# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

BABYAGE.COM, INC.,

Plaintiff-Counterclaim Defendant

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:07-CV-01600-ARC

v.

Judge A. Richard Caputo

LEACHCO, INC.,

Defendant-Counterclaim Plaintiff/

Third Party Plaintiff

: Filed Electronically

and

JAMIE S. LEACH,

Counterclaim Plaintiff/ Third Party Plaintiff

v.

JOHN M. KIEFER, JR.,

Third Party Defendant

# **RULE 56.1 STATEMENT**

Plaintiff-Counterclaim Defendant, BabyAge.com, Inc. (hereinafter "BabyAge"), by and through its attorney, Andrew J. Katsock, III, Esquire, herewith submits its Rule 56.1 Statement in connection with its Motion for Partial Summary Judgment with respect to the counterclaims of Defendant-Counterclaim Plaintiff, Leachco, Inc., and Counterclaim Plaintiff, Jamie S. Leach (hereinafter collectively "Leachco"), as follows:

1. Leachco is the exclusive licensee of U.S. Patent No. 6,760,934 ("the '934 Patent"). (Counterclaim ¶ 8.)

- 2. The '934 Patent is comprised of one (1) independent claim and two (2) dependant claims. U.S. Patent No. 6,760,934.
- 3. The independent claim of the '934 Patent requires, in pertinent part, that the device embody "[a] symmetrically contoured support pillow formed essentially in an inverted U-shape, comprising essentially a semi-circular crown." U.S. Patent No. 6,760,934.
- 4. The Court conclusively resolved that "[t]he semi-circular crown means the top of the pillow is shaped like a semi-circle." (Mem. Op. 09/18/2008 at 8.)
- 5. The upper portion or "crown" of the accused device (Ex. C of the Complaint), is not semicircular. (Compl. Ex. C.)
- 6. BabyAge sells baby-related goods by means of a website having the web address <a href="https://www.babyage.com">www.babyage.com</a> (hereinafter "the Website"). (Counterclaim ¶ 20.)
- 7. All of the goods that are displayed, identified, and offered for sale at <a href="http://www.babyage.com/brands/leachco.htm">http://www.babyage.com/brands/leachco.htm</a>, as originating from Leachco are genuine and authentic products manufactured by or for Leachco. (Counterclaim ¶ 22.)
- 8. Each and every link at the Website to a product using Leachco's trademark also has a link that reads as follows: "See More Leachco Products." (Decl. of John M. Kiefer, Jr.)<sup>1</sup>
- 9. There are no instances in which any goods displayed and offered for sale on the Website and identified as having been manufactured by or for Leachco have been represented as having been manufactured for or by any other manufacturer or seller of those products.

  (Counterclaim ¶ 22.)
- 10. There are no instances in which any goods displayed and offered for sale on the Website and identified as having been manufactured by or for a manufacturer or seller other than

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Declaration of Mr. Kiefer is attached hereto in support of the relief sought hereby.

Leachco have been represented as having been manufactured for or by Leachco. (Counterclaim ¶

22.)

11. Leachco's trademark is used on the Website only to identify goods manufactured

for or by Leachco. (Counterclaim ¶ 22; Decl. of John M. Kiefer, Jr.)

12. At no time has BabyAge sought to use the Website to suggest or infer in any way.

form, manner, or fashion that a product made or sold by a Leachco competitor was made or sold

by Leachco as suggested in ¶ 22 of Leachco's counterclaim. (Decl. of John M. Kiefer, Jr.)

13. At no time has BabyAge sought to use the Website to suggest or infer in any way,

form, manner, or fashion that a product made or sold by Leachco was made or sold by a Leachco

competitor as suggested in ¶ 22 of Leachco's counterclaim. (Decl. of John M. Kiefer, Jr.)

14. Upon reasonable investigation, there is no instance where a consumer believed

that a product manufactured for or on behalf of Leachco was manufactured for or on behalf of

BabyAge. (Decl. of John M. Kiefer, Jr.)

15. Upon reasonable investigation, there is no instance where a consumer believed

that a product manufactured for or on behalf of BabyAge was manufactured for or on behalf of

Leachco. (Decl. of John M. Kiefer, Jr.)

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 7, 2008

/s/ Andrew J. Katsock, III, Esquire

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# DECLARATION OF JOHN M. KIEFER JR.

- 1. I, John M. Kiefer, am Chief Executive Officer of BABYAGE.COM, INC. (hereinafter "BabyAge"), the Plaintiff and Counterclaim Defendant herein. I have personal knowledge of all the facts stated in this Declaration.
- 2. BabyAge sells baby-related and infant care products via its Website, BabyAge.com (hereinafter "the Website"). Among the products it offers for sale to consumers are products manufactured for or on behalf of BabyAge and sold under that trademark.
- 3. BabyAge also offers for sale at the Website products made by or for manufacturers under numerous different trademarks, including those manufactured by or for Defendant, Leachco, Inc. ("hereinafter "Leachco"). The consumer can shop for products at the Website by product category or by brand.
- 4. No individual brand or trademark is displayed more prominently than any other brand or trademark on the Website, except during select scheduled promotional periods.
- 5. BabyAge does not knowingly or intentionally misrepresent any goods sold on the Website.

  To the best of its ability, BabyAge seeks to correctly identify the source of each product offered for sale, and where applicable, accurately represent the manufacturer by label, brand, and trademark.
- 6. BabyAge does not desire and has not sought in the past to infer in any way, form, manner, or fashion on the Website, any relationship with Leachco, commercial or otherwise, other than as a vendor of specifically agreed upon Leachco products.
- 7. BabyAge is not, and does not knowingly or intentionally represent itself in any way, form, manner, or fashion as being, an authorized or exclusive distributor or seller of Leachco products.

(Attached to this Declaration as Exhibits A-D are true and accurate photocopies of representative pages of the Website made on September 30, 2008.)

- 8. Each and every link at the Website to a product using Leachco's trademark also has a link that reads as follows: "See More Leachco Products."
- 9. Leachco's trademark is used on the Website only to identify goods manufactured for or by Leachco.
- 10. At no time has BabyAge sought to use the Website to suggest or infer in any way, form, manner, or fashion that a product made or sold by a Leacho competitor was made or sold by Leachco as suggested in ¶ 22 of Leacho's counterclaim.
- 11. At no time has BabyAge sought to use the Website to suggest or infer in any way, form, manner, or fashion that a product made or sold by Leacho was made or sold by a Leacho competitor as suggested in ¶ 22 of Leacho's counterclaim.
- 12. Upon reasonable investigation, I am not aware of any instance where a consumer believed that a product manufactured for or on behalf of Leachco was manufactured for or on behalf of Babyage.com.
- 13. Upon reasonable investigation, I am not aware of any instance where a consumer believed that a product manufactured for or on behalf of Babyage.com was manufactured for or on behalf of Leachco.

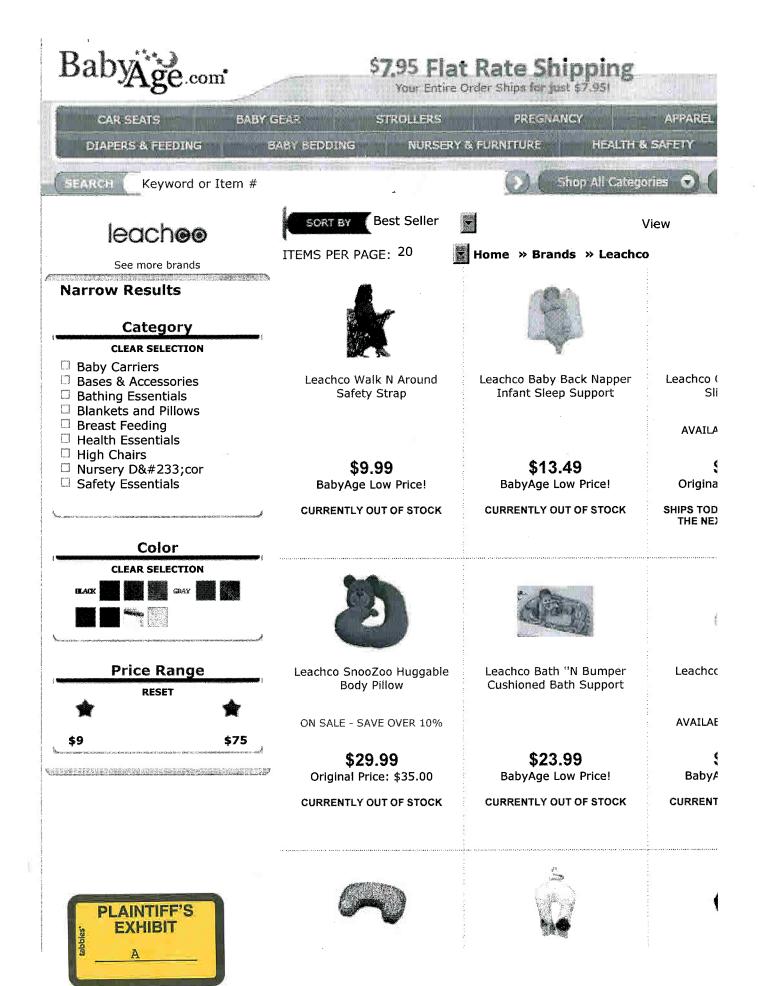
I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

John M. Kiefer

Executed on:

October 3, 2008

Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania



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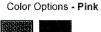
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#### **Product Features**

- Teether protects a seasoned teether from splinters, cracks and paint chips
- Allows baby's favorite teething toys to keep easily within reach
- Specially placed Velcro tabs allow parents to customize crib rail
- Teether from Leachco has dimensions of 50 x 10 in.
- Fits standard size cribs

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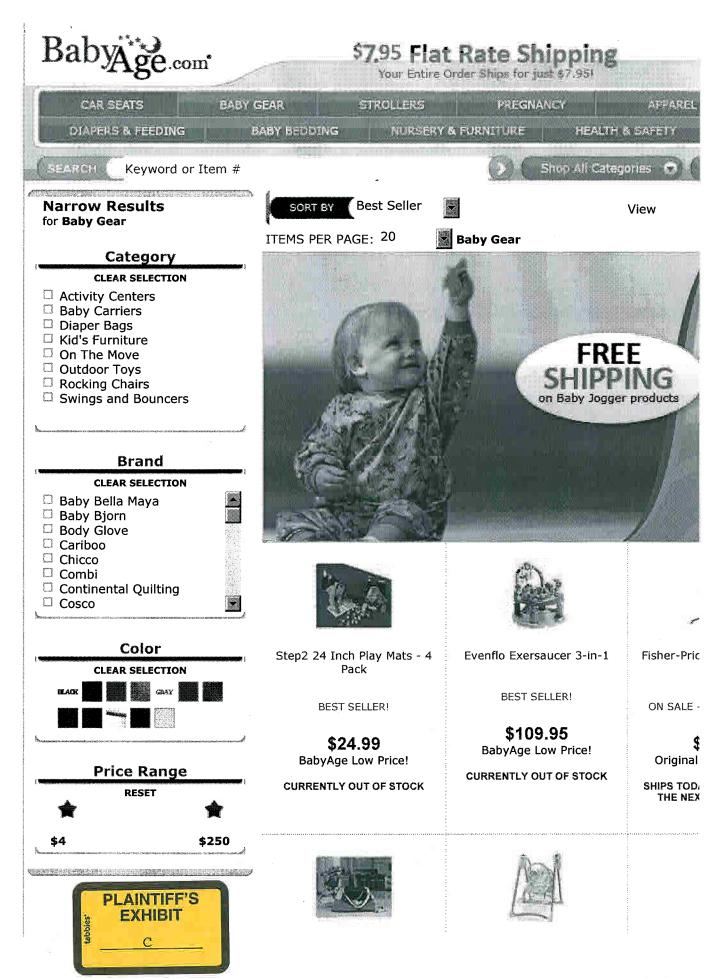












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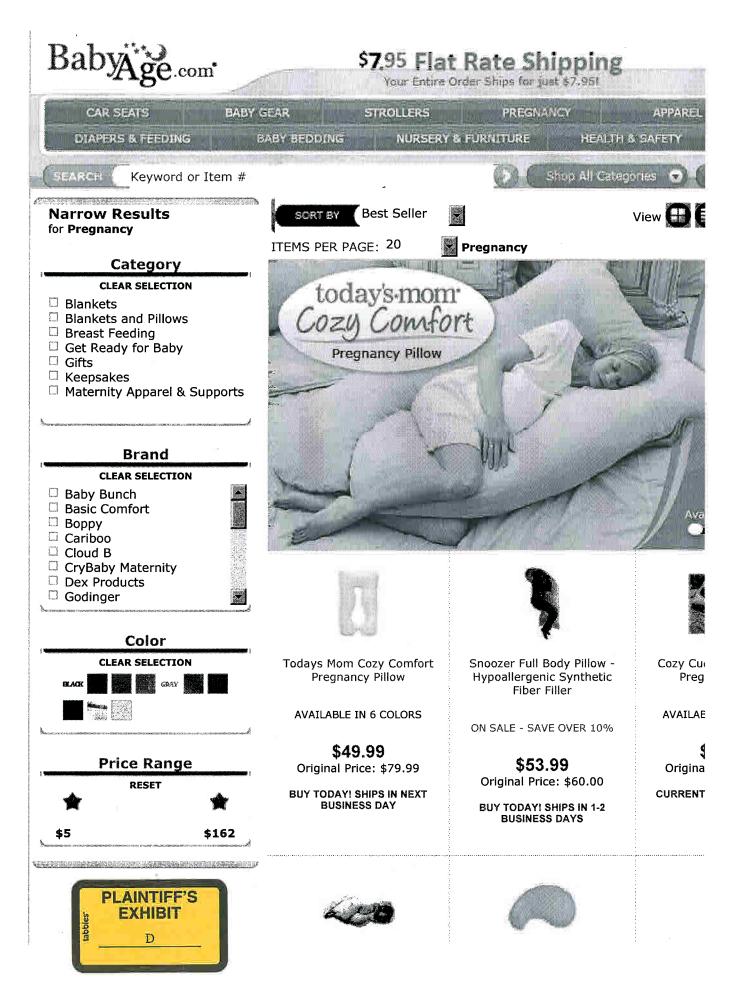












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