

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
DIVISION OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. JOHN**

ALEX GIBSON,

Plaintiff,

v.

**B. MATTHEW MCCLAFFERTY, MAC
PRIVATE EQUITY, INC. AND MPE CLEARING
& HOLDINGS, INC.,**

Defendants.

Case No. 3:24-cv-0020

APPEARANCES:

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MICHAEL L. SHEESLEY LLC

SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO

FOR PLAINTIFF ALEX GIBSON

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ST. THOMAS, U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

FOR DEFENDANTS B. MATTHEW MCCLAFFERTY, MAC PRIVATE EQUITY, INC., AND MPE CLEARING & HOLDINGS, INC.

ORDER

BEFORE THE COURT is Defendants B. Matthew McClafferty, Mac Private Equity, Inc., and MPE Clearing & Holdings, Inc.'s (collectively, "Defendants") Suggestion of Bankruptcy (Chapter 7), filed on March 5, 2025. (ECF No. 66.) Plaintiff Alex Gibson's ("Gibson") Response to Suggestion of Bankruptcy and Notice that the McClafferty Examination is Going Forward on March 28, 2025, was filed on March 7, 2025, in response. (ECF No. 67.) Defendants B. Matthew McClafferty and MPE Clearing & Holdings, Inc. filed a reply on April 1, 2025. (ECF

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No. 70.) For the reasons stated in the accompanying Memorandum Opinion of even date, it is hereby

ORDERED that the automatic bankruptcy stay imposed pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362(a) imposed against Mac Private Equity, Inc. does not apply to co-defendants B. Matthew McClafferty nor to MPE Holdings, Inc. Plaintiff Alex Gibson may proceed on the merits against the remaining solvent co-defendants in this matter; it is further

ORDERED that Defendant B. Matthew McClafferty shall appear before the District Court of the Virgin Islands, St. Thomas, to be examined under oath concerning any assets, property and credit McClafferty may have and to answer questions under oath concerning his ability to satisfy the judgment rendered against him in this case; it is further

ORDERED that Defendant Brett Matthew McClafferty and MPE Clearing & Holdings, Inc. are forbidden in the meantime from transferring or otherwise disposing of any non-exempt property or assets; and it is further

ORDERED that the judgment debtor examination hearing previously scheduled for March 28, 2025, shall commence promptly at **10:00 A.M. on October 1, 2025**, before Chief Judge Robert A. Molloy in St. Thomas Courtroom 1.

Dated: September 15, 2025

/s/ Robert A. Molloy
ROBERT A. MOLLOY
Chief Judge