

# EXHIBIT A

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN AND FOR PINELLAS COUNTY, FLORIDA  
CIVIL DIVISION

TERRY GENE BOLLEA,  
professionally known as HULK  
HOGAN,

Plaintiff,

Case No.  
12-012447-CI-011

vs.

GAWKER MEDIA, LLC, aka GAWKER  
MEDIA, NICK DENTON; A.J.  
DAULERIO,

Defendants.

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HEARING PROCEEDINGS BEFORE  
THE HONORABLE PAMELA A.M. CAMPBELL

DATE: May 25, 2016

TIME: 2:19 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Pinellas County Courthouse  
545 1st Avenue North  
Third Floor  
St. Petersburg, Florida

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Notary Public, State of  
Florida at Large

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1           you know, and the argument that you have heard,  
2           I'm assuming at that point that you would then  
3           have a judgment that would be entered.

4           At that point we would -- at some point we  
5           would like to have a conversation with the Court  
6           about a stay on the bond. I don't know if Your  
7           Honor wants to set a hearing for that, but I would  
8           like to have a procedure so that there is not a  
9           whole bunch of scurrying around with you and with  
10          the appeals court on all of this. And if there is  
11          some way to do that, it probably would make sense  
12          to understand what Your Honor envisions and to  
13          make sure we line it up.

14          I'm trying to raise this so that --  
15          consistent with what Mr. Turkel said, that we do  
16          that, you know, in a deliberate and orderly  
17          fashion rather than, you know, hanging out and  
18          pondering that. I realize that part of that  
19          depends on allowing some reasonable time to deal  
20          with the other motion.

21                 MR. TURKEL: Are we asking for --

22                 THE COURT: I think he's asking for a  
23                 schedule, a date.

24                 MR. TURKEL: That's what I took it as.

25                 MR. BERLIN: Just a schedule.

1 motion to disqualify and then we'll see where the  
2 other things fall out.

3 MR. BERLIN: Right. The main thing I'm  
4 asking is to make sure that if there is going to  
5 be -- it sounds to me like you're going to sort  
6 all this out, that, you know, on the 13th, we will  
7 be prepared to issue -- to deal with entry of  
8 judgment, whatever is left of the injunction issue  
9 and a request of a stay by the defendants.

10 What I want us to confirm is if it's going to  
11 happen before then, then I want to address with  
12 some -- I want --

13 THE COURT: Some of them you may be  
14 addressing ahead of time.

15 MR. BERLIN: I'm sorry?

16 THE COURT: Some of that may be addressed  
17 ahead of time.

18 MR. BERLIN: Right. The piece that I'm  
19 concerned about is that if there is -- I would  
20 like there to be entry of a judgment at a time  
21 when we could be heard on a stay motion or at  
22 least to have execution of stay until we come back  
23 and be heard on that, if Your Honor is going to  
24 enter judgment before then. That's the piece that  
25 I am focused on. And we would make it happen on

1 the 10th if that's what fits in your calendar,  
2 Your Honor, of course.

3 THE COURT: Well, then I would say it's  
4 probably on the 10th.

5 MR. BERLIN: I don't know what Your Honor is  
6 envisioning and --

7 THE COURT: I'm not really sure.

8 MR. BERLIN: You're not sure.

9 THE COURT: I'm not really sure.

10 MR. BERLIN: All right.

11 THE COURT: That's why I'm saying maybe we  
12 have the cart before horse, if I'm not allowed to  
13 comment on one. It's just it too interwoven.

14 MR. BERLIN: I was assuming that in this plan  
15 that the -- at some point, maybe by the 10th --

16 THE COURT: You mean today we're not over?

17 MR. BERLIN: I'm sorry.

18 THE COURT: Today we're not done? No, I  
19 understand we're not.

20 MR. BERLIN: I was understanding that we  
21 would come back on the 10th and deal with judgment  
22 and stay issues. And the main thing I'm trying to  
23 confirm -- and maybe the plaintiff has something  
24 they want to say about this -- I would like not to  
25 be in the position of having judgment entered with