

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

IN THE SMALL CLAIMS COURT

Case No: _____
Filed: _____
Served: _____
Default: _____
Hearing: _____

Susan Fox
Plaintiff

Thomas James Sheridan, IV
Folly Road Animal Hospital
Defendant

Street Address

1038 Folly Road
Street Address

Charleston _____ SC 29403
City State Zip

Charleston _____ SC 29412
City State Zip

Phone

843-762-4944
Phone

I, the plaintiff in this civil action, make the following claim against the defendant:

- 1.) I believe that the defendant is a resident of Charleston County.
- 2.) Check a, b, or c to indicate the type of suit and supply documents required.
 - a. () This is a suit on a note; Two (2) copies of note attached. Defendant has defaulted in payment of said note with balance of \$ _____ now due and payable.
 - b. () This is a suite on an account; Two (2) copies of statement attached. Sign as affiant swearing to statement and have your signature notarized.

SWORN and subscribed before me this

14th day of February 2007

Jessica L. O'Hair

Attached to this complaint is a statement of account which I swear to be true and correct, with no part of the balance having been paid.

NOTARY PUBLIC, State of South Carolina
My Commission Expires: 10/5/2015

Susan Fox

Affiant's Signature (Plaintiff)

c. (X) OTHER. This is a claim based on the following facts: (Describe Complaint)

Malicious Prosecution

Unfair Trade Practices Act

Attorney Fees

Pain & Suffering

Lost Wages

Veterinary Malpractice SEE ATTACHMENTS

(attach supplement if necessary)

3.) I believe because of the following information, that I am entitled to, and request a judgment for

\$ 7,500.00 and/or other relief:

(Include any costs resulting from this action. (Example: court costs, legal fees, interest))

I STATE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE ABOVE IS CORRECT AND TRUTHFUL.

3/14/07
Date

Susan Fox
Signature of Plaintiff or Attorney

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
 COUNTY OF CHARLESTON)
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 SUSAN FOX)
 Plaintiff)
 vs)
)
 THOMAS J SHERIDAN, IV DVM)
 FOLLY ROAD ANIMAL)
 HOSPITAL, INC)
 Defendant)

IN THE SMALL CLAIMS COURT

COMPLAINT
 Malicious Prosecution
 Unfair Trade Practices Act
 Attorney Fees
 Pain & Suffering
 Lost Wages
 Veterinary Malpractice

On Thursday, June 22, 2006, I, Susan Fox, the plaintiff was arrested for harassment after a warrant was issued through Magistrate Brian Rawl on May 11, 2006 by Thomas Sheridan, IV, DVM, a licensed veterinarian in the State of South Carolina. Dr. Sheridan is the owner of Folly Road Animal Hospital, 1038 Folly Road, Charleston, SC 29412. Attached are copies of the warrant and affidavit. As you can clearly see, the warrant was not obtained through the proper authority. My home was surrounded by armed deputies; I was hauled out of my house in chains and spent the night (17.5 Hours) in Charleston County Detention Center. I was released on a personal recognizance bond the following morning.

South Carolina Law Article 17 Harassment and Stalking, Section 16-3-1700. Definitions:

(A) "Harassment in the first degree "means a pattern of intentional, substantial, and unreasonable intrusion into the *private life* of a targeted person that serves no legitimate purpose and causes the person and would cause a reasonable person on his position to suffer mental or emotional distress.

The telephone call on September 10, 2005 was made to Folly Road Animal Hospital to request my pet's records. I made reference to this call in an email (copy attached) to South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation Investigator, P. C. Fagile on September 30, 2005 which ended in Sheridan cursing me and slamming down the telephone. The telephone call on January 14, 2006 was also made to the Folly Road Animal Hospital and was another request for my pet's records. A previous written request for my pet's records was made on July 26, 2004 (copy attached). This is a clear violation of the South Carolina Labor & Licensing Board, South Carolina Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners law governing Patient Records and X-Ray Release, Reference: Section 6.2. I have attached a copy of this law. I have also attached a copy of the letter to Paul Patrick, DVM requesting all of "Cootie" records and the only records he has on file are for authorized euthanasia.

I appeared in Magistrate David Coker's court on August 30, 2006 and was found not guilty. Attached is a copy of the disposition for that hearing. Sheridan had filed a complaint for a restraining order against me on January 19, 2006 which was heard on February 2, 2006. Unprovoked and with no violation of the order he initiated a warrant for my arrest.

As a result of the actions, I have experienced humiliation, pain, suffering, and lost wages. My position with my employer and reputation of excellence in the work place was compromised. I faced losing my job along with benefits including life, health, dental, vision insurance, and 401K following the arrest and erroneous charges.

I had to hire an attorney for representation and have suffered financial hardship as a result. Attached is a copy of the contract for payment for legal representation.

Dr. Sheridan abused and neglected my cat "Cootie" while she was boarding at his facility. My beloved pet was returned to me completely covered in her own feces and urine. I have attached all documents related to the abuse.

Sheridan is no stranger to controversy. Attached are numerous public documents which chronicle Sheridan's "reputation".