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RE: Court of Appeals Number: 04-16-00184-CV

Trial Court Case Number: 15-2186-CV

Style: Ronald F. Avery (Cross-Appellee)

V.

Dylan Baddour and Hearst Communications, Inc. (Cross-

Appellants)

The Court has this date issued the Mandate in the above styled and numbered cause.

Very truly yours,

KEITH, E. HOTTLE, CLERK

Cynthia A. Martinez

Deputy Clerk, Ext. 53853

cc: Jonathan H. Hull (DELIVERED VIA E-MAIL)

MANDATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE 2ND 25TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF GUADALUPE COUNTY, GREETINGS:

Before our Court of Appeals for the Fourth District of Texas on August 10, 2016, the cause upon appeal to revise or reverse your judgment between

Ronald F. Avery (Cross-Appellee), Appellant

V.

Dylan Baddour and Hearst Communications, Inc. (Cross-Appellants), Appellee

No. 04-16-00184-CV and Tr. Ct. No. 15-2186-CV

was determined, and therein our said Court of Appeals made its order in these words:

In accordance with this court's opinion of this date, that portion of the trial court's Order Granting Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to The Texas Citizens Participation Act dismissing appellant's claim against appellees with prejudice is AFFIRMED. Also in accordance with this court's opinion of this date, that portion the trial court's Order Granting Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to The Texas Citizens Participation Act denying appellees the right to recover court costs, reasonable attorney's fees, and other expenses is REVERSED and the cause is REMANDED to the trial court for the limited purpose of determining an appropriate award of reasonable attorney's fees, court costs, and other expenses pursuant to Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code section 27.009(a)(1).

It is ORDERED that appellees recover their costs of this appeal from appellant.

WHEREFORE, WE COMMAND YOU to observe the order of our said Court of Appeals for the Fourth District of Texas, in this behalf and in all things have the order duly recognized, obeyed, and executed.

WITNESS the Hon. Sandee Bryan Marion, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals for the Fourth District of Texas, with the seal of the Court affixed and the City of San Antonio on February 2, 2017.

KEITH E. HOTTLE, CLERK

Cynthia A. Martinez

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BILL OF COSTS

TEXAS COURT OF APPEALS, FOURTH DISTRICT, AT SAN ANTONIO

No. 04-16-00184-CV

Ronald F. Avery (Cross-Appellee)

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Dylan Baddour and Hearst Communications, Inc. (Cross-Appellants)

(NO. 15-2186-CV IN 2ND 25TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF GUADALUPE COUNTY)

TYPE OF FEE	CHARGES	PAID	BY
MOTION FEE	\$10.00	E-PAID	N/A
STATEWIDE EFILING FEE	\$30.00	E-PAID	JONATHAN DONNELLAN
FILING	\$100.00	E-PAID	JONATHAN DONNELLAN
SUPREME COURT CHAPTER 51			
FEE	\$50.00	E-PAID	JONATHAN DONNELLAN
INDIGENT	\$25.00	E-PAID	JONATHAN DONNELLAN
CLERK'S RECORD	\$0.00	PAID	
STATEWIDE EFILING FEE	\$30.00	PAID	RONALD AVERY
INDIGENT	\$25.00	PAID	RONALD AVERY
FILING	\$100.00	PAID	RONALD AVERY
SUPREME COURT CHAPTER 51			
FEE	\$50.00	PAID	RONALD AVERY
REPORTER'S RECORD	\$100.00	PAID	RONALD F. AVERY

Balance of costs owing to the Fourth Court of Appeals, San Antonio, Texas: 0.00

Court costs in this cause shall be paid as per the Judgment issued by this Court.

I, **KEITH E. HOTTLE,** CLERK OF THE FOURTH COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the cost bill of THE COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FOURTH DISTRICT OF TEXAS, showing the charges and payments, in the above numbered and styled cause, as the same appears of record in this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and the Seal of the **COURT OF APPEALS** for the Fourth District of Texas, this February 2, 2017.

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KEITH E. HOTTLE, CLERK

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