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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE AND)
ANNUITY CORPORATION,)

Plaintiff,)

v.)

JANET FRENCHICK CONTRERAS;)
ELIZABETH ANN MCEACHERN;)
AND MARCUS CONTRERAS,)

Defendants.)

Case No. **CV 19-5620-JFW(PJWx)**

**JUDGMENT AGAINST DEFENDANT
ELIZABETH ANN MCEACHERN**

AND RELATED CROSS-ACTIONS

1 This Action came on regularly for Pre-Trial Conference on
2 August 6, 2020, in Courtroom 7A, 350 W. 1st Street, Los
3 Angeles, California 90012 of the Central District of
4 California, the Honorable John F. Walter presiding via
5 videoconference. Attorney David S. Lin of the Law Offices of
6 David S. Lin appeared on behalf of Defendant and Counter-
7 Claimant JANET FRENCHICK CONTRERAS (hereinafter "Defendant
8 JANET"). Attorney James K. Lo of the Lo Law Firm appeared on
9 behalf of Defendant MARCUS CONTRERAS (hereinafter "Defendant
10 MARCUS"). No appearance was made by Defendant and Counter
11 Defendant ELIZABETH ANN MCEACHERN (hereinafter "MCEACHERN") or
12 her counsel, Jason Allison.

13 At the Pre-Trial Conference, the Court issued its
14 dispositive rulings against Defendant MCEACHERN and in favor
15 of Defendant/Counterclaimant JANET on August 6, 2020 as
16 follows:

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, THERE BEING NO JUST REASON FOR DELAY**
18 **UNDER FED. R. CIV. P. 54(b), IT IS HEREBY RULED, ADJUDGED AND**
19 **FINALLY DECIDED THAT:**

20 1. Given Defendant and Counter-Defendant Elizabeth Ann
21 McEachern and her counsel, Jason Allison's failure
22 to comply with discovery and court procedures, i.e.,
23 Rule 16(f)(1) and failure to attend the Pre-Trial
24 Conference hearing in this case, showing a complete
25 lack of respect and disregard for the Court and the
26 Judicial Process and failure to prosecute such
27 Action, warrants a proper Dismissal of any and all
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claims and counter claims previously pled or alleged by Defendant/Counter-Defendant MCEACHERN in this Action;

2. Defendant/Counter-Defendant MCEACHERN's previously filed Answer to the subject Interpleader Complaint filed by New York Life Insurance Company (NYLIC) in this Action is hereby stricken by the Court.
3. Defendant/Counter-Defendant MCEACHERN's previously filed Answer to the Counter Claim filed by JANET against MCEACHERN is hereby stricken by the Court.
4. The Court hereby dismisses all claims and counterclaims alleged by Defendant/Counter-Defendant MCEACHERN in this Action.
5. The Court hereby enters a Default on all counts and causes of actions pled and alleged in the First Amended Counter Claim filed by JANET against Defendant/Counter Defendant MCEACHERN in this Action.
6. The Court hereby enters a final Judgment against Defendant/Counter Defendant MCEACHERN in this Action on all counts and causes of actions pled and alleged in the First Amended Counter Claim filed by JANET in this Action.

DATED: August 13, 2020



HON. JOHN F. WALTER
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE