

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

WUMEI LIN,

Plaintiff,

v.

HONG KONG FENGJIANG LIMITED

Defendant.

Case No. 1:25-cv-14452

Honorable Sunil R. Harjani

PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION ORDER

Plaintiff Wumei Lin (“Plaintiff”) filed a Motion for Entry of a Preliminary Injunction against HONG KONG FENGJIANG LIMITED, (“Defendant”), and its fully interactive, e-commerce stores¹ operating under the seller aliases identified in Exhibit 2 to the First Amended Complaint and attached hereto and using at least the online marketplace accounts identified in Exhibit 2 (the “Online Marketplaces”), Wwmvrtp, JJVTLMU, and Tehfgns. After reviewing the Motion and the accompanying record, this Court GRANTS Plaintiff’s Motion as follows.

This Court finds Plaintiff has provided notice to Defendant in accordance with the Temporary Restraining Order (“TRO”) entered January 27, 2026 [Dkt. No. 21] and Electronic Service Order entered January 27, 2026 [Dkt. No. 22], and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65(a)(1).

This Court also finds, in the absence of adversarial presentation, that it has personal jurisdiction over Defendant because Defendant directly targets their business activities toward consumers in the United States, including Illinois. Specifically, Plaintiff has provided a basis to conclude that Defendant has targeted sales to Illinois residents by setting up and operating e-

¹ The e-commerce stores urls are listed on Exhibit 2 of the First Amended Complaint under the Online Marketplaces.

commerce stores that target United States consumers using one or more seller aliases, offer shipping to the United States, including to the State of Illinois, and have sold competing products through the unauthorized use and display of Plaintiff's federally registered Copyright (the "Plaintiff's Copyright Registration") to residents of the State of Illinois. [Dkt. Nos. 12-1 and 13], which includes Plaintiff's Copyright, VA0002441336. In this case, Plaintiff has also presented evidence that the Defendant and its respective e-commerce stores are reaching out to do business with Illinois residents by operating one or more commercial, interactive internet stores through which Illinois residents can and do purchase products using unauthorized use and display of Plaintiff's Copyright. *See* Docket Nos. 12-2 and 13-1, which includes evidence confirming that Defendant's e-commerce stores do stand ready, willing, and able to ship its goods to customers in Illinois using the unauthorized use and display of Plaintiff's Copyright.

This Court also finds that the injunctive relief previously granted in the TRO should remain in place through the pendency of this litigation and that issuing this Preliminary Injunction is warranted under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65. Evidence submitted in support of this Motion and in support of Plaintiff's previously granted Motion for Entry of a TRO establishes that Plaintiff has demonstrated a likelihood of success on the merits; that no remedy at law exists; and that Plaintiff will suffer irreparable harm if the injunction is not granted.

Specifically, Plaintiff has proved a prima facie case of Copyright infringement because Plaintiff has shown (1) valid ownership of the Plaintiff's Copyright; and (2) Defendant has copied original elements of the copyrighted work. Furthermore, Defendant and their continued, and unauthorized use of Plaintiff's federally registered Copyright irreparably harms Plaintiff through loss of customers' goodwill and reputational harm. Monetary damages fail to address such damage and, therefore, Plaintiff has an inadequate remedy at law. Moreover, the public interest

is served by entry of this Preliminary Injunction to dispel the public confusion created by Defendant's actions. Accordingly, this Court orders that:

1. Defendant, its officers, agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons acting for, with, by, through, under, or in active concert with them, be preliminarily enjoined and restrained from: Using the Plaintiff's Copyright Protected Images subject of Copyright Registration, VA0002441336 for a group of Published Photographs, registration issued pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 202.4(i) (Plaintiff's Copyright Registration") [Dkt. No. 12-1 and 13]; including any reproductions, counterfeit copies, or colorable imitations in any manner in connection with the distribution, supply, sharing, reproduction, manufacturing, mass production, drop shipping, marketing, advertising, making, offering for sale, or sale of any products that is not a genuine product of Plaintiff's or not authorized by Plaintiff to be sold in connection with the Plaintiff's Copyright-Protected Photos;

2. Defendant shall be temporarily restrained and enjoined from transferring or disposing of any money or other of Defendant's assets until further ordered by this Court.

3. Upon Plaintiff's request, those with actual notice of this Order, including the Third-Party Providers; eBay Inc., AliExpress, Alibaba, Amazon.com Inc., Wish.com, TikTok Shop, Walmart, Temu, and Dhgate (collectively, the "Third Party ZProviders"). Shall within seven (7) calendar days after receipt of such notice, disable and cease displaying any advertisements used by or associated with the sale of counterfeit and infringing goods using the Plaintiff's Copyright-Protected Photos.

4. Any Third-Party Providers, including Temu, TikTok Shop, PayPal, Alipay, Alibaba, Ant Financial, Wish.com, and Amazon Pay, shall, within seven (7) calendar days of receipt of this Order:

- a. locate all accounts and funds connected to Defendant's seller aliases, including, but not limited to, any financial accounts connected to the information listed in Exhibit 2 attached to Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint [Dkt. Nos. 12-2 and 13-1], including any e-mail addresses provided for Defendant by third parties; and
- b. restrain and enjoin any such accounts or funds from transferring or disposing of any money or other of Defendant's assets until further order by this Court.

5. Plaintiff may provide notice of the proceedings in this case to Defendant, including notice of the preliminary injunction hearing and service of process pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 4(f)(3), and any future motions, by email and electronically publishing a link to the Pleadings, this Order, and other relevant documents on a website and by sending an e-mail with a link to said website to the e-mail addresses provided for Defendant by third parties. The combination of providing notice via electronic publication and e-mail, along with any notice that Defendant receives from payment processors, shall constitute notice reasonably calculated under all circumstances to apprise Defendant of the pendency of the action and afford them the opportunity to present their objections.

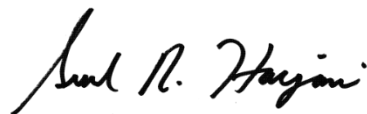
6. The \$3,000 bond posted by Plaintiff shall remain with the Court until a final disposition of this case or until this Preliminary Injunction is terminated [Dkt. Nos. 27 and 29].

7. Exhibit 1 to Plaintiff's Complaint [2], Exhibit 1 to Plaintiff's Amended Complaint [13], Exhibit 5 to the Declaration of J. Droter regarding MOTION by Plaintiff Wumei Lin for temporary restraining order [16], and the TRO [21] are unsealed.

8. Any Defendant that is subject to this Order may appear and move to dissolve or modify the Order as permitted by and in compliance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and

the Northern District of Illinois Local Rules. Any third party impacted by this Order may move for appropriate relief.

DATED: February 23, 2026

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Sunil R. Harjani". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath it.

Sunil R. Harjani
United States District Judge

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