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Quilling v. Grand St Trust, et al Assigned to: Graham Mullen

Demand: \$0

Cause: 28:1332 Diversity-Contract Dispute

Date Filed: 05/20/2004

Date Terminated: 03/30/2007

Jury Demand: Both

Nature of Suit: 190 Contract: Other

Jurisdiction: Diversity

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text	
05/20/2004	1	COMPLAINT Filing Fee \$ 150.00 Receipt # 28916 (former emp) (Entered: 05/20/2004)	
05/20/2004		SUMMONS(ES) issued for Grand St Trust, Heartland Contril Tr, Future Control Trust, Rein, Evans, Sestanovi, Melrose Escrow Inc, Paul J. Cohen, Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette (former emp) (Entered: 05/20/2004)	
06/17/2004	2	CONSENT/REFUSAL to Magistrate Jurisdiction by Michael J. Quilling - Refusal (clc) (Entered: 06/17/2004)	
06/17/2004	3	Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations other entities with a direct financial interest in litigation by Michael J. Quilling (clc) (Entered: 06/17/2004)	
06/18/2004	4	CASE reassigned to Judge Graham C. Mullen - notice of reassignment mailed to parties. (former emp) (Entered: 06/18/2004)	
06/24/2004	5	MOTION by Michael J. Quilling to Transfer Case to judge McKnight (former emp) (Entered: 06/24/2004)	
08/17/2004	<u>6</u>	ORDER granting [5-1] motion to Transfer Case to judge McKnight (signed by Judge Graham C. Mullen) [EOD DATE: 8/17/04] (former emp) (Entered: 08/17/2004)	
08/17/2004	6	CASE reassigned to Judge H. B. McKnight (former emp) (Entered: 08/17/2004)	
08/17/2004	7	MOTION by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi to Dismiss cmp (former emp) (Entered: 08/17/2004)	
08/17/2004	8	AFFIDAVIT of Peter Davidson filed by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi re: [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp (former emp) (Entered: 08/17/2004)	
08/17/2004	9	MEMORANDUM by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi in support of [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi (former emp) (Entered: 08/17/2004)	
08/31/2004	10	RESPONSE by Michael J. Quilling to [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi (sdc) (Entered: 08/31/2004)	
09/14/2004	<u>11</u>	MEMORANDUM by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi in support of [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp by Rein, Evans, Sestanovi (former emp) (Entered: 09/15/2004)	

<u>12</u>	Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations other entities with a direct financial	
	Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations other entities with a direct financial interest in litigation by Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette (former emp) (Entered: 10/04/2004)	
<u>13</u>	Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations other entities with a direct financial interest in litigation by Future Control Trust (former emp) (Entered: 10/04/2004)	
<u>14</u>	Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations other entities with a direct financial interest in litigation by Heartland Contril Tr (former emp) (Entered: 10/04/2004)	
<u>15</u>	Disclosure of Corporate Affiliations other entities with a direct financial interest in litigation by Grand St Trst (former emp) (Entered: 10/04/2004)	
<u>16</u>	MOTION by Grand St Trst, Heartland Contril Tr, Future Control Trust, Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette to Extend Time to ans cmp (former emp) (Entered: 10/04/2004)	
<u>17</u>	ORDER granting [16-1] motion to Extend Time to ans cmp, set Answer deadline to 11/4/04 for Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, for Future Control Trust, for Heartland Contril Tr, for Grand St Trst (signed by Judge H. B. McKnight) [EOD DATE: 10/27/04] (former emp) (Entered: 10/27/2004)	
<u>18</u>	ORDER granting [16-1] motion to Extend Time to ans cmp, set Answer deadline to 11/4/04 (signed by Judge H. B. McKnight) [EOD DATE: 10/28/04] (former emp) (Entered: 10/28/2004)	
<u>19</u>	MOTION by Grand St Trst, Heartland Contril Tr, Future Control Trust, Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette to Extend Time ans cmp (former emp) (Entered: 11/02/2004)	
<u>20</u>	MOTION with Memorandum in Support & Affidavit of Marie Paquette by Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, Grand St Trst, Heartland Contril Tr, Future Control Trust to Dismiss (ejb) (Entered: 11/15/2004)	
<u>21</u>	ORDER referring to Magistrate [20-1] motion to Dismiss, [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp (signed by Judge H. B. McKnight) [EOD DATE: 11/16/04] (bsw) (Entered: 11/16/2004)	
	Motion(s) referred [20-1] motion to Dismiss referred to Magistrate Judge David C. Keesler, [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp referred to Magistrate Judge David C. Keesler (bsw) (Entered: 11/16/2004)	
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11/16/2004		CASE REFERRED to Magistrate Judge David C. Keesler (bsw) (Entered: 11/16/2004)		
11/19/2004	22	ORDER granting [19-1] motion to Extend Time ans cmp, set Answer deadline to 11/4/04 (signed by Judge H. B. McKnight) [EOD DATE: 11/22/04] (former emp) (Entered: 11/22/2004)		
11/29/2004	23	RESPONSE by Michael J. Quilling to [20-1] motion to Dismiss by Future Control Trust, Heartland Contril Tr, Grand St Trst, Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette (former emp) (Entered: 12/01/2004)		
12/10/2004	24	NOTICE of intent to not reply to resp to mot to dism by Grand St Trst, Heartland Contril Tr, Future Control Trust, Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette (former emp) (Entered: 12/10/2004)		
12/17/2004		CASE reassigned to Judge Graham C. Mullen - notice of reassignment mailed to parties. (bsw) (Entered: 12/17/2004)		
12/17/2004		CASE NO LONGER REFERRED TO Magistrate Judge David C. Keesler (bsw) (Entered: 12/17/2004)		
12/17/2004		Motion(s) no longer referred: [20-1] motion to Dismiss, [7-1] motion to Dismiss cmp (bsw) (Entered: 01/07/2005)		
01/10/2005	<u>25</u>	CASE reassigned to Magistrate Judge David C. Keesler per chambers request - consent to be filed - notice of reassignment mailed to parties. (bsw) (Entered: 01/10/2005)		
02/22/2005	<u>26</u>	MOTION by Grand St Trst, Heartland Contril Tr, Future Control Trust, Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette for E Hardy Lewis and Firm of Blanchard, Jenkins, Miller, Lewis and Styers to Withdraw as Attorney (bsw) (Entered: 02/23/2005)		
03/18/2005	<u>27</u>	RESPONSE by Michael J. Quilling to [26-1] motion for E Hardy Lewis and Firm of Blanchard, Jenkins, Miller, Lewis and Styers to Withdraw as Attorney by Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, Future Control Trust, Heartland Contril Tr, Grand St Trst (clc) (Entered: 03/18/2005)		
07/14/2005	<u>28</u>	ORDER granting 26 Motion to Withdraw as Attorney, new counsel to appear w/in 30 days Signed by Judge David Keesler on 7/14/05. (Wallace, Betsy) (Entered: 07/14/2005)		
08/10/2005	<u>29</u>	Case reassigned to Judge Graham Mullen. Judge David Keesler no longer assigned to the case. (Wallace, Betsy) (Entered: 08/10/2005)		

08/12/2005	<u>31</u>	ORDER denying 7 Motion to Dismiss, denying 20 Motion to Dismiss. Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 8/12/05. (Wallace, Betsy) (Entered 08/13/2005)		
08/29/2005	<u>32</u>	MOTION to Amend/Correct 31 Order on Motion to Dismiss, <i>Motion to Amend Order to Include Certification for Interlocutory Appeal and to Stay Proceeding Pending Appeal</i> by Rein, Evans, Sestanovich, LLP f/k/ a Dressler, Rein, Evans & Sestanovich LLP. Responses due by 9/12/2005 (Melin, David) (Entered: 08/29/2005)		
08/29/2005	33	MEMORANDUM in Support re 32 MOTION to Amend/Correct 31 Order on Motion to Dismiss, Motion to Amend Order to Include Certification for Interlocutory Appeal and to Stay Proceeding Pending Appeal Memorandum in Support of Motion to Amend Order to Include Certification for Interlocutory Appeal and to Stay Proceeding Pending Appeal filed by Rein, Evans, Sestanovich, LLP f/k/a Dressler, Rein, Evans & Sestanovich LLP. (Melin, David) (Entered: 08/29/2005)		
09/09/2005	<u>34</u>	ORDER denying 32 Motion to Amend/Correct . Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 9/8/05. (Huntley, Cynthia) (Entered: 09/09/2005)		
09/22/2005	<u>35</u>	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand, CROSSCLAIM against Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, Grand Street Trust, Heartland Control Trust, Future Control Trust, Melrose Escrow, Inc., Paul J. Cohen, COUNTERCLAIM against Michael J. Quilling by Rein, Evans, Sestanovich, LLP f/k/a Dressler, Rein, Evans & Sestanovich LLP. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit A# 2 Exhibit B)(Melin, David) (Entered: 09/22/2005)		
09/22/2005	<u>36</u>	Summons issued as to Melrose Escrow, Inc., Paul J. Cohen. (MacEwan, Cathy) Modified on 9/22/2005 to change summons issued not reissued. (MacEwan, Cathy). (Entered: 09/22/2005)		
10/12/2005	<u>37</u>	ANSWER to Counterclaim by Michael J. Quilling.(Quilling, Michael) (Entered: 10/12/2005)		
10/18/2005	<u>38</u>	MOTION for Entry of Default by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP. (Attachments: # 1 Affidavit in Support of Entry of Default)(Melin, David) (Entered: 10/18/2005)		
10/19/2005	<u>39</u>	Clerk's ENTRY OF DEFAULT as to cross-dfts Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, Grand Street Trust, Heartland Control Trust, Future Control Trust (Wallace, Betsy) (Entered: 10/19/2005)		

11/10/2005	<u>40</u>	AFFIDAVIT of Service for Summons and Answer, Counterclaim, and Cross-Claims of Rein Evans & Sestanovich, LLP served on Christine Hayes on behalf of Melrose Escrow, Inc. on September 27, 2005, filed by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP. (Melin, David) (Entered: 11/10/2005)	
12/15/2005	41	AFFIDAVIT of Service for Summons, Answer, Counterclaim, and Cross-Claim served on Defendant, Paul J. Cohen on November 26, 2005, filed by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP. (Melin, David) (Entered: 12/15/2005)	
12/28/2005	42	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand by Melrose Escrow, Inc., Melrose Escrow, Inc(Adden, Robert) (Entered: 12/28/2005)	
12/28/2005	43	ANSWER to Crossclaim <i>of Rein Evans</i> by Melrose Escrow, Inc., Melrose Escrow, Inc(Adden, Robert) (Entered: 12/28/2005)	
01/03/2006		NOTICE of Docket Correction re: 40 Affidavit of Service, 41 Affidavit of Service ERROR: Affidavits of process server filed CORRECTION: Called attorney and advised that the affidavits of process server should be filed by being attached to Affidavits of Service signed with s/signature of attorney filing documents (Bouchard, Carolyn) (Entered: 01/03/2006)	
01/10/2006	44	MOTION to Withdraw as Attorney by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP. Responses due by 1/24/2006 (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order Allowing Motion to Withdraw as Counsel for Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP)(Melin, David) (Entered: 01/10/2006)	
01/10/2006		Proposed document submitted to Judge Graham Mullen. (Melin, David) (Entered: 01/10/2006)	
01/20/2006	<u>45</u>	ORDER granting 44 Motion to Withdraw as Attorney. Attorney James B. Gatehouse and David S. Melin terminated . Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 1/20/06. (Huntley, Cynthia) (Entered: 01/20/2006)	
02/01/2006	<u>46</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by William L. Esser, IV on behalf of Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP (Esser, William) (Entered: 02/01/2006)	
02/08/2006	<u>47</u>	MOTION for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice by Susan Taylor Wall by Rein, Evans, Sestanovich, LLP f/k/a Dressler, Rein, Evans & Sestanovich LLP. Responses due by 2/27/2006 (Huntley, Cynthia) (Entered: 02/13/2006)	
02/08/2006		Filing fee (phv for Susan Wall): \$ 100.00, receipt number 34432 (Huntley, Cynthia) (Entered: 02/13/2006)	

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02/14/2006	48	ORDER granting <u>47</u> Motion for Leave to Appear Pro Hac Vice added Susan Taylor Wall for Rein, Evans, Sestanovich, LLP f/k/a Dressler, Rein, Evans & Sestanovich LLP . Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 2/14/06. (Huntley, Cynthia) (Entered: 02/14/2006)		
03/17/2006	49	ANSWER to Crossclaim by Paul J. Cohen.(MacEwan, Cathy) (Entered: 03/17/2006)		
03/17/2006	<u>50</u>	ANSWER to Complaint with Jury Demand by Paul J. Cohen. (MacEwan, Cathy) (Entered: 03/17/2006)		
03/17/2006	<u>52</u>	CORPORATE Disclosure Statement by Paul J. Cohen.(MacEwan, Cathy) (Entered: 03/17/2006)		
09/05/2006	<u>53</u>	STATUS REPORT ORDERStatus Report due by 9/19/2006 Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 9/5/06. (bsw) (Entered: 09/05/2006)		
09/14/2006	<u>54</u>	STATUS REPORT by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP (Esser, William) (Entered: 09/14/2006)		
01/03/2007	<u>55</u>	MOTION for Default Judgment as to Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, Grand Street Trust, Heartland Control Trust, and Future Control Trust by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP. (Esser, William) (Entered: 01/03/2007)		
01/03/2007	<u>56</u>	DECLARATION of Peter Davidson re 55 MOTION for Default Judgment as to Marie Margarite Gueco Mercado Paquette, Grand Street Trust, Heartland Control Trust, and Future Control Trust filed by Rein Evans & Sestanovich LLP (Esser, William) (Entered: 01/03/2007)		
02/21/2007	<u>57</u>	ORDER granting <u>55</u> Motion for Default Judgment. Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 2/21/07. (chh) (Entered: 02/21/2007)		
03/29/2007	<u>58</u>	ORDER on the court's own motion; a Status Report is due within 10 days from the date of this order as to the status of this case. Signed by Judge Graham Mullen on 3/28/2007. (jlk) (Entered: 03/29/2007)		
03/30/2007	<u>59</u>	Stipulation of Dismissal <i>with Prejudice</i> by Michael J. Quilling, Rein Evans Sestanovich, L.L.P. f/k/a Dressler Rein Evans & Sestanovich, L. L.P., Melrose Escrow, Inc., Paul J. Cohen (Quilling, Michael) Modified on 4/2/2007 (Bouchard, Carolyn) to change event to Stip/Dism and add filers Rein Evans, Melrose Escrow, Paul J. Cohen. (Entered: 03/30/2007)		

04/02/2007		NOTICE of ECF Filing Error re: <u>59</u> Notice of Voluntary Dismissal filed by Michael J. Quilling Filer used the wrong event. Filer should have used <i>Stipulation of Dismissal</i> and all signing parties should be shown as filers. NO ACTION REQUIRED - FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY. Court has corrected event. (cbb) (Entered: 04/02/2007)	
04/09/2007	<u>60</u>	STATUS REPORT by Michael J. Quilling (Quilling, Michael) (Entered: 04/09/2007)	
04/09/2007	<u>61</u>	NOTICE of Voluntary Dismissal by Michael J. Quilling (Quilling, Michael) (Entered: 04/09/2007)	

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