

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

DANING ZHOU,

Plaintiff,

v.

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

Defendants.

No. 26-cv-01240

Judge Andrea R. Wood

Magistrate Judge Jeannice W. Appenteng

***SEALED* TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER**

Plaintiff Daning Zhou filed an *Ex Parte* Motion for Entry of a Temporary Restraining Order (the "Motion") against the fully interactive, e-commerce stores operating under the seller aliases identified in Schedule A to the Complaint and attached hereto (collectively, "Defendants") and using at least the domain names identified in Schedule A (the "Defendant Domain Names") and the online marketplace accounts identified in Schedule A (the "Online Marketplaces"). After reviewing the Motion and the accompanying record, this Court GRANTS Plaintiff's Motion as follows:

This Court finds, in the absence of adversarial presentation, that it has personal jurisdiction over Defendants because Defendants directly target their business activities toward consumers in the United States, including Illinois. Specifically, Plaintiff has provided a basis to conclude that Defendants have targeted sales to Illinois residents by setting up and operating e-commerce stores that target United States consumers using one or more seller aliases, offer shipping to the United States, including Illinois, and have sold products using unauthorized and unlicensed reproductions

of Plaintiff's federally registered copyrighted works (the "Copyrighted Photographs") to residents of Illinois. In this case, Plaintiff has presented screenshot evidence that each Defendant e-commerce store is 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 from listings using unlicensed reproductions of the Copyrighted Photographs. *See* Docket No. 12, which includes screenshot evidence confirming that each Defendant internet store does stand ready, willing and able to ship goods depicted by reproductions of the Copyrighted Photographs to customers in Illinois. The Copyrighted Photographs are protected under the U.S. Copyright Registration Nos. VA0002405684, VA0002421806, VA0002422590, VA0002458033, and VA0002465414 for a Group of Published Photographs, registration issued pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Section 202.4(i).

The Court additionally finds that issuance of the requested injunctive relief would be in the public interest by protecting consumers from the likelihood of confusion by Defendants' online e-commerce stores and their public display of the unlicensed and unauthorized reproductions of Plaintiff's Copyright-Protected Photos. The Court also finds that it need not balance the interests of Defendants in this case as the Plaintiff has presented credible evidence to conclude Defendants' online e-commerce store is engaging in, among other things, willful copyright infringement of the Plaintiff's Copyrighted Photographs.

This Court also finds that issuing this Order without notice pursuant to Rule 65(b)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure is appropriate because Plaintiff has presented specific facts in the Declarations of Joseph W. Droter, Anisah Beaston, and Daning Zhou in support of the Motion and supporting evidence which clearly show immediate and irreparable injury, loss, and damage will result to the Plaintiff before the adverse party can be heard in opposition. Specifically,

in the absence of an *ex parte* Order, Defendants could and likely would move any assets from accounts in financial institutions under this Court's jurisdiction to off shore accounts. Accordingly, this Court orders that:

1. Defendants, their officers, agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons acting in active concert or participation with them, be temporarily enjoined and restrained from:

- a. Using the Copyrighted Photographs or any reproductions, digital copies, print copies, photocopies, colorable imitations, replicas, simulations, mockups, in any format, either physical print or in digital formatting in connection or relation 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 licensees or not authorized by Plaintiff to be sold in connection with Plaintiff's Copyrighted Photographs;

2. Defendants shall not transfer, move, relocate, change accounts, assign, remove, or dispose of any money in the account associated with the seller aliases identified in Schedule A (the "Defendants' Seller Aliases") and through the online marketplace accounts, including but not limited to any other assets or resources in any of Defendants' financial accounts.

3. Upon Plaintiff's request, those with notice of this Order, including any online marketplace platforms such as Temu, eBay Inc., AliExpress, Amazon.com, Alibaba, Wish.com, TikTok Inc., SHEIN and Dhgate (collectively the "Third Party Providers"), shall within seven (7) calendar days after receipt of such notice, disable and cease displaying any advertisements used by or associated with the unlicensed and unauthorized use of Plaintiff's Copyrighted Photographs.

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 Defendants' seller aliases, including, but not limited to, any financial accounts connected to the information listed in Schedule A attached to Plaintiff's Complaint [Dkt. No. 1-2], including any e-mail addresses provided for Defendants by third parties; and
- b. restrain and enjoin any such accounts or funds from transferring, disposing, relocating, assigning, moving, or any other method of shifting any of the said money or any other asset or resource of each Defendant until further order by this Court, or until the expiration of this court Order, whichever occurs first.

5. The plaintiff may provide notice of the proceedings in this case to the Defendants, 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 electronically publishing a link to the Complaint, this Order, and other relevant documents on a website and by sending an e-mail with those documents attached and with a link to said website to the e-mail addresses identified and provided for Defendants by third parties.

6. Plaintiff must provide notice to Defendants of any motion for preliminary injunction as required by Rule 65(a)(1).

7. Within seven (7) calendar days of entry of this Order, Plaintiff shall deposit with the Court Plaintiff shall deposit with the Court Twenty-One Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$21,000.00) either cash or surety bond, as security, which amount has, in the absence of

adversarial testing, been deemed adequate for the payment of such damages as any person may be entitled to recover as a result of a wrongful restraint hereunder.

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.

9. This Temporary Restraining Order without notice is entered at 9:00 A.M. on this 8th day of April 2026 and shall remain in effect for fourteen (14) calendar days. Any motion to extend this Order must be filed by April 20, 2026.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrea R. Wood", is positioned above a horizontal line.

Andrea R. Wood
United States District Judge

No.	Seller's Name	Link to Seller's Website
1	Tangduos Wardrobe	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418225078939&goods_id=601103070002227&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=639e114b-6ff1-4efb-a344-3dda22f4&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763098720001_em15vbkquz&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=kayl0r74z8
2	Sweetie Wardrobe	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418223867282&goods_id=601103069883398&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=a12396ec-4644-47b3-ba86-e61bdd3c&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763099844824_w744orfg72&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=4j7uy0z xu4
3	Uvtjh	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418217583348&goods_id=601099679471308&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=9dc1f043-2ea0-4c54-9494-db2729eb&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763101286755_qf60ssxf7h&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=9k1mcnbpzj
4	STKK	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418214651889&goods_id=601099605740373&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=xBVmhtBTVHX6Wc2xWsuscy0QgMEjDhbJ&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763358427668_qn9fmcfmqc&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=x0z82qavb8
5	Enjoyable Garment Cottage	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418224333956&goods_id=601103577549985&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=r1XwMgclDajgJOYSkXuKAV8TeCI4CVfo&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763359815580_aiy4a13bkz&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=7i2we0vhl8
6	XIC ChicVibe	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418221757188&goods_id=601103239772865&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=PC7Cy75WBWWbwMGSGQN0mHxBma99iflD&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360392320_f6lgkb2pns&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=mo pl83cndh
7	Kismet Jeans	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418219870909&goods_id=601103240256193&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=EMob87CVj8oaNhepulRflppvbNc9jQuP&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360393627_bv3h80628c&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=gr12056vv g
8	Saiqun ZHT	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418219671433&goods_id=601102806768588&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=EMob87CVj8oaNhepulRflppvbNc9jQuP&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360393627_bv3h80628c&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=gr12056vv g

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9	Gprjwfq	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418218104273&goods_id=601099692414880&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=OC9y6D2bM16skscpT8wocfywmTZFK391&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360454391_jam0353dfm&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=e67rzwko1b
10	huaqbs	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418224430276&goods_id=601103964262235&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=uoJfA9y5IXqGYvjVMfuR8wjllA3CgcW9&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360457682_s75qvqbppq&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=9lp2qkg8f1
11	GOSUGUUA	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418217131933&goods_id=601102569862558&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=DFHwn6TUvsHdgAyMYuKsikmQilEm3eka&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360459621_ulbrn3dqwt&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=qckxejm0qj&is_back=1
12	Bottle cap shop	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418224580054&goods_id=601102445374048&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=BesYQe4az6yeNt3BLFcocp6zhjyCyfR0&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763360447495_a5dc69w091&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=2tyt7zrull
13	Zvwuqsa	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418219243658&goods_id=601102227863202&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=8eefc4c3-a1ff-44a2-a33c-1d6d7fe5&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763522582975_txl524ezcg&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=vfdipqkq6d
14	Zanvylia	https://vt.tiktok.com/ZTjut68L6/?page=TikTokShophttps://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418218638438&goods_id=601102637686982&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=35ebbc4e-f587-4d78-aaaf-3ff8b44d&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763692558930_s4b4jaeqyt&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=i2ijj636ur
15	EllaVibe	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418223054366&goods_id=601102722721340&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=cf3b40b1-214e-4ac7-

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16	Yourdrew	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418217967094&goods_id=601101961306945&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=NJs6Y3opayngKMk6rOv8PTmClChCnXaZ&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763693360372_vffkdd5u12&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=6gp9lyhnp6
17	CozyClothes Q	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418215856265&goods_id=601099719164053&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=xybsHgGcMZCzaO630QBkqGcaQYhhTJo7&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763693812036_adhtni0pdl&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=golbh0kscn
18	Vincent Z	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418219319383&goods_id=601104788266692&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=3xuC4BskYKL7RcZrojnSaWGo6Xvw0WpQ&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763718739955_2v2elqpss8&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=ywh80hek18
19	RetroBloom	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418224707372&goods_id=601102365383916&sticky_type=3&refer_page_el_sn=200446&_x_share_id=5c1090d8-71e7-4d9b-8d80-c293a446&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763458306571_kqwoi4w7gq&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=6310kf4i3a
20	Kambig	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418220814773&goods_id=601101722005515&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=b1d373a0-d472-41df-9af0-dc404af0&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763103274301_6vtsbrzqg5&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=4qt58hv9za
21	Beautiful woman ZH	https://www.temu.com/mall.html?_bg_fs=1&mall_id=634418221561872&goods_id=601101391439657&sticky_type=3&_x_share_id=9e8868c3-2c86-419a-8f90-24f07178&refer_page_name=goods&refer_page_id=10032_1763429882359_rx92cd7b8q&refer_page_sn=10032&_x_sessn_id=fwo1jug728