

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA

CIRCUIT CIVIL DIVISION: AG
CASE NO.: 50-2019-CA-014681-XXXX-MB

CA FLORIDA HOLDINGS LLC
PUBLISHER OF THE PALM BEACH POST,
Plaintiff/Petitioner
vs.

DAVE ARONBERG, as the State Attorney of Palm
Beach County, Florida, and
JOSEPH ABRUZZO, as the Clerk of the Circuit Court
and Comptroller of Palm Beach County, Florida,
Defendant/Respondents.

**ORDER DIRECTING TRANSCRIPTION OF THE TESTIMONY IN THE GRAND
JURY PROCEEDING**

THIS CAUSE came before this Court *sua sponte*. After brief review of the materials delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court and Comptroller of Palm Beach County on June 26, 2023, and kept secure by the Court since that time, the Court finds the materials are audio recordings, and in order to facilitate an effective review of the grand jury records the Court finds that transcription of the materials in conformity with Florida Rule of General Practice & Judicial Administration 2.535 is required.

The Plaintiff seeks review of the records. This is a Civil Matter and the costs associated with transcription will NOT be borne by the taxpayers, but instead the costs are the responsibility of the Plaintiff. Payment will be due at the conclusion of the transcription. To be clear, this does NOT make the transcripts the property of the Plaintiff, it only allows the court to do its duty effectively for the Plaintiff.

Accordingly, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the testimony in the grand jury proceeding shall be transcribed by a Court approved transcriptionist.

The materials shall be provided to the approved transcriptionist. The approved transcriptionist is to adhere to an Oath of Confidentiality and will secure all grand jury materials at all times under lock and key and maintain a chain of custody log.

The Transcriptionist will not copy or duplicate any portion of the records for any purpose other than the official transcription. Immediately upon completion, the transcriptionist must hand deliver the completed transcripts and original materials **only to Judge Delgado in his Chambers** so the Court may continue the review.

The Costs associated with transcription will be paid by the Plaintiff.

DONE AND ORDERED, in Chambers at West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida,

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Luis Delgado Circuit Judge

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Circuit Judge

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