

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

JOHN WILLIAM LICCIONE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Case No.: 24-003939-CI

CATHY SALUSTRI-LOPER, et. al.,

Defendants.


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**ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S VERIFIED MOTION TO DISQUALIFY THE  
HONORABLE PATRICIA MUSCARELLA**

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court on Plaintiff's Verified Motion to Disqualify the Honorable Patricia Muscarella ("Motion") dated February 5, 2026. Having considered the Motion, the case file, the applicable law, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, the Court hereby **FINDS and ORDERS** as follows:

1. The Motion is **DENIED** as it is legally insufficient.

**DONE and ORDERED** in Chambers, in Clearwater, Pinellas County, Florida this \_\_\_\_ day of February, 2026.

  
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Circuit Judge Patricia A. Muscarella  
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**Honorable Patricia A. Muscarella**  
Circuit Civil Judge

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