## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

CAROL G. DIAMOND, and : No. 4:13-CV-1593

HERBERT S. DIAMOND

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Plaintiffs,

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v. : (Judge Brann)

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HOLDINGS, INC., : (Magistrate Judge Carlson)

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TRANSPORT, INC., JRC

TRANSPORTATION, INC., and

ERWIN J. ADAMS,

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Defendants. :

## **ORDER**

February 20, 2014

The undersigned has given full and independent consideration to the December 16, 2013 report and recommendation of Chief Magistrate Judge Martin C. Carlson. ECF No. 16. No objections have been filed.

Because this Court agrees with Chief Judge Carlson's recommendation that the Defendant's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's claim for punitive damages (ECF No. 4) should be denied at this juncture, the Court will not rehash the sound reasoning of the Magistrate Judge and will adopt the report and recommendation in its entirety.

## NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- United States Chief Magistrate Judge Martin C. Carlson's December
  16, 2013 Report and Recommendation (ECF No. 16) is ADOPTED in full.
- 2. The Defendants Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 4) is DENIED.

BY THE COURT:

s/Matthew W. BrannMatthew W. BrannUnited States District Judge