

**CAUSE NO. 202454595**

**JULIUS LAMUNN NORTH,**

*Plaintiff,*

v.

**BRADEN BARNES,**

*Defendant.*

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**IN THE DISTRICT COURT**

**152ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

**HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS**

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**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT’S MOTION TO DECLARE PLAINTIFF A  
VEXATIOUS LITIGANT**

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Upon consideration of Defendant Braden Barnes’s (“Defendant”) Motion to Declare Plaintiff Julius Lamunn North (“Plaintiff”) a Vexatious Litigant (the “Motion”) and any responses or replies thereto, the Court makes the following findings and orders:

The Court finds that there is no reasonable probability that Plaintiff will prevail in this litigation against Defendant.

The Court further finds that in the seven-year period immediately preceding Defendant’s Motion, Plaintiff commenced, prosecuted and/or maintained, as a pro se litigant, at least five litigations that were finally determined adverse to him, including but not limited to:

- (1) *In re Julius Lamunn North*, Case No. 4:22-cv-04393, in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Texas;
- (2) *North v. HomeLoanServ, et al.*, Cause No. 2023-48766 in the 151st Judicial Court of Harris County and removed to the Southern District of Texas and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03211;
- (3) *North v. Central Houston Cadillac*, Cause No. 2023-48782, in the 333rd District Court of Harris County;
- (4) *North v. Discover Financial Services*, filed in the 215th District Court of Harris County as Cause No. 2023-48740 and removed to federal court and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03313;

- (5) *North v. Spring Independent School District*, filed in the 190th District Court of Harris County as Cause No. 2023-48753 and removed to federal court and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03749;
- (6) *North v. TransUnion*, Cause No. 2023-48777 filed in the 125th District Court of Harris County and removed to federal court and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03220;
- (7) *North v. Capital One Auto Finance*, filed in the 55th District Court of Harris County as Cause No. 2023-48777 and removed to federal court and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03307;
- (8) *North v. Capital One, N.A.*, Cause No. 2023-48788 in the 189th District Court of Harris County and removed to federal court and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03309;
- (9) *North v. Lamar University, et al.*, Cause No. 2023-48773, in the 270th District Court of Harris County;
- (10) *North v. Post Wood Municipal Utility District*, Cause No. 2023-48768 in the 165th District Court of Harris County;
- (11) *North v. Harris Central Appraisal District*, filed in the 80th District Court of Harris County and removed to federal court and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-04067;
- (12) *North v. Idaho Housing and Finance Association, et al.*, Cause No. 2023-49064 filed in the 133rd Judicial District Court of Harris County and removed to the Southern District of Texas and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03216;
- (13) *North v. Bonial & Associates, P.C.*, Cause No. 2023-49065 filed in the 125th Judicial District Court of Harris County and removed to the Southern District of Texas and assigned Case No. 4:23-cv-03669;
- (14) *North v. Mohela*, Cause No. 2023-49068 in the 55th District Court of Harris County;
- (15) *North v. USA Fact, Inc.*, Cause No. 2023-50486, in the 189th District Court of Harris County;
- (16) *North v. American Express Company*, Cause No. 2023-50461 in the 234th District Court of Harris County;
- (17) *North v. Texas Department of Savings and Mortgage Lending*, Cause No. 2023-50470, in the 270th District Court of Harris County;
- (18) *North v. Experian, et al.* Cause No. 2023-49060, in the 189th District Court of Harris County; and
- (19) *North v. HomeLoanServ, et al.*, Case No. 24-20283, Plaintiff's appeal of the related, consolidated Case No. 4:23-cv-03211 to the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

The Court further finds that Plaintiff has repeatedly, after litigation has been finally determined against him, continue to re-litigate or attempted to re-litigate, as a *pro se* party, the cause of action, claims, controversy and/or factual and/or legal determinations against one or more of the same defendants against whom litigation was previously finally determined. Those cases include, but are not limited to:

- (1) *North v. Bonial & Associates, P.C.*, Cause No. 2023-49065 filed in the 125th Judicial District Court of Harris County, Texas; and
- (2) *North v. HomeLoanServ, et al.*, Case No. 4:23-cv-03211 in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Texas, being the consolidated case including Case Nos. 4:23-cv-03216 and 4:23-cv-03669.

The Court finds that Plaintiff is a vexatious litigant.

The Court finds that the reasonable expenses incurred by Defendant in this litigation or in connection with the commenced litigation, including costs and attorney's fees is \$3,500.

The Court finds that a reasonable time period for Plaintiff to post as security the expenses incurred by Defendant in the amount of \$3,500 is ten (10) days.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Plaintiff is declared a vexatious litigant.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Plaintiff is prohibited from filing any new *pro se* litigation in the State of Texas without written permission of the applicable local administrative judge, who will review the desired *pro se* litigation pursuant to Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code § 11.102 to determine whether the litigation has merit and whether it has been filed for the purpose of harassment.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Plaintiff furnish security for the benefit of Defendant. Accordingly, Plaintiff is ordered to post with the registry of this Court the statutorily required security in the amount of \$3,500 within ten (10) days of the entry of this Order.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that should Plaintiff fail to post the security set forth above in full on or before the date set by this Order, the Court shall dismiss this suit.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the District Clerk provide a copy of this Order to the Office of Court Administration within thirty (30) days of the signing of this Order.

Pursuant to Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code § 11.101(c), Plaintiff may appeal this Court's findings and Order.

Signed this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

Signed:  
11/26/2024



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JUDGE PRESIDING

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