MARYLAND CIRCUIT COURT BALTIMORE CITY

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Plaintiff,

No. 24-C16003573

VS.

MATHEW CHAN,

Defendants.

COMPLAINT

For his claims for relief against Defendant, Plaintiff Mitul R. Patel ("Plaintiff") alleges as follows:

PARTIES, JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 1. Plaintiff maintains a primary residence in Gwinnett County, Georgia.
- 2. Defendant Mathew Chan ("Defendant") maintains a primary residence located in Baltimore County, Maryland.
- 3. Defendant's actions, upon which the allegations in this Complaint are based, were performed in this judicial district.
- 4. Therefore, upon information and belief, jurisdiction and venue are proper in this Court.

COUNT I DEFAMATION

- 5. On 10/01/2015, Defendant posted false and defamatory statements on the internet at the following web address's: http://www.healthgrades.com/dentist/dr-mitul-patel-3kvwh, https://www.kudzu.com/m/DrMitul-PatelDDS-30366893, https://www.doctor-oogle.com/584293-suwanee-dentist-dr-mitul-patel, https://www.doctor-oogle.com/584293-suwanee-dentist-dr-mitul-patel. (the "Defamation").
- 6. The Defamation was made by Defendant about and concerning Plaintiff.
- 7. Without privilege, Defendant communicated the Defamation to third parties through the Internet to world at large, without limitation.
- 8. The Defamation made by Defendant impeaches the honesty, integrity and reputation of Plaintiff by implying that Plaintiff is involved in a fraudulent scheme.
- 9. The Defamation is and would be highly offensive to a reasonable person.
- 10. The Defamation is and will continue to cause harm to Plaintiff's reputation unless it is restrained and enjoined.

Dated, so respectfully, this 8 day of February, 2016

276 Peachtree Pkwy. Suwanee, GA 3002

Pro Per Plaintiff