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Cause No. 2015-69681

DAVID CHRISTOPHER DUNN,

PLAINTIFF,

V.

THE METHODIST HOSPITAL,

DEFENDANT.

By _____
Deputy
Time: _____
Harris County, Texas

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Chris Daniel
District Clerk

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF

HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

189th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

AGREED ORDER ON PLAINTIFF'S ORIGINAL VERIFIED PETITION AND APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

On this day came on to be considered Plaintiffs Verified Motion and Application for Agreed Temporary Restraining Order and Injunctive Relief (the "Motion"). After examining the verified pleadings and holding a hearing of which Defendant had notice, the Court finds that the requirements for the issuance of an Agreed Temporary Restraining Order have been met.

More specifically, the Court finds evidence that Plaintiff is entitled to the issuance of an Agreed Temporary Restraining Order to protect and preserve the status quo. Plaintiff is suffering and will continue to suffer irreparable harm if Defendant is permitted to remove life sustaining treatment ("LST") from Christopher David Dunn. Plaintiff will be irreparably injured, and suffer loss and damage by likely death if LST is removed.

Such harm is imminent because if an injunction is not entered, Defendant may remove LST on Tuesday, November 24, 2015, and may administer drugs resulting in death.

Plaintiff has demonstrated a likelihood of the success on the merits of this case and a balance of the equities strongly favors the granting of injunctive relief in order to preserve the *status quo ante*.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court issue an Agreed Temporary Restraining Order that Defendant The Methodist Hospital, and all of their respective agents, servants, employees, representatives, attorneys, and all persons, firms, corporations or other entities acting or purporting to act or acting in concert or in participation with them who gets actual notice of this Order by service or otherwise, are hereby ORDERED and ENJOINED to cease and desist all actions of any nature to pursue the removal of Christopher David Dunn's LST through December 4, 2015.

Once this Order becomes effective, it shall remain in effect for a term of fourteen (14) days or until further Order of this Court.


BOND

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Court Clerk, upon the filing of a bond in the amount of \$ 0 (or cash deposit in lieu thereof) and on approving the same according to law, shall issue an Agreed Temporary Restraining Order in conformity with the law and the terms of this Order.

TEMPORARY INJUNCTION HEARING SETTING

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a hearing on Plaintiffs' request for a Temporary Injunction is set before the ¹⁸⁹⁷⁴68th Judicial District Court, Dallas County, Texas on the ³⁰4th day of December 2015, at ^{1:30} a.m./p.m. in the ___ District Court's courtroom located in the Harris County Courthouse, 201 Caroline, Houston, Harris County, Texas 77002.

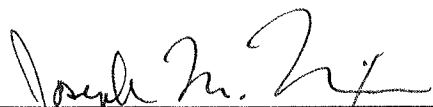
Signed this 20 day of Nov 2015, at 2:45 a.m./p.m.



JUDGE PRESIDING

AGREED AS TO FORM AND SUBSTANCE:

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