

EXHIBIT 14
(Filed Under Seal)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 17TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: CACE 15-000072

BRADLEY J. EDWARDS, and
PAUL G. CASSELL,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ALAN DERSHOWITZ,
Defendant.

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TRANSCRIPT OF NON-PARTY VIRGINIA ROBERTS'
EMERGENCY MOTION TO SEAL

DATE TAKEN: December 18, 2015
TIME: 9:26 a.m - 9:45 a.m.
PLACE: Broward County Courthouse
201 Southeast 6th Street
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
BEFORE: Thomas M. Lynch, IV, Circuit Court Judge

This cause came on to be heard at the time and place aforesaid, when and where the following proceedings were reported by:

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1 negotiations between the parties. It is
2 without question that these were settlement
3 conversations.

4 I appreciate what he is trying to refer
5 to, this later mediation with Judge
6 Streitfeld. There is a mediation that has
7 gone on in the last couple of weeks with
8 Judge Streitfeld. These were confidential
9 settlement negotiations that started in May
10 and went up to the present; so to say that --

11 THE COURT: I agree with you. I think
12 they're confidential settlement discussions.
13 I'm going to grant the Motion to Seal.

14 MS. MCCAWLEY: Thank you, Your Honor.

15 MR. SAFRA: Well, Your Honor --

16 THE COURT: Over the strong objection of
17 the Defendant.

18 MR. SAFRA: Can I, for the record --

19 MS. MCCAWLEY: Thank you.

20 MR. SAFRA: -- at least also reserve
21 that for the relief that needs to be shown
22 irreparable harm, death, or manifest injury,
23 and it's our position that that hasn't been
24 shown in the requested relief.

25 THE COURT: You don't think confidential

1 settlement agreements should be sealed? I
2 know you don't think they are confidential
3 settlement agreements --

4 MR. SAFRA: Well --

5 THE COURT: -- but if they are, which
6 I've made that finding, you don't think they
7 should be sealed?

8 MR. SAFRA: Well, you're making the
9 finding that they were confidential
10 settlement --

11 THE COURT: I am.

12 MR. SAFRA: -- but that wasn't at issue
13 here, and they haven't even filed the
14 opposition, and we have our Motion in Limine;
15 so you're ruling upon that when --

16 THE COURT: No. I'm just sealing these
17 because I think they should be sealed.

18 MR. SAFRA: Okay.

19 THE COURT: Although, you know --

20 MR. SAFRA: Take your words for the
21 future.

22 THE COURT: -- everyone is aware of --

23 MR. SAFRA: Understood.

24 THE COURT: Well, everyone. Whoever
25 read the New York Times is aware of the

1 situation; so I will grant the motion.

2 MR. SAFRA: For clarity, the Motion in
3 Limine, when that gets scheduled, is your
4 finding that it's a settlement
5 communication --

6 THE COURT: I'll listen to any argument
7 anyone has on any issue. We're not doing
8 that today.

9 MR. SAFRA: Just the seal.

10 THE COURT: I'm available for hearings
11 anytime after the 3rd of January.

12 MR. SAFRA: And can I state, so you
13 don't get a disagreement where we end up back
14 before the Court -- just because I'm aware
15 and I want to raise --

16 MS. MCCAWLEY: Right.

17 MR. SAFRA: -- it and so that you have
18 an opportunity, it is our position or my
19 client's position that these meetings
20 occurred in New York and that the sealing
21 would apply to the public filings and in
22 Florida.

23 MS. MCCAWLEY: Your Honor, if the intent
24 here is to continue to spew the confidential
25 settlement negotiations and have

1 Mr. Dershowitz go to New York or other
2 locations to say these things again, I would
3 object to that. I think this Court needs to
4 be very stern in its response that these are
5 not appropriate to be disclosed.

6 THE COURT: Well, I think he is aware of
7 that.

8 MR. SAFRA: I'm aware, and I will convey
9 to my client. I think the Court's
10 jurisdiction is what is it, but I just wanted
11 to raise the issue and we will act in good
12 faith and, you know, do just like we did last
13 time, contact Mr. Boies to give opportunities
14 before anything happens.

15 MS. MCCAWLEY: Your Honor, I disagree
16 with that. I have no indication that
17 Mr. Boies was contacted about this in
18 advance.

19 THE COURT: Thanks. Nice to see you.

20 MS. MCCAWLEY: Thank you, Your Honor.

21 MR. SAFRA: Thank you, Your Honor. Have
22 a good weekend.

23 THE COURT: You, too.

24 MS. MCCAWLEY: I have a Proposed Order
25 with me. Do you want me to --

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STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF BROWARD)

I, MICHELE CAMERON, Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at Large, do hereby certify that the case of BRADLEY J. EDWARDS, and PAUL G. CASSELL are the Plaintiffs, and ALAN DERSHOWTIZ is the Defendant, was heard before the Honorabe Thomas M. Lynch, IV, as Judge, and that the foregoing pages, numbered 1 to 28, inclusive, constitute a true and correct transcription of the proceedings taken on December 18, 2015.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the City of Fort Lauderdale, County of Broward, State of Florida, this 18th day of December, 2015.





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