Electronically Filed
Docket: 24-CCB-0405
Filing Date: 10/02/2025 11:21:28 AM EDT

Registration number: TXu2195630 - Docket Number: 24-CCB-0405
Beanie Babies Price Guide vs Best Barn Finds (Nunes)
Copyright Infringement – Date: 08/18/2024 - Present
Respondents – Robert and Maryann Nunes

DEFAULT DIRECT PARTY STATEMENT of Robert and Maryann Nunes (Best Barn Finds)

We, Karen Holmes, Karen Boeker and Rebecca Estenssoro hold a valid copyright for our eBooks: Beanie Babies Price Guide, Beanie Buddies Price Guide & Beanie Sports Commemoratives Checklist, registered on May 18, 2020. Robert and Maryann Nunes have infringed upon our copyright by selling, sharing, and distributing these eBooks. Robert Nunes purchased, with the email address richcryptojerk@gmail.com, TWO separate Combo-Packs (which includes one each of our digital eBooks Price Guides/Checklist) from our website's online store.

He then uploaded them, in their entirety, to their websites (***bestbarnfinds.com*** and ***beaniebay.com***). They then sold our guides, singularly and in combination packages, on eBay under the account of Robert and Maryann Nunes, seller id: ***Best-Barn-Finds***. Their eBay store is a duplication of our website store and reads as though they are the creators. No written permission was ever given.

This has affected our sales and reputation, and anyone can/could have passed the links around, or posted it in a group, which has an enormous impact on our Beanie Babies Price Guide business. The guides are still viewable on Best Barn Finds website.

We have provided proof of such allegations via the following PDFs, showing all screenshots of evidence where the Respondents purchased, duplicated, and sold our price guides/checklist, as their own work, on their eBay store and websites.

24-CCB-0405-AMEND-BESTBARNFINDS-Evidence List

24-CCB-0405-bbpg-vs-bbf-TXu2195630-beanie-babies-price-guide.pdf

24-CCB-0405-bbpg-vs-bbf-TXu2195630-beanie-buddies-price-guide.pdf

24-CCB-0405-bbpg-vs-bbf-TX000945868-beanie-pluffies-price-guide.pdf

24-CCB-0405-bbpg-vs-bbf-TXu2195630-combo-packs-beanie-sports-comm-checklist.pdf

Registration number: TXu2195630 - Docket Number: 24-CCB-0405
Beanie Babies Price Guide vs Best Barn Finds (Nunes)
Copyright Infringement – Date: 08/18/2024 - Present
Respondents – Robert and Maryann Nunes

We reported to eBay that the Respondents ***Best-Barn-Finds*** eBay store was selling our copyrighted Price Guides/Checklist. However, after some tough negotiations we had with the Respondents, stating we had the rights to our own Beanie Price Guides/Checklist, they were the ones who actually took them down.

Before our meeting with the Copyright Board on 18 Aug 2025 - The Respondents "parked" their websites. We feel this was done because they did not want the Price Guide links to be accessible. Both websites (***bestbarnfinds.com*** and ***beaniebay.com***) do not expire until 2026. They have only recently been made inactive, and we don't know if there are plans to make them live again.

We seek statutory damages.

Claimants,
Karen Holmes, Rebecca Estenssoro, Karen Boeker
tybbpg@gmail.com

Proof of Delivery

I hereby certify that on Thursday, October 02, 2025, I provided a true and correct copy of the 24-CCB-0405-bbpg-vs-bbf-TXu2195630-NUNES-Default Direct Party Statement to the following:

Robert Nunes, represented by Robert Nunes, served via MANUALEEMAIL

Maryann Nunes, represented by Maryann Nunes, served via MANUALEEMAIL

Karen Holmes, represented by Karen Holmes, served via ESERVICE at karenholme@aol.com

Karen Boeker, represented by Karen Holmes, served via ESERVICE at karenholme@aol.com

Signed: /s/ Rebecca Estenssoro