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SUPERIOR COURT

SOTO, DONNA L., ADM OF THE ESTATE OF VICTORIA L. S Et Al V. BUSHMASTER FIREARMS INTERNATIONAL, LLC AKA FREEDOM Et

JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WATERBURY AT WATERBURY

9/14/2021

ORDER

ORDER REGARDING: 09/02/2021 374.00 MOTION FOR ORDER

The foregoing, having been considered by the Court, is hereby:

ORDER:

Any party seeking educational, employment, or medical records from ANOTHER PARTY in a civil lawsuit in Connecticut must follow the long-standing rules of practice by filing a formal request for production, unless a plaintiff has informally produced the records or an authorization to obtain them. In this matter, the plaintiffs did not informally produce the records or authorizations. The Remington defendants, instead of filing a proper request for production, circumvented established practice book rules by inappropriately issuing subpoenas for protected educational and employment records. The court notes that the court's prior order of February 20, 2020, with respect to the Remington defendants' request for the psychological, psychiatric, medical and educational records of Adam Lanza, has absolutely no applicability here, as the Estate of Adam Lanza was not a party to this litigation. The Remington defendants are cautioned that they are obligated to comply with the rules of practice, and failure to do so in the future may result in sanctions including but not limited to default.

Judicial Notice (JDNO) was sent regarding this order.

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Judge: BARBARA N BELLIS

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