IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

BUSINESS AND PROPERTY COURTS OF ENGLAND AND WALES

BUSINESS LIST (ChD)

Mr Justice Trower

6 December 2024

BETWEEN:



THE CHANCELLOR, MASTERS, AND SCHOLARS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

Claimant

-and-

- (1) PERSONS UNKNOWN WHO ARE OCCUPYING GREENWICH HOUSE AND HAVE ACCESSED AREAS WITHIN GREENWICH HOUSE WHERE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION IS HELD AND THREATNENING OR INTENDING TO RELEASE THE INFORMATION THEREBY OBTAINED
- (2) PERSONS UNKNOWN WHO HAVE ACCESSED, COPIED, PHOTOGRAPHED, SCANNED OR OTHERWISE OBTAINED DOCUMENTS FROM GREENWICH HOUSE WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE CLAIMANT

Defendant

PENAL NOTICE

IF YOU THE DEFENDANTS DISOBEY THIS ORDER YOU MAY BE HELD TO BE IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND MAY BE IMPRISONED OR FINED OR HAVE YOUR ASSETS SEIZED

ANY PERSON WHO KNOWS OF THIS ORDER AND DOES ANYTHING WHICH HELPS OR PERMITS ANY PERSON TO WHOM THIS ORDER APPLIES TO BREACH THE TERMS OF THIS ORDER MAY BE HELD TO BE IN CONTEMPT OF COURT AND MAY BE IMPRISONED, FINED OR HAVE THEIR ASSETS SEIZED

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UPON HEARING the Claimant's application for injunctive relief against the Defendants Persons Unknown without notice

AND UPON the Court hearing the application in private having been satisfied that pursuant to CPR 39.2 (3) (a) and (c) it was necessary for the Court to sit in private

AND UPON hearing Counsel for the Claimant, Caroline Bolton

AND UPON reading the supporting witness evidence in Confidential Schedule 1

AND UPON the Court considering the provision of s.12 of the Human Rights Act 1998 and the service of documents provisions in this Order

AND UPON the Claimant undertaking that it will comply with any order for compensation which the Court might make in the event that the Court later finds that the injunction in paragraph 1 of this Order has caused loss to a future Defendant in these proceedings and the Court finds that the future Defendant ought to be compensated for that loss

AND UPON the Claimant undertaking to issue its Claim as soon as is reasonably practicable

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Defendants must not use, publish or communicate or disclose to any other person (other than (i) by way of disclosure to legal advisers instructed in relation to these proceedings for the purpose of obtaining legal advice in relation to these proceedings or (ii) for the purposes of carrying this Order into effect) any documentation or information derived from or copied from documentation accessed or obtained during the course of the occupation of Greenwich House (the **Information**), the occupation of Greenwich House having commenced on 22 November 2024.
- 2. Any Defendants who are at the date of this Order in the building known as Greenwich House, Madingley Rise, Cambridge, CB3 0TX as marked on the attached plan at Annex 1A deliver up to the Claimant's solicitors the **Information** in their possession, custody or control before leaving Greenwich House and in any event by no later than 4.30pm on Monday 9 December 2024.
- 3. Any Defendant who are at the date of this Order in the building known as Greenwich House, Madingley Rise, Cambridge, CB3 0TX as marked on the attached plan at Annex 1A deliver up to the Claimant's solicitors and/or delete any electronic copies of the

- documents they have made of the **Information** in their possession, custody or control by no later than 4.30pm on Friday 13th December 2024.
- 4. Any Defendants who at the date of this Order has left Greenwich House Madingley Rise, Cambridge, CB3 0TX as marked on the attached plan at Annex 1A deliver up to the Claimant's solicitors and/or delete any copies that they have made of the **Information** in their possession, custody or control by no later than 4.30pm on Friday 13th December 2024.
- 5. The Defendants must by 4.30pm on 20 December 2024 provide to the Claimant's solicitors a witness statement with a statement of truth explaining: (i) that they have delivered up and/or deleted and/or destroyed the Information and explaining how they have done so; and (ii) giving details about whether they have passed any of the Information to a third party and identifying any said third party and their contact details.

Access to Documents

- 6. Upon the Judge being satisfied that it is strictly necessary:
 - 6.1 no copies of the confidential schedule to any statements of case or any order; and
 - 6.2 no copies of the confidential witness statements or confidential schedules or exhibits to the application and to the skeleton arguments,
 - will be provided to a non-party without further order of the Court.
- 7. Any non-party, other than a person notified or served with the Order, seeking access to, or copies of the abovementioned documents, must make an application to the Court, proper notice of which must be given to the Claimant via their solicitors.

Service of Documents

8. The Claimant have permission to serve this Order and any other documents for this application on the Defendants by affixing at least one copy of this Order (excluding confidential schedule 1) in a prominent position on the main door to Greenwich House and uploading a copy of the same to the Claimant's website; and unless and until the Defendants provide to the Claimant's solicitors their full name and address and apply to be joined to the proceedings as a named Defendant, the Claimant is only required to

serve on, or provide to, the Defendants this Order excluding Confidential Schedules 1. In the event that a Defendant provides to the Claimant their full name and address, the Claimant shall serve on the Defendants the Order with an appropriately redacted copy of Confidential Schedules 1.

Protection of Hearing Papers

- 9. The Defendants must not publish or communicate or disclose or copy or cause to be published or communicated or disclosed or copied any statements of case and any schedules, witness statements and exhibits thereto and information contained therein that are made, or may subsequently be made, in support of the Application (the Hearing Papers), provided that the Defendants shall be permitted to copy, disclose and deliver the Hearing Papers to the Defendant's legal advisers for the purpose of these proceedings.
- 10. The Hearing Papers must be preserved in a secure place by the Defendants and/or by the Defendants legal advisers on the Defendants' behalf.
- 11. The Defendants shall be permitted to use the Hearing Papers for the purpose of these proceedings provided that the Defendants' legal advisers shall first inform anyone to whom the said documents are disclosed of the terms of this Order and, so far as is practicable, obtain their written confirmation that they understand and accept that they are bound by the same.

Return Date

12. This injunction will be reconsidered at a hearing listed for 13th December 2024 with a time estimate of 2 hours.

Costs

13. The costs of this application are reserved.

Variation or Discharge of this Order

14. The parties or anyone affected by any of the restrictions in this Order may apply to the Court at any time to vary or discharge this Order (or so much of it as affects that person), but they must first give written notice to the Claimant's solicitors. If any evidence is to

be relied upon in support of the application, the substance of it must be communicated in writing to the Claimant's solicitors in advance. The Defendants may agree with the Claimant's solicitors and any other persons who is, or may be bound by this Order, that this Order should be varied or discharged, but any agreement must be in writing.

Interpretation of this Order

- 15. A defendant who is an individual who is ordered not to do something must not do it himself or in any other way. He must not do it through others acting on his behalf or in his instructions or with his encouragement.
- 16. A Defendant which is not an individual which is ordered not to do something must not do it itself or by its directors, officers, partners, employees or agents or in any other way.

Name and Address of the Claimant's Legal Representatives

17. The Claimant's solicitors are Mills & Reeve, Botanic House, 100 Hills Road, Cambridge CB2 1PH Email: MillsReeve100@mills-reeve.com

Communications with the Court

18. All communications to the Court about this Order should be sent to the Rolls Building at 7 Rolls Buildings, Fetter Lane, London EC4A 1NL. The telephone number is 020 79476690. The email address is ChanceryJudgesListing@justice.gov.uk. The offices are open between 10am and 4pm Monday to Friday.

