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CAUSE NO. 15-2186-CV

RONALD AVERY,

Plaintiff,

Vs.

GUADALUPE COUNTY, TEXAS

BYLAN BADDOUR, AND
HEARST COMMUNICATIONS, INC.,

Defendants.

SUADALUPE COUNTY, TEXAS

2ND 25TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO THE TEXAS CITIZENS PARTICIPATION ACT

After considering Defendants Hearst Communications, Inc. and Dylan Baddour's, Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to the Texas Citizens Participation Act, Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code § 27.001, et seq., the supporting declarations and exhibits thereto, the Plaintiff's response and supporting affidavit and supplements and exhibits thereto, the authorities cited, and the arguments made before the Court at the hearing held on March 10, 2016, the Court hereby GRANTS the motion.

Pursuant to the Court's letter dated March 16, 2016, it is hereby ORDERED that Plaintiff's Original Petition is DISMISSED with prejudice.

It is further ORDERED that Defendants are entitled to recover their court costs, reasonable attorney's fees, and other expenses incurred in defending against this action pursuant to Section 17.009(a) of the Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code, and Defendants may move for an Order awarding such costs, fees, and expenses.

SIGNED this ______ lo day of

JUDGE PRESIDING

I, DEBRA CROW, Clerk of the District Courts, in Guadalupe County, Texas, certify this copy is true and correct as FILED & RECORDED in the Official Court Records of District Court. Given-under my happi and seal of office in Seguin, Texas on

the day of 1 , 20

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