

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA**

Case No. 25-cv-23049-BLOOM/Elfenbein

TOHO CO., LTD.,

Plaintiff,

v.

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

Defendants.

**ORDER SETTING HEARING ON
MOTION FOR ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

THIS CAUSE is before the Court upon Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction ("Motion"), ECF No. [25], filed on August 21, 2025. On July 30, 2025, the Court granted Plaintiff's *Ex Parte* Motion for Alternate Service of Process ("Order on Alternate Service"). ECF No. [13]. On August 13, 2025, the Court entered an Amended Temporary Restraining Order and Asset Restraint Order ("TRO"). ECF No. [23]. On August 22, 2025, the Court ordered Plaintiff to serve Defendants in accordance with the Order on Alternate Service and provide Defendants with notice of Plaintiff's Motion. ECF No. [27]. In accordance with the Order on Alternate Service and Order to Show Cause, Plaintiff properly served Defendants with notice of the Motion on August 22, 2025. ECF No. [29]. Defendants have not filed a response, nor have they requested additional time by which to do so.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** as follows:

1. **A hearing** is set before this Court via **Zoom video conference on September 15, 2025, at 9:30 a.m.**, at which time Defendants and/or any other affected persons may challenge the appropriateness of this Order and move to dissolve the same and at which time the Court will hear argument on Plaintiff's requested preliminary injunction. **The Zoom Meeting ID is 161 0404 2690; and the Passcode is 509473. Defendants who are business entities must be represented by counsel at the hearing.** *Palazzo v. Gulf Oil Corp.*, 764 F. 2d 1381, 1385 (11th Cir. 1985) ("The rule is well established that a corporation is an artificial entity that can act only through agents, cannot appear *pro se*, and must be represented by counsel.")
2. Failure to appear at the hearing may result in the imposition of a preliminary injunction against Defendants pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1116(d), the Copyright Act 17 U.S.C. §§ 101, *et seq.*, the All Writs Act, 28 U.S.C. § 1651(a), Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65, and this Court's inherent authority.
3. Plaintiff shall serve a copy of this Order on Defendants through the means specified in the Order on Alternate Service, ECF No. [13], **on or before September 10, 2025**, and file a Certificate of Service with the Court.

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DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Florida, on September 8, 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'JB' with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

BETH BLOOM
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies to:

Counsel of Record