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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MISSION CAPITAL ADVISORS LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

CHRISTOPHER D. ROMAKA,

Defendant.

No. 16-CV-5878 (RA)

TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER
AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

RONNIE ABRAMS, United States District Judge:

Before the Court is Plaintiff Mission Capital Advisors LLC's *ex parte* motion for a temporary restraining order pursuant to Rule 65 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Plaintiff alleges that Defendant Christopher D. Romaka unlawfully copied Plaintiff's trade secret information. Upon reviewing Plaintiff's Complaint, Notice of Motion, memorandum of law in support of such motion, the Affidavit of Patryk Braganza-Gallagher and its accompanying exhibits, and the Declaration of Damian R. Cavaleri, the Court hereby finds:

1. Plaintiff is likely to succeed on the merits of its Defense of Trade Secrets Act claim;
2. The accessing, disclosing, copying, or otherwise conveying of Plaintiff's client and contact lists (the "Contact Lists") will result in immediate and irreparable injury to Plaintiff's business if the relief requested is not ordered due to the proprietary and confidential nature of Plaintiff's Contact Lists; and
3. Plaintiff has made multiple attempts to contact Defendant seeking return of the Contact Lists and Defendant has not responded to such attempts, rendering futile any further attempts to notify Defendant before granting interim emergency relief.

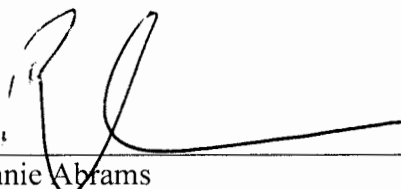
It is accordingly ORDERED that Defendant Christopher D. Romaka shall appear to show cause on July 25, 2016 at 2:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, in Room 201 of the Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse at 40 Foley Square, New York, New York 10007, before the Honorable Lorna G. Schofield, why an order pursuant to Rule 65 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure granting Plaintiff a preliminary injunction restraining and enjoining Defendant from accessing, disclosing, copying, or otherwise conveying Plaintiff's Contact Lists during the pendency of this action should not be entered.

It is further ORDERED that, pending the hearing before Judge Schofield on July 25, 2016 at 2:30 p.m., Defendant Christopher D. Romaka shall be restrained and enjoined from accessing, disclosing, copying, or otherwise conveying Plaintiff's Contact Lists.

It is further ORDERED that Plaintiff shall serve a copy of this order and all documents in support of Plaintiff's motion for preliminary relief on Defendant by personal service and by e-mail by no later than 5:00 p.m. on July 23, 2016.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 22, 2016
Hour: 6:00 p.m.
New York, New York



Ronnie Abrams
United States District Judge