



COPYRIGHT CLAIMS BOARD

Docket number: 23-CCB-0300

November 1, 2024

Denaro Puro LLC

CLAIMANT

v.

Black Entertainment Television Llc

RESPONDENT

ORDER DISMISSING CLAIM WITHOUT PREJUDICE

This claim was filed on September 13, 2023. On September 20, 2023, the Copyright Claims Board (Board) placed the claim in abeyance pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 221.1(b) pending the outcome of the application for registration of copyright in the work at issue in this proceeding.

If a proceeding has been held in abeyance for more than one year, the Board may dismiss the claim or counterclaim without prejudice after providing thirty-days written notice to all parties to the proceeding. 17 U.S.C. § 1505(b)(2); 37 C.F.R. § 221.1(b). On October 1, 2024, the Board issued a Notice of Intent to Dismiss Claim without Prejudice, which provided the parties 30 days to respond and provide reasons why this case should be kept in abeyance. No response was received. Therefore, the Board dismisses this proceeding without prejudice and closes this case. Dismissal without prejudice means that the claimant may raise the allegations before the Board again, after submitting a proper application for registration or obtaining a valid copyright registration, or may raise the allegations in federal court after obtaining a valid copyright registration.

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