COPYRIGHT CLAIMS BOARD

Docket number: 26-CCB-0694
November 24, 2026

Bryon Dormandy, Never Seen Pictures LLC	*v.*	James Juron
CLAIMANTS		**RESPONDENT**

ORDER TO AMEND NONCOMPLIANT CLAIM

The Copyright Claims Board (Board) finds that your claim does not comply with the requirements of the CASE Act and related regulations. The claim cannot move forward unless it is amended.

If you wish to proceed with this claim, you must file an amended claim by **December 24, 2026**. If you do not, the Board must dismiss your claim without prejudice, although you may file again in the future before the Board or in federal court. If you file an amended claim and it is found compliant, you will be notified and directed to proceed with service. There is no additional filing fee for an amended claim. 17 U.S.C. § 1506(f)(1)(B).

To make your amended claim compliant, you must resolve the issues identified below. **37 C.F.R. § 224.1(c)(2)**. You may also choose to correct or edit any errors or other information in your claim before you file it again. You do not need to provide a legal argument in your claim – just a statement of facts and circumstances. Being specific in your description gives the other party and the Board more information about your claim. There is no character limit, so please be as detailed as possible.

Legal or Beneficial Ownership

Your claim does not provide clear information about the status of Bryon Dormandy ("Dormandy") as a legal or beneficial owner of the allegedly infringed work. To bring a copyright infringement claim before the Board, the claimant must be "the legal or beneficial owner of the exclusive right [in a copyrighted work] at the time of the infringement." 17 U.S.C. § 1504(c)(1). A legal owner is an author of the work who owns the exclusive rights at issue or a person or entity that has received a transfer of those rights, for example, by an assignment or an exclusive license. A beneficial owner is a legal owner who has transferred the rights at issue but retains some of the advantages of ownership, such as the right to receive royalties from the use of the work. A claimant who is not an author or named copyright owner of the allegedly infringed work must provide some specific details or supplemental documents explaining how the claimant owns, or has an exclusive license to use, the rights at issue.

The claim does not present facts that indicate that Dormandy is a proper claimant. The claim states that the Copyright Office has not registered "GG BTRO" and the claim lists service request number "1-15284808741" for an application to register the work. Copyright Office records show that the application names Dormandy as an author of the work and lists an entity "Never Seen Pictures LLC" as both an author and the work's only copyright

claimant. Even though Dormandy may be the owner of Never Seen Pictures LLC, the law considers incorporated businesses to be separate legal entities from the individuals who own them.

To correct this issue, your amended claim must either omit Dormandy as a claimant or include specific allegations about how Dormandy owns, or has an exclusive license to use, the exclusive rights at issue. You can do this either by adding facts to the "Describe the infringement" section explaining how Dormandy obtained ownership of the exclusive rights allegedly infringed or by uploading supplemental documents, such as an assignment or license, that explain how these rights were transferred to Dormandy. More information about legal and beneficial ownership is available at page 4 of the **Starting an Infringement Claim** chapter of the CCB Handbook.

Respondent — Clarity

A person or entity who engages in infringing activity is a proper respondent for an infringement claim. It is unclear if the respondent you named, James Juron, is a proper respondent. In your claim, you mention actions by Ginger Geezus (the band), Greg Grygiel, and Accolades Video, LLC. You have not stated facts that describe or show why you believe the named respondent is solely responsible for the alleged infringing acts.

In your claim you state: "Greg Grygiel and James Juron used multiple pieces of video footage." You further state that your footage was "used in various forms in a video that was created and published on October 20th, 2026 by James Juron (Ginger Geezus) and Greg Grygiel (Accolades Video LLC). . . . This video was published via his Ginger Geezus Band Youtube Page and multiple social media pages." Additionally, a review of the contract you included with the claim indicates that the contracted party is the band Ginger Geezus; James Juron signed only as representative. Therefore, it is unclear who you are bringing the claim against.

For your claim to proceed, you will need to clarify the people or entities you believe are at least partly responsible for the harm you have suffered. If you file an amended claim, it must clearly state the name and mailing address of the respondent, or of each respondent, and it must present facts that indicate why each of the named respondent(s) should be held responsible for the alleged infringement.

Improper Relief

Your claim must include a statement that describes harm that you suffered "as a result of the alleged activity" and the relief you are seeking. 37 C.F.R. § 222.2(c)(10). The Board is authorized to grant only certain kinds of relief. In the "Describe how you were harmed as well as your request for monetary relief" section of your claim, you state: "James Juron broke our legally binding contract when he did not execute a film permit for the music video shoot on 7/26/2026, and he did not pay me for services rendered beyond the initial deposit of $500. . . . He also went on to use defamatory remarks to multiple clients." You further state: "I am seeking financial damages for lost work, illegal use of copyrighted footage that is owned by Never Seen Pictures LLC, and for invoiced work that was never paid. James Juron broke this contract."

You include allegations of certain forms of harm that are not a basis for relief in a Board proceeding. In

particular, you request damages based on invoiced work that was never paid, breach of contract, and defamation. The Board can award damages that result from copyright infringement, but it does not award damages on any basis identified in the sentences above. Therefore, if you file an amended claim, you must omit your requests for damages based on nonpayment, breach of contract, and defamation. For additional information, please see the **Damages** chapter of the CCB Handbook.

To submit an amended claim, log into your eCCB account and take the following steps:

1. From your dashboard, click the "**Amend claim**" button and select your docket number from the dropdown list.
2. Your claim will unlock for editing. The information you originally entered will appear in the same order as in your original claim.
3. Make the necessary edits. If you have filed supplemental documents, you must re-upload any documents you wish to include in the amended claim on the "**Documentation**" page. Please include only documents directly related to your claim, and label them clearly.
4. Once you have completed your edits, continue to click through the fillable claim form until you reach the "**Review"** page. The Review page includes all the information that you have provided in the claim up to this point. Carefully double-check the information on this page. If you have any corrections, you can select "**Edit**" to revise any entries necessary. Each section of information has an "**Edit**" button, which will take you back to that section so you can make changes. After you make changes, you can click "**Save & review**" to return to the Review page. Please review your claim carefully. Once you submit your amended claim, you will be unable to edit the claim while it is in compliance review.
5. Once you have completed your review and any revisions, you must confirm that the information in your claim is accurate and truthful to the best of your knowledge. To complete the declaration, type your full name into the "**Digital signature**" box near the bottom of the "**Review filing**" page and click "**Agree & submit**."

If you have questions, please contact **asktheboard@ccb.gov**. Include your docket number in the subject line. The Board is unable to provide legal advice. We can provide only legal information and assistance concerning Board procedures and requirements. If you would like to seek further guidance from a lawyer or a law student at reduced or no cost, please visit the **Pro Bono Assistance** page on ccb.gov. You may also refer to the **Compliance Review** chapter of the CCB Handbook for more assistance.

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