IN THE COURT OF APPEAL OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT

DIVISION ONE

COURT OF APPEAL - SECOND DIST.

FILED

Apr 17, 2024

EVA McCLINTOCK, Clerk

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CHLB, LLC, dba COLLEGE MEDICAL CENTER, et al.,

Petitioner,

v.

THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,

Respondent;

WESLEY PATTERSON,

Real Party in Interest.

B334411

(Super. Ct. L.A. County No. 21STCV13946)

(LEE W. TSAO, Judge)

ALTERNATIVE WRIT OF MANDATE

TO THE SUPERIOR COURT:

Good cause appearing therefor, you are hereby required either to:

(a) Vacate that part of your November 29, 2023 order granting the motion to compel further responses to special interrogatories Nos. 9, 11, 15, 17, 27 and 28 in Los Angeles County Superior Court case No. 21STCV13946, entitled Wesley Patterson v. CHLB, LLC dba College Medical Center, et al., and issue a new and different order balancing real party's need for the discovery against the privacy interests of petitioners' patients consistent with Hill v. National Collegiate Athletic Assn. (1994) 7 Cal.4th 1 and Williams v. Superior Court (2017) 3 Cal.5th 531 and considering feasible alternatives such as requiring petitioner to make diligent efforts to obtain updated contact details for patients who are potential witnesses and provide those persons

with actual notice permitting them to opt out of disclosure of their information, or

(b) In the alternative,

SHOW CAUSE before this court in its courtroom at 300 South Spring Street, Third Floor, Los Angeles, California, at a date and time to be determined, why a peremptory writ of mandate ordering you to do so should not issue.

If respondent court chooses to comply with alternative (a), then a copy of the minute order showing compliance shall be filed with this court on or before May 22, 2024.

By order of this Court.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE FRANCES ROTHSCHILD, Presiding Justice of Division One of the Court of Appeal of the State of California, Second Appellate District.

ATTEST my hand and the seal of this court this 17TH day of April 2024.

EVA McCLINTOCK, Clerk

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Sr. Deputy Clerk