# COPYRIGHT CLAIMS BOARD

**Docket numbers:** 24-CCB-0255 & 24-CCB-0258
March 19, 2025

| Julia A. Parker | *v.* | Denim Walters |
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| **CLAIMANT** | | **RESPONDENT** |

## CONSOLIDATION ORDER

Claimant initiated the above-referenced two proceedings against Respondent on August 28, 2024 and August 29, 2024 ("Proceedings") as "smaller claims." The Copyright Claims Board ("Board") found the claims compliant and Claimant timely filed proofs of service in each Proceeding. Respondent did not submit an opt-out notice within the sixty days after service in either Proceeding and has not filed a response to either claim. Both Proceedings are now active. The presiding Copyright Claims Officer held the initial conference in Claim 24-CCB-0258 on February 26, 2025, and the initial conference in Claim 24-CCB-0255 on March 18, 2025. Claimant attended both conferences. Respondent did not attend either conference.

When a claimant has multiple active proceedings against the same respondent, the Board may at any time consolidate the proceedings for all purposes related to discovery, written testimony, and hearings. 37 C.F.R. §§ 222.13(a)-(b). Consolidated proceedings remain separate for purposes of determinations and damages awards. 37 C.F.R. § 222.13(a). Upon its own authority, the Board hereby consolidates both Proceedings for all such purposes, and for the Respondent's response to the claims. 17 U.S.C. § 1503(a)(1)(C). Claimant assented to consolidation at the conference on March 18, 2025. If Respondent opposes consolidation, Respondent may file a response to this order by **April 2, 2025**.

**The Board further directs that for the duration of the active phase of these Proceedings, all filings for either Proceeding shall ONLY be filed on the docket for Claim 24-CCB-0255.**

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