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DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

LUBA DACE Plaintiff v. MELVIN GRIMES; BENJAMIN CHILDS; LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS; MARY PERRY Defendants	CASE NO. A-25-922833-C DEPT. NO. 29

FINDING OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS BENJAMIN CHILDS AND LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS' MOTION FOR AWARD OF COSTS
AND
ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE OPPOSITION OUT OF TIME (NRCP 6(B)(1)(B))

The above Motions were decided by the Court and a written Minute Order distributed to all parties prior to the hearing as authorized by EDCR 2.23.

DEFENDANTS BENJAMIN CHILDS AND LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS' are referred to as Movants in this Order.

PROCEDURAL SUMMARY AND FACTUAL FINDING

DEFENDANTS BENJAMIN CHILDS AND LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS filed a MOTION FOR AWARD OF COSTS and the same was served,

along with the Clerk's Notice of Hearing, through the Court's Electronic Service on October 7, 2025. The Court finds that Movants filed and served a MEMORANDUM OF COSTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR DEFENDANTS BENJAMIN CHILDS AND LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS on September 26, 2025 [ECF # 62[1]]. The costs documented total $267.50. No timely Motion to retax and settle costs was filed by Plaintiff as required by NRS 18.110(4).

Further, the Court FINDS that the costs sought are plainly allowed by statute and Movants are entitled to an award as the prevailing party at this time.

Current judgment interest is 9.5% per annum So the interest that has accrued, and is accruing on $267.50 from August 25, 2025, is $.07/day until the interest changes in January, 2026.

The Court further FINDS that PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE OPPOSITION OUT OF TIME (NRCP 6(B)(1)(B)) is meritless.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

NRS 18.020 uses the mandatory "Costs must be allowed of course to the prevailing party against any adverse party against whom judgment is rendered..."

The MOTION FOR AWARD OF COSTS was timely filed pursuant to NRCP 54.

ORDER

Good Cause Appearing, the Court ORDERS as follows.

PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE OPPOSITION OUT OF TIME (NRCP 6(B)(1)(B)) is DENIED.

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[1]. ECF means the Court's Electron Case File

Judgment is entered in favor of DEFENDANTS BENJAMIN CHILDS and the LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS against Plaintiff LUBA DACE in the amount of $267.50 plus interest at the judgment rate from August 25, 2025.

The matter being decided, the hearing on BENJAMIN CHILDS AND LAW OFFICE OF BENJAMIN B. CHILDS' MOTION FOR AWARD OF COSTS currently set for December 4, 2025 is vacated.

Dated this 8th day of December, 2025

Jacob A. Reynolds

District Court Judge

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Plaintiff, in Proper Person

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