Police who are investigating Byrd's actions. Their involvement has not stopped this harassment. This constant harassment has to stop, and I would ask the Court to enjoin this woman from posting to my Facebook page, and from causing others to post on my Facebook page.

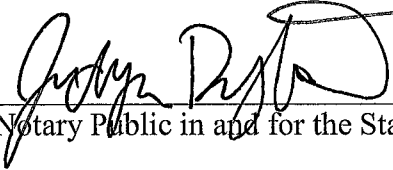
Dated this 30 day of September, 2026.



Mario Sciorrotta

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 3rd day of September, 2026.




Notary Public in and for the State of Iowa