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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
IN AND FOR LEE COUNTY, FLORIDA**

DANICE ECHGELMEIER,

Case No. 18-CA-003523

Plaintiff,

v.

PLACETA RANCH, LLC,
MATADERO MI BANDERA, LLC,
ROMAN HERNANDEZ, DANIA
HERNANDEZ, IVAN ALBERTO
HERNANDEZ-MAGRIGAL,
AYMEE MESA, FRANCISCO
CABRERA RAMIREZ, MILAIDYS
RAMIREZ, , ALEXANDER
BASTIDA CRUZ, and OSMANI
TOLEDO SUAREZ,

Defendants.

FINAL JUDGMENT

ENTERING PERMANENT INJUNCTION AS TO ALL REMAINING DEFENDANTS

THIS CAUSE came to be heard on August 26, 2019 Plaintiff DANICE ECHGELMEIER's Motion for Entry of Final Judgment Against Defendants PLACETA RANCH, LLC, MATADERO MI BANDERA, LLC, ROMAN HERNANDEZ, DANIA HERNANDEZ, AYMEE MESA OSMANI TOLEDO SUAREZ and Plaintiff's Motion for Final Summary Judgment against Defendants FRANCISCO CABRERA RAMIREZ and MILAIDYS RAMIREZ.

The Court, after reviewing the Complaint and the affidavits submitted in support of both motions, hearing argument of counsel for the Plaintiff, and considering the Defaulted Defendants' failure to file any paper as required by law and the absence of any Defendant at the

Court-ordered Status Hearing, hereby renders this Final Judgment, and finds as follows:

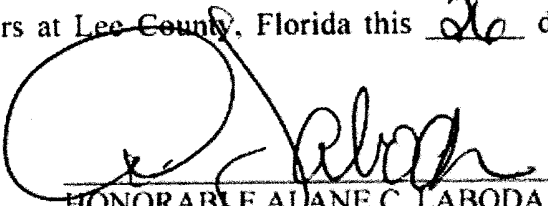
1. Defendants' operations violate Florida's anti-animal cruelty laws, including the Humane Slaughter Act, and/or Florida's horsemeat sale law, and therefore constitute a public nuisance.
2. Defendants' slaughterhouse operations constitute a private nuisance to Plaintiff.

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that:

1. Defendants are permanently enjoined from engaging in any activity in connection with unlicensed, illegal slaughterhouse operations, including:
 - a. the possession of animals;
 - b. the sale of live animals; and
 - c. the slaughtering of animals.

EACH PARTY SHALL BEAR THEIR OWN FEES AND COSTS OF THIS ACTION.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Lee County, Florida this 26 day of August, 2019.


HONORABLE ALANE C. LABODA
CIRCUIT COURT

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