

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

JOHN DOE,)	
Plaintiff)	CIVIL ACTION NO.: 3:16cv-30184-MAP
v.)	
)	
WILLIAMS COLLEGE,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
)	

TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

This cause coming to be heard on Plaintiff’s Motion for Emergency Temporary Restraining Order, due notice having been given and Defendant having appeared through counsel; the Court having considered Plaintiff’s Verified Complaint, Plaintiff’s Motion for Emergency Temporary Restraining Order and Memorandum of Law in Support Thereof, and Plaintiff’s Motion for Immediate Ex Parte Hearing on Plaintiff’s Motion for Temporary Restraining Order and Memorandum of Law in Support Thereof; and the argument of counsel, finds as follows:

1. Plaintiff has shown that it has a clearly ascertainable right in need of protection.
2. Plaintiff has shown that there is a fair question that Plaintiff will succeed on the merits.
3. Plaintiff has shown that it will suffer irreparable harm if an injunction does not issue.
4. Plaintiff has shown that it has no adequate remedy at law or in equity other than an injunction.

5. The balance of equities weights in Plaintiff's favor.
6. Injunctive relief is in the public interest.

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- A. Defendant is hereby enjoined and restrained, in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 65(b)(2), from adjudicating and sanctioning Plaintiff in the ongoing disciplinary proceedings;
- B. Williams College shall issue Plaintiff's degree without further delay;
- C. Williams College shall expunge Plaintiff's disciplinary records from all College records;
- D. Defendant shall refrain from violating Plaintiff's right to privacy under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and under state tort law; and
- E. Defendant shall represent Plaintiff's good standing to third parties.

Bond is waived for good cause as potential damage to Defendant is negligible. This Temporary Restraining Order shall remain in full force and effect pending hearing on Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction on {no later than January 6, 2017} unless sooner modified or dissolved.

DONE AND ORDERED

ENTER:

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE