

**SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK**  
*Appellate Division, Fourth Judicial Department*

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**CA 24-00697**

PRESENT: WHALEN, P.J., CURRAN, GREENWOOD, NOWAK, AND KEANE, JJ.

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JEROME PAUL WILLIAMS, PLAINTIFF-APPELLANT,

V

ORDER

HOGANWILLIG, PLLC, COREY J. HOGAN, ESQ.,  
STEVEN G. WISEMAN, ESQ., STEVEN M. COHEN, ESQ.,  
DEFENDANTS-RESPONDENTS,  
ET AL., DEFENDANTS.

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LAW OFFICES OF JOHN P. BARTOLOMEI & ASSOCIATES, NIAGARA FALLS (MATTHEW  
J. BIRD OF COUNSEL), FOR PLAINTIFF-APPELLANT.

TIVERON LAW PLLC, AMHERST (EDWARD P. YANKELUNAS OF COUNSEL), FOR  
DEFENDANTS-RESPONDENTS.

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Appeal from an amended order of the Supreme Court, Niagara County (Edward Pace, J.), entered October 19, 2023. The amended order, insofar as appealed from, granted those parts of the motion of defendants HoganWillig, PLLC, Corey J. Hogan, Esq., Steven G. Wiseman, Esq., and Steven M. Cohen, Esq. for summary judgment seeking to dismiss plaintiff's first through third causes of action and claims for punitive damage and attorney's fees, and for summary judgment on their second counterclaim and denied that part of the cross-motion of plaintiff seeking summary judgment.

It is hereby ORDERED that the amended order so appealed from is unanimously affirmed without costs.

Entered: December 20, 2024

Ann Dillon Flynn  
Clerk of the Court