IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

HONG KONG LEYUZHEN TECHNOLOGY CO. LIMITED,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE INDIVIDUALS, CORPORATIONS, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES, PARTNERSHIPS AND UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE "A" HERETO,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-08856-MFK-MDW

Honorable Matthew F. Kennelly

Magistrate M. David Weisman

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR ENTRY OF CLERK'S DEFAULT AGAINST THE NON-APPEARING DEFENDANTS IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE "A"

Plaintiff Hong Kong Leyuzhen Technology Co. Limited ("Plaintiff") hereby moves for entry of clerk's default pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 55(a) (the "Motion") against certain non-appearing, through the filing of an answer or otherwise responsive pleading, (the "Defaulting Defendants") identified in Schedule "A". Plaintiff has specifically excluded from its request for entry of default those Defendants that have settled the claims asserted against them and those Defendants that have formally appeared through counsel of record in this action. A listing of non-appearing Schedule "A" Defendants subject to Plaintiff's request for entry of default, together with those Schedule "A" Defendants that are excluded from this request, is attached as Exhibit "1" to the supporting Declaration of Shawn A. Mangano (the "Mangano Decl.") submitted concurrently with this Motion.

DATED: December 23, 2024 Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/ Shawn A. Mangano</u>

Shawn A. Mangano (Bar No. 6299408)

BAYRAMOGLU LAW OFFICES LLC

1540 West Warm Springs Road Ste. 100

Henderson, NV 89014

Tel: (702) 462-5973 Fax: (702) 553-3404 shawnmangano@bayramoglu-legal.com

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 23rd day of December 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the clerk of the court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, using the electronic case filing system. The electronic case filing system sent a "Notice of Electronic Filing" to the attorneys of record who have consented in writing to accept this Notice as service of this document by electronic means. Notice of this filing is provided to unrepresented parties for whom contact information has been provided via email and by posting the filing on a URL contained on our website https://blointernetenforcement.com/, and distributed to ecommerce platform, Temu.

By: /s/ Shawn A. Mangano

Shawn A. Mangano (Bar No. 6299408) **BAYRAMOGLU LAW OFFICES LLC**

1540 West Warm Springs Road Ste. 100

Henderson, NV 89014

Tel: (702) 462-5973 Fax: (702) 553-3404 shawnmangano@bayramoglu-legal.com

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

HONG KONG LEYUZHEN TECHNOLOGY CO. LIMITED,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE INDIVIDUALS, CORPORATIONS, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES, PARTNERSHIPS AND UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE "A" HERETO,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-08856-MFK-MDW

Honorable Matthew F. Kennelly

Magistrate M. David Weisman

PLAINTIFF'S MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT AGAINST THE NON-APPEARING DEFENDANTS IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE "A"

Plaintiff Hong Kong Leyuzhen Technology Co. Ltd. ("Plaintiff") submits the following memorandum in support of its request for entry of default (the "Motion") pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 55(a) ("Rule 55(a)") against certain non-appearing, through the filing of an answer or otherwise responsive pleading, identified in Schedule "A". Plaintiff has specifically excluded from its request for entry of default those Defendants that have settled the claims asserted against them and those Defendants that have formally appeared through counsel of record in this action, which expressly includes those Defendants that have sought or been granted extension of time to response to the operative Complaint (the "Defaulting Defendants"). A listing of non-appearing Schedule "A" Defaulting Defendants subject to Plaintiff's request for entry of default,

together with those Schedule "A" Defendants that are excluded from this request, is attached as Exhibit "1" to the supporting Declaration of Shawn A. Mangano (the "Mangano Decl.").

I. <u>INTRODUCTION</u>

Plaintiff's request for entry of default is straightforward, the Court authorized electronic service of process on the named Schedule "A" Defendants via email as part of issuing a Temporary Restraining Order (the "TRO") in this matter on September 30, 2024. [Dkt. No. 12.] Plaintiff promptly effectuated service on all named Schedule "A" Defendants and a Return of Service was filed attesting to service having been completed on October 9, 2024. [Dkt. No. 13.] As set forth in the docket entry for the Return of Service, a response to Plaintiff's operative Complaint was due on or before October 30, 2024. [Id.]

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(a)(1)(A) ("Rule 12(a)(1)(A)"), the Defaulting Defendants had twenty-one (21) days to answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's Complaint in this action. As of the filing of this Motion, approximately seventy five (75) days have expired since electronic service was effectuated on the Schedule "A" Defendants, which includes the Defaulting Defendants that are the subject of Plaintiff's Motion. (Mangano Decl. ¶ 5.) To date, none of the Defaulting Defendants have answered or otherwise responded to Plaintiff's Complaint. (*Id.*) Accordingly, the Clerk of the Court is compelled to enter default pursuant to Rule 55(a) against the Defaulting Defendants.

II. <u>ARGUMENT</u>

A. JURISDICTION AND VENUE ARE PROPER IN THIS COURT

This Court has original subject matter jurisdiction over the claims in this action pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C. § 101, et seq., 28 U.S.C. § 1338(a)–(b) and 28 U.S.C. § 1331. [Dkt. No. 23 at 2-3.] Venue is proper in this Court pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §

1391, and this Court may properly exercise personal jurisdiction over Defendants since each of the Defendants directly targets business activities toward consumers in Illinois and causes harm to Plaintiff's business within this judicial district. [Dkt. No. 1 at 2-3]; *see also uBID, Inc. v. GoDaddy Grp., Inc.*, 623 F.3d 421, 423-24 (7th Cir. 2010) (without benefit of an evidentiary hearing, plaintiff bears only the burden of making a prima facie case for personal jurisdiction; all of plaintiff's asserted facts should be accepted as true and any factual determinations should be resolved in its favor).

In addition to the foregoing, the Court has determined that it can properly exercise specific personal jurisdiction over the Schedule "A" Defendants, which includes the Defaulting Defendants, in issuing the TRO on September 30, 2024. [Dkt. No. 12.] Moreover, the Court additionally issued a Preliminary Injunction on October 25, 2024, further solidifying this determination. [Dkt. No. 23.] Accordingly, it is unquestionable that the Defaulting Defendants are subject to personal jurisdiction in this action.

B. PLAINTIFF HAS MET THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT UNDER RULE 55(a)

Pursuant to Rule 55(a), "when a party against whom a judgment for affirmative relief is sought has failed to plead or otherwise defend, and that failure is shown by affidavit or otherwise, the clerk must enter the party's default." Fed. R. Civ. P. 55(a). Plaintiff clearly meets these requirements.

On September 24, 2024, Plaintiff filed its Complaint for Copyright Infringement (the "Complaint") in this action. [Dkt. No. 1.] The Defendants were properly served with the Complaint, TRO, all supporting documents via electronic service on October 9 2024. [Dkt. No. 13] As such, the Defaulting Defendants had twenty-one (21) days to answer or otherwise respond

to Plaintiff's complaint pursuant to Rule 12(a)(1)(A). As of the filing of this Motion, over seventy

five (75) days have expired since electronic service was effectuated on the Schedule "A"

Defendants, which includes the Defaulting Defendants that are the subject of Plaintiff's Motion.

(Mangano Decl. ¶ 5.) To date, none of the Defaulting Defendants have answered or otherwise

responded to Plaintiff's Complaint. (Id.) Accordingly, the Clerk of the Court is compelled to enter

default pursuant to Rule 55(a) against the Defaulting Defendants.

III. CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff respectfully requests that the Clerk of the Court enter

default against each of the Defaulting Defendants pursuant to Rule 55(a).

DATED: December 23, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

By: /s/ Shawn A. Mangano

Shawn A. Mangano (Bar No. 6299408)

BAYRAMOGLU LAW OFFICES LLC

1540 West Warm Springs Road Ste. 100

Henderson, NV 89014

Tel: (702) 462-5973 | Fax: (702) 553-3404

shawnmangano@bayramoglu-legal.com

Attorneys for Plaintiff

1

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 23rd day of December 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the clerk of the court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, using the electronic case filing system. The electronic case filing system sent a "Notice of Electronic Filing" to the attorneys of record who have consented in writing to accept this Notice as service of this document by electronic means. Notice of this filing is provided to unrepresented parties for whom contact information has been provided via email and by posting the filing on a URL contained on our website https://blointernetenforcement.com/, and distributed to ecommerce platform, Temu.

By: /s/ Shawn A. Mangano

Shawn A. Mangano (Bar No. 6299408) **BAYRAMOGLU LAW OFFICES LLC**1540 West Warm Springs Road Ste. 100

Henderson, NV 89014

Tel: (702) 462-5973 Fax: (702) 553-3404 shawnmangano@bayramoglu-legal.com

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

HONG KONG LEYUZHEN TECHNOLOGY CO. LIMITED,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE INDIVIDUALS, CORPORATIONS, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES, PARTNERSHIPS AND UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE "A" HERETO,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-08856-MFK-MDW

Honorable Matthew F. Kennelly

Magistrate M. David Weisman

DECLARATION OF SHAWN A. MANGANO IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT AGAINST NON-APPEARING DEFENDANTS IDENTIFIED IN SCHEDULE "A"

- I, Shawn A. Mangano, of the City of Las Vegas, in the State of Nevada, declare as follows:
- 1. Except as otherwise expressly stated to the contrary, this declaration is based upon my personal knowledge of the following facts and, if called as a witness, I could and would competently testify to the statements made herein.
- 2. I make this declaration in support of Plaintiff's Motion for Entry of Clerk's Default against the Defendants Identified in Schedule "A" (the "Motion"). The Motion seeks entry of default against those named Defendants that have neither appeared in this action nor reached a settlement with Plaintiff over the company's asserted claims for relief (the "Defaulting Defendants"). According, the Defaulting Defendants do not include named Schedule "A" Defendants that have settled with Plaintiff or Defendants that have entered formal appearances through counsel in this case. Attached hereto as Exhibit "1" is a true and correct copy of a list of the Defaulting Defendants and the excluded other Defendants not subject to Plaintiff's request for entry of default.

Case: 1:24-cv-08856 Document #: 30-2 Filed: 12/23/24 Page 2 of 3 PageID #:616

3. I am an attorney at law, duly admitted to practice before the Courts of the State of

Illinois and the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. I am one of

the attorneys for Plaintiff Hong Kong Leyuzhen Technology Co. Ltd. ("Plaintiff"). I make this

declaration from my matters within my own knowledge unless stated otherwise.

4. I hereby certify that the Defaulting Defendants have failed to file an answer or other

responsive pleading within twenty-one (21) days after being served with the Summons and

Complaint in this action as required by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(a)(1)(A).

5. Specifically, all Schedule "A" Defendants were served with copies of the Summons

and Complaint via electronic service authorized by the Court on October 9, 2024, which is reflected

in the Return of Summons filed in this case. [Dkt. No. 13.] As of the filing of this Motion, one seventy

five (75) days have expired since electronic service was effectuated on the Schedule "A" Defendants,

which includes the Defaulting Defendants that are the subject of Plaintiff's Motion. None of the

identified Defaulting Defendants have answered or otherwise responded to Plaintiff's Complaint in

this action.

6. My office investigated the infringing activities of the Defaulting Defendants,

including attempting to identify their contact information. Our investigation confirmed that the

Defaulting Defendants are primarily domiciled in Asia and, more particularly, in either the People's

Republic of China or territory under that government's control. As such, I am informed and believe

that none of the Defaulting Defendants are active-duty members of any branch of the United States

armed services.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America the

foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 23, 2024, in Las Vegas, Nevada.

By: /s/ Shawn A. Mangano

SHAWN A. MANGANO, ESQ.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 23rd day of December 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the clerk of the court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, using the electronic case filing system. The electronic case filing system sent a "Notice of Electronic Filing" to the attorneys of record who have consented in writing to accept this Notice as service of this document by electronic means. Notice of this filing is provided to unrepresented parties for whom contact information has been provided via email and by posting the filing on a URL contained on our website https://blointernetenforcement.com/, and distributed to ecommerce platform, Temu.

By: /s/ Shawn A. Mangano

Shawn A. Mangano (Bar No. 6299408) **BAYRAMOGLU LAW OFFICES LLC** 1540 West Warm Springs Road Ste. 100

Henderson, NV 89014

Tel: (702) 462-5973 Fax: (702) 553-3404 shawnmangano@bayramoglu-legal.com

Exhibit 1

Plaintiff Requests Clerk's Default Against the Following 107 Non-appearing Defendants		
Δ No.	Seller's Name	
1	AY Beautyfashion	
3	COLOVER	
4	Danza	
5	HENG CHENG PLUS SIZE	
7	Infashule	
8	Julyjwx	
9	kalegirl	
10	LESMAN	
11	LovelyWholesale Edgy	
12	MPB	
13	Necoo	
14	Newspeed	
15	Ngan	
16	OKBSFASHION	
17	Optimal Optimal m	
18	PickPink Swimwear	
19	Plus Plus	
21	tide	
22	Unicorn Shop	
23	weilala	
25	XHP	
26	XTONGG	
28	YiSHION GIRLS	
29	Yutong Clothing	
30	ailichengxin	

Plaintiff Requests Clerk's Default Against the Following 107 Non-appearing Defendants		
Δ No.	Seller's Name	
31	Clothing Co LtdMaivis	
32	Coconut yes	
34	DuoD	
36	GNL	
37	hekkaVIP	
38	Imango Fashion	
39	JiaCai	
40	LAZEPLUS	
41	mixike	
42	MsSugarOne	
44	Yeshoo	
45	YYAN	
47	Behumble	
48	Black Beauty style	
49	BMFashion	
51	ComfortWardrobe	
52	Full house of fashion	
53	GreatDressShop	
54	Jennifer Your	
55	New Little Star	
56	Phtwo	
57	Vacation Breeze Clothing	
58	XHPPlus	

Plaintiff Requests Clerk's Default Against the Following 107 Non-appearing Defendants		
Δ No.	Seller's Name	
59	YarYUN	
61	beauty angelcity	
62	BelleChic	
63	BELLCOCO	
64	Bertclothing	
65	clothesssssssss	
66	duoduoxixi	
67	Fashion Lady	
68	HanUna clothing	
70	Luckyclover	
71	LuoliClothing	
72	MidandOldlife	
73	Mini fox ladies	
74	OKABASA	
75	Rose Butterfly	
76	SHDA	
77	skirtat Ships	
78	SmallYum	
79	smyslenny	
82	xiaoxiaozhang	
83	yezaoo womens clothing	
84	Yixuan womens dress	
85	Yuzixuan	

Plaintiff Requests Clerk's Default Against the Following 107 Non-appearing Defendants		
Δ Νο.	Seller's Name	
87	Zyy clothing	
88	About womens clothing	
89	Acce	
91	BestSellers	
93	Capucine	
95	Charim Qi Sang	
98	Elegant neighborhood	
100	GIBLY	
101	GRYS	
102	Guangzhou Yashi Clothing	
103	GYPSOPHILA	
104	GZSIEDQJ	
105	HAYEDDA	
106	Humen TuoCai	
107	LINGDALIN	
108	Loratte	
109	Loretta Boutique clothing	
110	maidekuai	
113	MNSPLusSize	
115	Plusfashion	
116	Pretty Moon	
117	QCFS	
119	Rosemantic	

Case: 1:24-cv-08856 Document #: 30-3 Filed: 12/23/24 Page 6 of 6 PageID #:623

Plaintiff Requests Clerk's Default Against the Following 107 Non-appearing Defendants		
Δ No.	Seller's Name	
120	SallyShaman	
121	Smurf Apparel	
123	TIANYUN	
124	VIVI Fashion Style	
125	XUEHAN	
126	YuJunXiFuShi	
128	A large swimsuit	
129	DEFZEAL	
132	Ruifu Fashion	
133	Seeyou garment factory	
134	Shanaya	
135	TongxinShow	
136	Wear Alliance Plus	