

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO

Civil Action No. 1:22-cv-00118-DDD-STV

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

PAUL A. GARCIA; and  
OFFICE GURU FRANCHISE GROUP, INC.,

Defendants.

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DEFAULT JUDGMENT

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In accordance with the orders filed during the pendency of this case, and pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 58(a), the following Final Judgment is hereby entered.

Pursuant to and in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 58(a) and the Order Adopting Report and Recommendation and Granting Motion for Default Judgment, filed May 10, 2023, by the Honorable Daniel D. Domenico, United States District Judge, and incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth, it is hereby

ORDERED that Magistrate Judge Varholak's Report and Recommendation (Doc. 50) is ACCEPTED and ADOPTED. It is further

ORDERED that default judgment is hereby entered in favor of Plaintiff, United States Securities and Exchange Commission, and against Defendants, Paul A. Garcia and Office Guru Franchise Group, Inc., on Plaintiff's Motion for Default Judgment. It is further

ORDERED that the SEC's request for an order that Mr. Garcia and Office Guru disgorge, on a joint and several basis, all ill-gotten gains plus prejudgment interest, for a total amount of \$133,392.85, is GRANTED. It is further

ORDERED that the SEC's request that the Court impose a civil penalty upon Mr. Garcia is GRANTED IN PART, for a penalty in the amount of \$123,282.43.

ORDERED that post-judgment interest shall accrue on the total amount of \$256,675.28 at the legal rate pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1961 from the date of entry of judgment.

DATED at Denver, Colorado this 10th day of May, 2023.

FOR THE COURT:

JEFFREY P. COLWELL, CLERK

*s/ Robert R. Keech*

Robert R. Keech,  
Deputy Clerk