

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

WIGBERTO LUGO-MENDER, as Trustee
for Euro Pacific International Bank, Inc.

Plaintiff,

v.

QENTA, INC.; ET AL.

Defendants.

CIVIL NO. 25-1501 (PAD)

ORDER

Before the court is plaintiffs' "Emergency Motion Requesting Hearing for Provisional Remedies, Including Temporary Restraining Order, to Secure Satisfaction of Judgment" (Docket No. 2). Plaintiff failed to comply with Fed. R. Civ. P. 64(b)(1)(B).¹ Accordingly, the request for a Temporary Restraining Order (TRO) is denied. Nonetheless, plaintiff's arguments will be addressed expeditiously.

To this end, plaintiff shall file the corresponding summons forms not later than today, **September 17, 2025**. The clerk shall issue the requested summons forthwith. On or before noontime on **September 22, 2025**, plaintiff shall serve process upon defendants with copies of all filings in this case, including this Order. On that same day, plaintiff shall also certify that process has been served. Defendants shall respond to plaintiff's provisional remedies requests by **September 26, 2025**, and answer or otherwise plead by no later than **September 29, 2025**. Failure to do so without just cause may result in granting the relief requested.

¹ "The court may issue a temporary restraining order without written or oral notice to the adverse party or its attorney only if: . . . the movant's attorney certifies in writing any efforts made to give notice and the reasons why it should not be required."

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Meanwhile, the case is referred to U.S. Magistrate Judge Giselle López-Soler to (1) determine whether an attachment or prohibition of transfer under Puerto Rico Rule 56.4 is warranted and, if so, to issue a Report and Recommendation to that effect; if not, then (2) hold the hearings she deems necessary on the provisional remedies requested in the complaint; and (3) issue a Report and Recommendation. The U.S. Magistrate Judge shall feel at liberty to manage pre-hearing discovery and enter any orders she deems necessary on the provisional remedies issue including but not limited to further briefing.

SO ORDERED.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 17th day of September 2025.

s/Pedro A. Delgado-Hernández

PEDRO A. DELGADO-HERNÁNDEZ

United States District Judge