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**The Ockers Company v. Galvin
Suffolk Superior Court No. 2284-CV-01287**

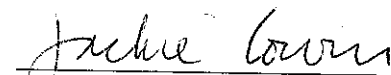
Order on Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction

After hearing, and careful review of all written submissions and oral arguments, the motion is DENIED.

The Court does not find that the plaintiff has a likelihood of success on the merits of its claims in the underlying Complaint, as the evidence presented to date is insufficient to show that the defendant did in fact sign the Confidentiality/Non-Solicitation Agreement at issue. Moreover, the evidence presented by the plaintiff, which is contradicted by the sworn statements of the defendant, is insufficient to show that the defendant retained any of the plaintiff's confidential information, or has solicited business from its clients.

Further, the plaintiff's claim of irreparable harm is belied by the fact that the evidence purportedly supporting its claim for relief was discovered several months ago, and the fact that this action was pending nearly three months before the plaintiff went forward with its request for injunctive relief (albeit because it was hoping to settle the matter). And, again, the evidence that the defendant is in possession of the plaintiff's confidential information, or is soliciting business from the plaintiff's clients, is insufficient to prove irreparable harm.

Date: September 2, 2022



Jackie Cowin
Justice of the Superior Court