

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

CELINE SA,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE PARTNERSHIPS and  
UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS  
IDENTIFIED ON SCHEDULE "A",

Defendants.

Case No. 1:24-cv-06208

District Judge Robert W. Gettleman

Magistrate Judge Jeffrey Cole

**DECLARATION OF JOHN HAARLOW, JR.**

I, John Haarlow, Jr., hereby declare the following to be true:

1. I am an attorney at law admitted to practice before the Courts of the State of Illinois and the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. I am one of the attorneys for Plaintiff Celine SA. Except as otherwise stated to the contrary, I have personal knowledge of the following facts and, if called as a witness, I could and would competently testify as follows:

2. On July 23, 2024, Celine SA filed its Complaint against Defaulting Defendants (as defined in the Motion to which this Declaration is attached).

3. Celine served the Defaulting Defendants on September 30, 2024 by email which contained a link to the Complaint and other pleadings related to this case. (Dkt. 36.)

4. Upon information and belief, the Defaulting Defendants are not active members of the armed forces, nor are they minors or incompetent persons.

5. The Defaulting Defendants have not filed any pleading, nor has any appearance been entered by Defaulting Defendants herein or by anyone on their behalf.

6. More than twenty-one (21) days have passed since Defaulting Defendants were served with the Summons and Complaint, and their respective deadlines for filing a response to the Complaint have passed.

7. **Exhibit 1** attached hereto is a true and correct copy of unpublished orders cited in Celine's Memorandum.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed October 22, 2024 at Hinsdale, Illinois.

/s/ John Haarlow, Jr.  
John Haarlow, Jr.  
Counsel for Plaintiff Celine SA