

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF OCONEE

ATLAS LAW FIRM, P.C. and DEBTBUSTERS. P.C.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

FRANCES JANE MOORER SCOTT and  
GALEN LAMAR AMERSON,

Defendants.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

C/A #: 2019-CP-37-00164

**ORDER ESTABLISHING  
AMOUNT OF DOMESTICATED JUDGMENT**

This is an action to domesticate a foreign judgment pursuant to the Uniform Enforcement of Foreign Judgments Act, Sections 15-35-900 through 960, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended. This matter came before the Court upon the request of the Plaintiffs for a hearing to determine the balance remaining due on the subject judgment.

This Court previously entered an Order on Foreign Judgment (the "Prior Order") in this case on October 9, 2019, pursuant to which the Court ordered that the foreign judgment, being that judgment entered in favor of the Plaintiffs against the Defendants in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of Colorado on February 6, 2018 in case number 2017CV30158, in the original amount of \$63,379.84, plus interest at the rate of 8% per annum (the "Judgment"), is a valid judgment in the State of Colorado and is entitled to full faith and credit in this State. The Prior Order further directed the Plaintiffs to provide Defendants with a full accounting of funds seized by Plaintiffs toward the Judgment and, if the parties could not reach an agreement on the accounting and the balance remaining due on the Judgment, either party could request a hearing on the accounting to determine the balance remaining due. Plaintiffs provided an accounting to the Defendants, and the parties have represented to Court that they were unable to reach an agreement on the accounting and the balance remaining due on the Judgment.

A hearing was held before me on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. Present at the hearing was Benjamin E. Grimsley, attorney for the Plaintiffs; Edward Levy, a representative of the Plaintiffs; Andrew K. Holliday, attorney for the Defendants; and the Defendants Frances Jane Moorner Scott and Galen Lamar Amerson.

Plaintiffs presented into the record an Affidavit in Support of Unsatisfied Judgment Balance executed by Mr. Levy, and Mr. Levy provided testimony at the hearing on behalf of Plaintiffs. The Defendants did not present any affidavits or other evidence at the hearing, and the Defendants did not testify at the hearing.

Based on the Affidavit in Support of Unsatisfied Judgment Balance executed by Mr. Levy, the testimony of Mr. Levy presented at the hearing, and the arguments of counsel, I make the following findings of fact and conclusions of law as required by Rule 52(a), S.C.R.Civ.P.

**FINDINGS OF FACT & CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. Mr. Levy is the counsel of record in the State of Colorado for, and the owner of, Plaintiffs Atlas Law Firm, P.C. and DebtBusters, P.C.
2. Mr. Levy is the custodian of records for Plaintiffs relating to the Judgment and is familiar with the history of the litigation between the parties, the books and records of Plaintiffs relating to the Judgment, and Plaintiffs' efforts to enforce the Judgment.
3. The Judgment entered in the State of Colorado was in the original amount of \$63,379.84 and, pursuant to the Judgment, is to accrue interest at the rate of 8% per annum from entry of the Judgment on February 6, 2018.
4. As of September 28, 2020, the Judgment has accrued interest in the amount of \$11,161.98.
5. As of September 28, 2020, Plaintiffs have incurred post-judgment costs of collection in connection with the Judgment in the amount of \$23,381.41.

6. As of the date of the hearing, Plaintiffs have recovered the sum of \$51,830.32 from assets of the Defendants in connection with enforcement of the Judgment.

7. As of September 28, 2020, the total amount due on the Judgment following the addition of interest and costs of collection and the application of sums recovered is \$46,092.91.

8. Plaintiffs are entitled to an Order of this Court finding that the balance due on the Judgment as of September 28, 2020 is \$46,092.91.

**NOW THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED** that the balance due on the Judgment as of September 28, 2020 is Forty-Six Thousand Ninety-Two and 91/100 Dollars (\$46,092.91), and that interest shall continue to accrue on this Judgment at the rate of 8% per annum.

**AND IT IS SO ORDERED.**

[JUDGE'S SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW]



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s/R. Scott Sprouse, Judge #2752

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