PHILIP GODLEWSKI, Plaintiff	MAURI B KELLY IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LACKAWANNA COUNTY
v.	CIVIL DIVISION
CHRIS KELLY, et al. Defendants.	RECERCIS OF THE ENTIRE JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
	No.: 2021-CV-2195

#### DEFENDANTS' RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER

Defendants Chris Kelly (hereinafter ("Kelly"), The Scranton Times, L.P. (hereinafter "Scranton Times"), and Larry Holeva (hereinafter "Holeva") (collectively "Defendants"), by and through their counsel, J. Timothy Hinton, Jr. and Haggerty Hinton & Cosgrove LLP, hereby file this Response to Plaintiff's Motion for Protective Order.

- 1. Admitted.
- After reasonable investigation, Defendants are without knowledge or sufficient information to admit or deny the averments and thereof they are denied and strict proof thereof is demanded at the hearing on the motion.
- 3. After reasonable investigation, Defendants are without knowledge or sufficient information to admit or deny the averments and thereof they are denied and strict proof thereof is demanded at the hearing on the motion.
- 4. After reasonable investigation, Defendants are without knowledge or sufficient information to admit or deny the averments and thereof they are denied and strict proof thereof is demanded at the hearing on the motion.
- 5. Admitted.
- 6. Denied. Defendants' counsel contends that Plaintiff's mother, Marie Godlewski, possesses information reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible

evidence at trial.

- 7. Admitted.
- 8. Denied. Defendants' counsel contends that Plaintiff's mother, Marie Godlewski, possesses information reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence at trial.
- Denied. Defendants' counsel contends that Plaintiff's mother, Marie Godlewski,
   possesses information reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible
   evidence at trial.
- 10. Denied. Defendants' counsel contends that Plaintiff's mother, Marie Godlewski, possesses information reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence at trial.
- 11. Admitted.
- 12. Denied. Defendants' counsel contends that Plaintiff's mother, Marie Godlewski, possesses information reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence at trial.
- 13. Denied. Pa. R.C.P. 4013 speaks for itself.
- 14. Denied.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully request that the Court deny Plaintiff's Motion for a Protective Order. Further, Defendants request that the Court compel the deposition of Marie Godlewski to appear for a deposition as presently noticed for July 20, 2023 and if she fails to appear for the deposition be subject to sanctions upon further motion by Defendants.

# RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

I hereby certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania: Case Records of the Appellate and Tright Courts that require filing confidential information and documents differently that mon-confidential AL information and documents.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 25th day of June 2023, I caused to be served by electronic mail, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Response to Plaintiff's Motion for Protective Order upon all parties:

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