



CAUSE NO. CC-16-02381-C

PRESTIGIOUS PETS LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

ROBERT DUCHOUQUETTE AND  
MICHELLE DUCHOUQUETTE,

Defendants.

IN THE COUNTY COURT AT LAW

No. 3

DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

**ORDER AWARDING DEFENDANTS THEIR ATTORNEYS' FEES, COURT COSTS, EXPENSES, AND SANCTIONS**

BEFORE THE COURT is Defendants Robert Duchouquette and Michelle Duchouquette's "Anti-SLAPP" Motion to Dismiss. Having considered the Motion, the Defendants' Supplement to their TCPA Motion to Dismiss, the affidavits in support of the Motion and the Supplement, the parties' responses and replies in support or opposition of the Motion and the Supplement, if any, and the arguments of counsel, the Court is of the opinion that the Motion should be, and hereby is, GRANTED.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants Robert Duchouquette and Michelle Duchouquette recover from Prestigious Pets: (1) \$ 9065.47 in attorney's fees from Carrington Coleman in the justice court; (2) \$ 3,912<sup>30</sup> in attorney's fees from Thompson & Knight in this Court; (3) \$ - 0 - in attorney's fees from Public Citizen in this Court; (4) \$ 9000.00 from Thompson & Knight in the court of appeals; (5) \$ 525.00 from Public Citizen in the court of appeals; (6) 295.47 in court costs and expenses incurred in the justice court; (7) 329.01 in court costs and expenses incurred in this Court; ~~and (8)~~ ~~sanctions in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_~~; (8) \$ 255.88 in court costs from Public Citizen in the Court of Appeals.

It is found and hereby ordered that the \$500 appeal bond which is held in the registry of the court shall be returned to Thompson & Knight LLP and the award shall be reduced by that amount.

It is therefore found <sup>and ordered</sup> that the total amount of fees and costs is \$23,383.33. Subtracting the \$500 appeal bond from this amount results in a final award of \$22,883.33.

SIGNED this 30 day of ~~March~~, 2018.

*April*

*Sally S. Nantgen*  
PRESIDING JUDGE