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24 June 2010

Dear Sir

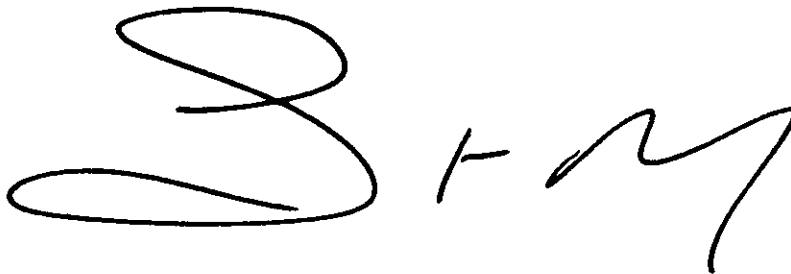
Graham Buchanan v. Robert Green

We attach the Account of Expenses for the Pursuer in this case. You have been found liable to pay expenses. This account sets out our claims. Please let us have your proposals for settlement of this.

If we do not have proposals from you within 21 days we will lodge the Account with the Court of Session. It will then be the subject of scrutiny and review by the Auditor of the Court of Session. Any hearing would be fixed for audit of the account and you would be given intimation of that date.

We await hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'S M', written in a cursive style.

IN THE COURT OF SESSION

25 March 2010

*Lady Smith
Act. Sheldon*

The Lord Ordinary, in absence, having heard Counsel on the Motion of the Pursuer, finds and declares that the Interim Interdicts granted on 11 February 2010 in terms of the First and Second Conclusions of the Summons as amended be perpetual; finds the Defender liable to the Pursuer in the expenses of Process, remits the Account thereof, when lodged, to the Auditor of Court to tax; quoad ultra dismisses the Cause.

25 March 2010

Lady Smith

The Lord Ordinary decerns against the Defender for payment to the Pursuer of the expenses of Process in the foregoing Interlocutor as the same shall be taxed by the Auditor of Court.

ACCOUNT OF EXPENSES

incurred by the Pursuer

to

Messrs. Simpson & Marwick. W.S.

in the cause

GRAHAM BUCHANAN, c/o Simpson & Marwick,
Solicitors, Albany House, 58 Albany Street,
Edinburgh

PURSUER

against

GEORGE ROBERT GREEN, residing at 4 Birchdale
Road, Appleton, Warrington WA4 5AR

DEFENDER

VAT NO. 268 5204 47

Estimated Duration of Taxation: 30 Minutes

Paying Party/Solicitor Reference: George Robert Green, 4 Birthdale Road, Appleton,
Warrington WA4 5AR

Date of Intimation of Account: / /

2009			£	£
Nov	10	Taking instructions from the Pursuer with regard to the possible raising of an Action of Interim Interdict against the Defender in view of the defamatory statements made against him by the Defender and ingathering relevant information in that regard - engaged on telephone - 12 minutes		35.50
Nov	19	Attendance meeting with the Pursuer ingathering further relevant information and noting the additional defamatory statements which had been made by the Defender and ingathering relevant information to enable us to take appropriate action - engaged 1 hour		142.00
		Framing statement of Pursuer - 2 sheets		35.90
		Writing Aberdeen Press & Journal in relation to our instructions on behalf of the Pursuer and the grave concern that has been created by unfounded and quite unjust comments on the front page article of the Press & Journal on Wednesday 18 November 2009 and expressing our client's concern and making his position abundantly clear in that the Pursuer has no sister, does not have a sister in law Evelyn Buchanan nor does he have any relative of that name. Additionally advising that he does not have a brother in law Jack Buchanan nor does he have a relative of that name and commenting that it follows that the material which is being circulated is wrong and untrue and suggesting that the Reporter should not have relied upon it without carrying out independent checks and fully expressing our concern at said article - 4 pages		71.80
		E-mailing the Pursuer with a copy of the revised letter sent to the Press & Journal		7.45
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	0.00	292.65

<u>2009</u>		<i>Brought Forward</i>	0.00	292.65
Nov	20	Perusing e-mail communication from Aberdeen Sheriff Court together with copy letter which has been sent to several of the Sheriffs - engaged 15 minutes		35.50
Nov	21	E-mail response to Aberdeen Sheriff Court in relation to the e-mails which have been referred to and with regard to the individual who was coordinating the necessary response		7.45
Nov	23	Writing Press & Journal in response to the concerns we had expressed on behalf of the Pursuer and once again expressing our concern at their reporting		17.95
		E-mail response to the Pursuer in regard to the proposed action to be adopted		7.45
		Perusing e-mail communication from Scottish Courts Administration in regard to the Action and the press release and considering same - engaged 15 minutes		35.50
<u>2010</u>				
Jan	11	Perusing e-mail communications now received in respect of covering letters which had been sent to various further Sheriffs in Aberdeen insofar as the defamatory remarks made by the Defender were concerned and considering same - engaged 15 minutes		35.50
		Attendance on lengthy telephone conversation with the Pursuer in order to discuss the further action undertaken by the Defender and the course of action we should adopt as a result - engaged 18 minutes		35.50
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	0.00	467.50

2010		<i>Brought Forward</i>	0.0	467.50
Jan	13	Further attendance on telephone with the Pursuer once again considering the further actions of the Defender and the press release and generally considering the necessity of raising Proceedings for Interim Interdict - engaged 12 minutes		35.50
Jan	14	Further lengthy telephone attendance with the Pursuer in connection with further complaints insofar as the material highlighted by the Defender was concerned and in regard to the remedy that would now have to be sought - engaged 18 minutes		35.50
		E-mail communications with Peter Watson, Solicitor in regard to his instructions on behalf of the Scottish Government and receiving from him a variety of relevant information insofar as the actings of the Defender were concerned and generally considering same - engaged 30 minutes		71.00
		Making up necessary papers for Counsel to enable him to draft the appropriate Summons consisting of the DVD disclosing the Defender posting on the internet a broadcast which not only repeats the information previously contained in a series of e-mails all of which had been ingathered but gave information in regard to his proposed travel to Aberdeen to carry out a campaign there; also ingathering relevant material on the internet and noting the Defender's decision to stand as a candidate for the Aberdeen South Constituency - engaged in putting together said papers - 2 hours		284.00
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	0.00	893.50

		<i>Brought Forward</i>	0.00	965.30
2010				
Jan	14	Paid his fee for considering papers and drafting Summons. Preparing for Motion and Interim Interdict. Attending for Motion for Interim Interdict when same duly granted (Voucher 1) VAT @ 17.5%	1000.00 175.00	
Feb	11	Perusing and considering Draft Summons		14.90
		Attendance on telephone and e-mail communication with the Pursuer in regard to the terms of the Summons and obtaining approval in regard to proceeding with same - engaged 12 minutes		35.50
		Perusing and considering precognitions from Levy & McRae in regard to the conduct of the Defender - engaged 15 minutes		35.50
		Making up Process and lodging same for the purposes of an Application for Interim Interdict to be submitted		17.95
		Attendance lodging Summons		17.95
		Paid Court dues - see ledger	175.00	
		Framing Inventory of Productions - 1 sheet		7.45
		Framing Motion for Interim Interdict - 1 sheet		17.95
		Attendance lodging Motion		7.45
		Paid Court dues - see ledger	45.00	
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	1395.00	1119.95

<u>2010</u>	14	<i>Brought Forward</i>	0.00	893.50
Jan		<p>Instructing Gordon Balfour, Advocate with the relevant papers in order that he might prepare the appropriate Summons for Interim Interdict against the Defender and forwarding the DVD containing a video and a programme that needs to be installed to run it and the site link readily to be found on the e-mail from Peter Watson of 9 February which is also attached; that our client is accused, without foundation so far as my enquiries reveal, of having been involved in the sexual abuse of a child with Downs Syndrome and if there ever was such sexual abuse, and if it ever involved anyone called Buchanan then this must be a case of mistaken identity; explaining that the Defender is separately accusing the Lord Advocate for Scotland of a "cover up" and she obviously has a more exposed position because of her Membership of the Scottish Government and the Head of the Prosecution Service for Scotland and explaining that a recent Police Inquiry carried out by Grampian Police found no evidence to substantiate the Charges; that there have been separate complaints made to Grampian Police which are currently being investigated about the offensive behaviour of the Defender and also others who may be involved in this ill-founded campaign and generally commenting on the fact that my client has been aware of the allegations for perhaps 4 months but up until now has elected not to commence proceedings because although the electronic media coverage was grossly offensive to him and did have some circulation, it was not having an immediate impact on his daily life and work and he did not want to draw further media attention to the abusive comments and the most recent steps now make that passive response insufficient and accordingly requesting that he draft the appropriate Summons for signetting and serving - 4 pages</p>		71.80
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	0.00	965.30

<u>2010</u>		<i>Brought Forward</i>	1395.00	2113.95
Feb	11	Attendance at Court of Session with principal Summons, Process and Productions in regard to uplifting the Summons following signetting. Thereafter attending at the Keeper's Office who confirmed that he would put the Case out at 11.00am. Noting initial difficulties in regard to the availability of a Lord Ordinary and arranging to attend Court after lunch. Attending at Court at 2.00pm and eventually being allocated Lord Emslie and attending before His Lordship with Counsel when following revisals to the Summons Interim Interdict was duly granted - engaged at Court from 11.00am until 12.50pm		284.00
		Travelling time - engaged 30 minutes		71.00
		Travelling to Court in the afternoon for the Interim Interdict Hearing and returning to the office following upon Interim Interdict having been granted and a Certified Copy of the Interlocutor having been procured - engaged in travelling and at Court from 12.15pm until 4.45pm - 4.5 hours		639.00
		Paid Court dues for Certified Copy Interlocutor - see ledger	15.00	
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	1410.00	2113.95

2010		<i>Brought Forward</i>	1410.00	2113.95
Feb	11	<p>Instructing Stirling Park, Messengers at Arms with the principal and service copy Summons and requesting that they serve the Summons and the Interdict personally on the Defender and explaining that our expectation is that he will attempt to commence his defamatory activities at or near Marks and Spencers during early to mid morning and I am going to try to organise my colleagues in Aberdeen and/or Inquiry Agent to identify him and then to contact you by telephone for immediate action and as you will appreciate it is very important that your Messengers draw to the Defender's attention the Interdict and its terms and it may be that police officers should also be alerted and fully thereon - 2 pages</p>		35.90
		<p>Attendance on telephone on two separate occasions with Stirling Park, Messengers at Arms in regard to service of the appropriate documents and also providing information and the name of the private investigator that would be involved - 2 separate calls</p>		14.90
		<p>Meeting with Stirling Park at our offices in order to hand over the appropriate documentation which required to be served on the Defender and providing all relevant documentation - time to include phone and faxing of documentation and organisation thereof - engaged 30 minutes</p>		71.00
		<p>Instructing Eclipse Legal Services providing them with detailed instructions in connection with attending at the Defender's home in connection with effecting service of the Summons and the Interdict - 2 pages</p>		35.90
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	1410.00	2271.65

2010	<i>Brought Forward</i>		1410.00	2271.65
Feb	11	<p>Instructing PDI Investigations (Mr Ogilvie) confirming our instructions on behalf of the Pursuer and advising on the Interim Interdict which had been granted in favour of the Pursuer and as you will see it is said that Mr Green continues to make a series of gross defamatory allegations and generally advising on the action we are attempting to take to serve the Order on Mr Green at his home; that the Defender is threatening to distribute leaflets and carry placards etc outside Marks and Spencers in Aberdeen and I would be obliged if you could undertake surveillance at the two locations from 8.00am and when you see Mr Green please take video footage of him if you can and please also notify the Messengers at Arms, Stirling Park so that they can organise a Messenger at Arms to serve the Summons and Interdict on Mr Green and if he ignores the Summons and continues his activities please continue to video him so we can demonstrate any breach of the Court Order and thereon - 2 pages</p>		35.90
Feb	12	<p>Writing Google Inc. USA in order to report our instructions on behalf of the Pursuer and explaining that our client has been the victim of untrue and grossly offensive defamatory comments and allegations and that a Court Action has been commenced against the Defender and enclosing a copy of the Summons and reporting that an Interim Interdict Order against the Defender has also been granted; explaining that the Defender's false and defamatory allegations are contained in videos on your website as noted and we would be obliged if you would take immediate steps to remove the offensive material and thereon - 2 pages</p>		35.90
		<p>Writing YouTube, USA in similar fashion - 2 pages</p>		35.90
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	1410.00	2379.35

<u>2010</u>		<i>Brought Forward</i>	1410.00	2379.35
Feb	12	Writing Blip.TV (Legal Department) USA in similar fashion - 2 pages		35.90
		Writing Google UK Ltd, London in similar fashion - 2 pages		35.90
Feb	16	Perusing and considering the Report by Stirling Park in connection with the course of action they are adopting in effecting service of the Interim Interdict - engaged 15 minutes		35.50
		Paid Stirling Park in settlement of their charges for effecting service of the Interim Interdict (inclusive of VAT) (Voucher 2)	709.76	
		Perusing and considering the Report from Eclipse Legal Services in regard to the urgent steps they had undertaken in connection with effecting service of the Summons		35.50
		Paid Eclipse Legal Services in settlement of their charges (inclusive of VAT) (Voucher 3)	111.63	
		Perusing and considering the Report by PDI in relation to the surveillance of the Defender - engaged 15 minutes		17.95
		Paid PDI in settlement of their charges (Voucher 4)	611.00	
		Writing Pursuer in order to report satisfactory service of the Summons together with the Interim Interdict		17.95
Mar	01	Writing Kinnear & Falconer enclosing copy of the Summons and the First Interlocutor of Lord Emslie insofar as the Action of Interdict was concerned		17.95
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	2842.39	2576.00

<u>2010</u>		<i>Brought Forward</i>	2842.39	2576.00
Mar	18	Framing Motion for Perpetual Interdict - 1 sheet		17.95
		Attendance lodging said Motion		7.95
		Paid dues for Motion - see ledger	45.00	
Mar	22	Attendance on telephone with the Defender when he raised two matters in connection with our possible involvement in matters previously		7.45
Mar	23	Writing Pursuer in order to report a telephone conversation we had had with the Defender yesterday and explaining the position in this regard		17.95
Mar	24	Instructing D H Sheldon, Advocate with detailed instructions in connection with his attending at the Starred Motion when Perpetual Interdict is sought and providing detailed information in that regard - 3 pages		53.85
		Paid his fee for Motion Roll Hearing (inclusive of VAT) (Voucher 5)	176.25	
Mar	25	Attending at Starred Motion Roll Hearing when it was necessary to wait until 11.50am for Her Ladyship to hear this matter. Thereafter attending at Court when Perpetual Interdict duly granted - engaged in travelling to Court - 15 minutes		35.50
		Attendance waiting at Court and thereafter attending at the Court Hearing - engaged 2 hours 5 minutes		284.00
		Travelling back to office - engaged 15 minutes		17.95
		Procuring Interlocutor		
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	3063.64	3018.60

<u>2010</u>		<i>Brought Forward</i>	3063.64	3018.60
Mar	25	Perusing the terms of the Interlocutor granting Perpetual Interdict		35.50
		Writing Pursuer in order to report the terms of the Perpetual Interdict having been granted		17.95
Mar	29	Writing Eclipse Legal Services in regard to the Perpetual Interdict which has now been granted against the Defender and requesting that they take steps to effect personal service		17.95
		Paid their charges for effecting said service (inclusive of VAT) (Voucher 6)	111.63	
		Writing Kinnear & Falconer enclosing copy of the Interlocutor granted by the Court on 25 March and we are arranging to have this served upon Mr Green		17.95
Mar	30	Attendance on telephone with Eclipse Legal Services when they reported on service having been effected upon the Defender		7.45
Apr	01	Attendance on telephone call from the Defender in regard to a further enquiry in connection with our earlier actings for a Dennis Charles in December 2003 and noting he is going to make some statements and wished to know if they were correct		7.45
		Framing Account of Expenses @ £17.25 per sheet - 16 sheets		276.00
		Attendance lodging Account for Taxation		7.45
		Intimating Diet of Taxation		3.70
		Perusing and considering anticipated Objections to the Account - engaged 30 minutes		71.00
		<i>Carried Forward</i>	3175.27	3481.00

<u>2010</u>		<i>Brought Forward</i>	3175.27	3481.00
Apr	01	Preparing for Taxation - engaged 30 minutes		71.00
		Attending at Taxation - engaged 30 minutes		71.00
		Ordering and procuring Extract Decree		57.60
		Paid Fee Fund Dues lodging Account	35.00	
		Paid Fee Fund Dues	0.00	
			3210.27	3680.60
		VAT @ 17.5%		644.11
		Add Outlays		<u>3210.27</u>
		TOTAL £		7,534.98
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		Add Fee Fund Dues		

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15 February 2010

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Client	GRAHAM BUCHANAN	VAT Reg No.	716 9101 44
Advocate	570 D.H. Sheldon		

Date	Details	Amount
25-03-2010	Appearance moving for decree in action for interdict. Fee to include appearance 10 mins, and 1.5 hours perusal of documents and preparation.	150.00

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