June 16, 2022

Mr. Patrick Nagle
Planet Group Entertainment Ltd.
Sarasota Fringe Films LLC
[redacted]
Florida

Re: *Unauthorized Licensing of the film On the Trail of Jack Thorp*

Dear Mr. Nagle:

We are intellectual property counsel for Susan Gervasi. Our client created the film titled *On the Trail of Jack Thorp* in 2008, which was published on September 20, 2008.

In 2015, you asked permission to distribute this film, but Ms. Gervasi did not agree to allow you to have any rights in this material. Nonetheless, Ms. Gervasi is aware that you have licensed use of this film on multiple occasions, and distribution rights are noted on your website at http://planetgroupentertainment.squarespace.com/on-the-trail-of-jack-thorp/. We have also identified a listing indicating that several institutions have already purchased rights in the film. https://www.worldcat.org/title/on-the-trail-of-jack-thorp/oclc/489264555?referer=br&ht=edition. These institutions did not license the film from our client. We believe that you and your company have licensed and distributed rights in this film, all without Ms. Gervasi's permission.

You are fully aware of our client's rights as to this copyrighted material, and the work been registered with the United States Copyright Office under PA0002346349 (See attached). Federal copyright law provides a number of remedies for infringement. Among these are removal of infringing material from the Internet, preliminary and permanent injunctive relief, money damages, profits, costs, and the confiscation and destruction of infringing products and promotional materials. Statutory damages are also available, as our client owns a federal copyright registration for this work.

Our client treats copyright infringement as a very serious matter and will enforce its rights against infringers. It is Ms. Gervasi's hope, however, that this matter may be amicably resolved, provided that you cooperate fully. Specifically, you must **immediately** remove all links indicating distribution rights in *On the Trail of Jack Thorp*, along with discontinuing any use of materials relating to this film from your website, social media pages, and any other location where such distribution and licensing services may be mentioned. You must also notify all third parties that have licensed this film to also discontinue any use of this copyrighted material going forward, as well as informing Ms. Gervasi as to which parties now are

distributing or showing this film. We also request an accounting of all money earned from your distribution.

If you continue to use distribute and license Ms. Gervasi's film, our client reserves the right to seek injunctive relief and monetary damages for your infringing actions.

Accordingly, we demand that you immediately discontinue the use of all references to *On the Trail of Jack Thorp*. If you fail to do so by June 30, 2022, we will instruct our client to take further action.

We look forward to your response.

Regards,

Andrea H. Evans

cc: Ms. Susan Gervasi