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PLAINTIFF(S) Tobey's LLC		
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ALBEMARLE COUNTY

Robert Schilling,)
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Tobey Bouch,)
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Tobey's, LLC,)
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Plaintiffs,	·)
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V) Case No
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Ralph S. Northam,	.)
in his official capacity as)
Governor of Virginia,	.)
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M. Norman Oliver,)
in his official capacity as)
State Health Commissioner,)
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Mark Herring,	
in his official capacity as)
Attorney General of Virginia,)
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Defendants.)
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COMPLAINT FOR DECLARATORY AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF

NOW COME Robert Schilling, Tobey Bouch, and Tobey's LLC, and allege the following:

- 1. This suit arises out of Executive Order Number 63 (2020), promulgated by the Governor and the State Health Commissioner on May 26, 2020, with an effective date of May 29, 2020.
- 2. Executive Order Number 63 purports, by its own terms, to create criminal penalties for "willful violation or refusal, failure, or neglect to comply with" its terms. Such refusal, according to the Order, is "punishable as a Class 1 misdemeanor pursuant to § 32.1-27 of the Code of Virginia."

- 3. Executive Order Number 63 further purports to be enforceable by Virginia Department of Health and/or the State Health Commissioner.
- 4. Among other things, Executive Order 63 purports to require:
 - a) "All patrons in the Commonwealth aged ten and over...when entering, exiting, traveling through, and spending time inside" certain businesses to "cover their mouth and nose with a face covering, as described and recommended by the CDC."
 - b) "All employees of essential retail businesses" to "wear a face covering whenever working in customer facing areas."
- 5. Plaintiffs bring this suit pursuant to Va. Code § 8.01-184, seeking declaratory judgment because the terms of the Executive Order contradict with other laws that apply to them, and possibly subject them to contradictory governmental mandates, some of which give rise to civil liability, civil penalties, or even criminal penalties.
- 6. The Governor and other state employees under his authority have given numerous public statements which contradict the express terms of Executive Order No. 63. The Governor and these employees acting on his orders have variously suggested either that the order will not be enforced at all or will be enforced only in "egregious" circumstances.

 However, as the U.S. District Court for the District of Maine recently held in *Bayley's Campground, Inc. et al. v. Mills* (Case 2:20-cv-00176-LEW), Doc. 20, fn. 1, a governor's order is either "an executive order enforceable by criminal penalties or it is a sincere suggestion, but it cannot be both. And to signal to an uncertain public that it is officially the former without clarifying what makes a 'violation' runs counter to the most basic

- tenets of due process; to wit, to give fair notice in plain language precisely what conduct constitutes a criminal act."
- 7. The Governor has also failed to explain why his order applies to some locations but not to others. As the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit Recently held in *Maryville Baptist Church, Inc. et al. v. Beshear*, Case No. No. 20-5427 (Opinion issued May 2, 2020, designated for publication), "Why can someone safely walk down a grocery store aisle but not a pew? And why can someone safely interact with a brave deliverywoman but not with a stoic minister? The Commonwealth has no good answers. While the law may take periodic naps during a pandemic, we will not let it sleep through one."
- 8. This Court should not allow the laws of Virginia or her Constitution to sleep through the current pandemic. Not should this Court force the citizens of Virginia to choose whether they will follow the vague and often contradictory public statements of the governor, his Executive Order, or the Code of Virginia as they decide how to dress each day. Plaintiffs turn to this Court seeking declaratory relief because they need certainty about what laws they must follow in these trying times.

THE PARTIES

- 9. The first-named Plaintiff in this matter is Robert Schilling. Mr. Schilling is a resident and domiciliary of Albemarle County, and frequently patronizes retail and other establishments purportedly covered by Executive Order Number 63.
- 10. The second-named Plaintiff in this matter is Tobey Bouch. Mr. Bouch is a resident and domiciliary of Albemarle County and frequently patronizes retail and other establishments purportedly covered by Executive Order Number 63. Additionally, he is a member of

- Tobey's LLC, which is a business entity that operates pawn shops in both the City of Charlottesville and Albemarle County.
- 11. Tobey's LLC, is a business entity that operates pawn shops in both the City of
 Charlottesville and Albemarle County. It is subject to federal and state labor laws. It holds
 a Federal Firearms License and deals in firearms as part of its lawful commerce.
- 12. Ralph Northam is the Governor of Virginia and promulgated Executive Order No. 63.
- 13. M. Norman Oliver is the State Health Commissioner. His signature also appears on Executive Order Number 63 and the order is also promulgated, at least in part, based on authority he claims to hold under Virginia Law.
- 14. Mark Herring is the Attorney General of Virginia. He has the power to enforce the provisions of Executive Order No. 63 and various laws of the Commonwealth pursuant to various provisions of the Code of Virginia, including by instituting proceedings in the Circuit Court upon request of the Governor. See Va. Code § 2.2-511. Pursuant to Va. Code § 2.2-506, the Attorney General is required to defend any Commonwealth's Attorney "in any proceedings brought against him seeking to restrain the enforcement of any state law."
- 15. James Hingeley is the Commonwealth's Attorney of Albemarle County. Pursuant to Va. Code § 15.2-1627 (B), he has "the duty of prosecuting all warrants, indictments or informations charging a felony, and he may in his discretion, prosecute Class 1, 2 and 3 misdemeanors, or any other violation, the conviction of which carries a penalty of confinement in jail, or a fine of \$500 or more, or both such confinement and fine.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 16. This Court has jurisdiction pursuant to Va. Code § 17.1-513 and Va. Code § 8.01-184.
- 17. Venue in this Court is proper according to the principles set forth in Va. Code § 8.01-257.

- 18. Venue is proper in this Court pursuant to Va, Code § 8.01-261 because:
 - a) Robert Schilling and Tobey Bouch are residents and domiciliaries of Albemarle County, seeking review of an "order" which governs their activities within Albemarle County.
 - b) Tobey's LLC is a business that operates in Albemarle County, and seeks review of an "order" which governs its activities in Albemarle County.
 - c) James Hingeley is an officer of the Commonwealth and "has his official office" in Albemarle County.
 - d) Any enforcement action which this court might enjoin "is to be done, or being done, or is apprehended to be done" in Albemarle County.

VIRGINIA LAWS RELATING TO MASKS

- 19. Prior to the outbreak of COVID-19, in response to a tragic history of violence, often including racially-charged intimidation, in the Commonwealth of Virginia, the General Assembly criminalized the wearing "any mask, hood or other device whereby a substantial portion of the face is hidden or covered so as to conceal the identity of the wearer." Va. Code § 18.2-422.
- 20. Va. Code § 18.2-422 penalizes such unlawful mask-wearing as a class 6 felony, with certain exceptions, including:
 - (i) wearing traditional holiday costumes;
 - (ii) engag[ing] in professions, trades, employment or other activities and wearing protective masks which are deemed necessary for the physical safety of the wearer or other persons;
 - (iii) engag[ing] in any bona fide theatrical production or masquerade ball; or

- (iv) wearing a mask, hood or other device for bona fide medical reasons upon:
 - (a) the advice of a licensed physician or osteopath and carrying on his person an affidavit from the physician or osteopath specifying the medical necessity for wearing the device and the date on which the wearing of the device will no longer be necessary and providing a brief description of the device, or
 - (b) the declaration of a disaster or state of emergency by the Governor in response to a public health emergency where the emergency declaration expressly waives this section, defines the mask appropriate for the emergency, and provides for the duration of the waiver.
- 21. An attempt to commit a Class 6 felony is punishable as a Class 6 felony pursuant to Va. Code § 18.2-26. Accessories and co-conspirators in the commission of a Class 6 felony are subject to criminal penalties pursuant to Va. Code § 18.2-22.
- 22. None of the exceptions found in Va. Code § 18.2-422 apply to the individual Plaintiffs.

 They are not celebrating Halloween. Their professions are not associated with safety hazards requiring the wearing of a mask. They are not engaged in theater or any masquerade. They do not possess an affidavit from any medical professional which establishes a medical necessity for them to wear a mask. Lastly, the Governor has never "expressly waived" Va. Code § 18.2-422 or defined what mask he believes is appropriate, except with vague reference to CDC guidelines.¹
- 23. As such, Plaintiffs reasonably fear that if they wear a mask in public or on private property, they may face felony or other charges pursuant to Va. Code § 18.2-422.

¹ Indeed, Executive Order No. 63 does not reference Va. Code § 18.2-422 at all, and the Governor has made no public statements about the effect of Va. Code § 18.2-422.

24. However, given the express terms of Executive Order No. 63, Plaintiffs also reasonably fear that if they do not wear a mask in public or on private property as required by the order, they may be prosecuted for misdemeanors or otherwise become subject to enforcement action by the Department of Health.

VIRGINIA LAW RELATING TO THE AUTHORITY OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH

- 25. Executive Order No. 63 cites, in its text, various provisions of the Virginia Code and even the Constitution of Virginia to support the proposition that the Governor, the State Health Commissioner, or both, have the authority to order members of the public to wear a mask or to penalize business owners who decline to enforce the governor's edict upon members of the public. But a review of all the legal authorities cited in Executive Order No. 63 reveals no support for the Governor's assumed authority at all.
- 26. A review of Virginia history similarly reveals no implicit authority to support Executive Order No. 63. No Governor in the history of this Commonwealth has ever claimed the unilateral authority to impose a dress code on the citizenry, under any circumstances.
- 27. Executive Order No. 63 also runs afoul of general principles of Constitutional and legislative interpretation. The Constitution of Virginia provides that "the Governor shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed." Va. Const. Art. V. §7. "The legislative power of the Commonwealth," however, is "vested in a General Assembly." Va. Const. Art. IV §1. Although the legislature can delegate power to either the governor or any administrative officer or agency," no administrative order or regulation can ever contradict the express terms of a statute. *Moore v. Brown*, 758 S.E.2d 68, 72(Va. App. 2014).

- 28. The Virginia Supreme Court has held that "It is a fundamental principle of our system of government that the rights of men are to be determined by the law itself, and not by the let or leave of administrative officers or bureaus. This principle ought not to be surrendered for convenience or in effect nullified for the sake of expediency. It is the prerogative and function of the legislative branch of the government... to determine and declare what the law shall be." *Assaid v. Roanoke*, 179 Va. 47, 50 (1942).
- 29. Here, however, Plaintiffs are faced with a stark choice. They can obey the law as set forth by legislature, which enacted Va. Code § 18.2-422. Or, they can obey the law as set forth by the Governor and the Health Commissioner, both of whom jointly promulgated Executive Order No. 63. Compliance with both the Code of Virginia and Executive Order No. 63 is difficult at best, and perhaps impossible.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

- 30. It is well-established in medical literature that surgical masks, especially masks worn for long durations, have a propensity to become colonized by bacteria.² As such, a mask worn improperly, or a mask worn for a duration in excess of a few hours, or a mask which has come into contact with the wearer's hand, may actually increase the risk of health concerns rather than serve as a protective measure.
- 31. Homemade masks have the same propensity for bacterial contamination as surgical masks, but without the proven advantages of surgical masks for preventing the spread of contagions. As the Centers for Disease control note: "homemade masks are not considered P[ersonal] P[rotective] E[quipment], since their capability to protect H[ealth] C[are]

² See, e.g., Microbial Contamination on Used Surgical Masks among Hospital Personnel and Microbial Air Quality in their Working Wards: A Hospital in Bangkok, Oman Med J. 2014 Sep; 29(5): 346–350.

- P[ersonnel] is unknown. Caution should be exercised when considering this option.

 Homemade masks should ideally be used in combination with a face shield that covers the entire front (that extends to the chin or below) and sides of the face."³
- 32. Although the Centers for Disease Control recommends homemade masks be used with "caution," the World Health Organization disagrees. "[T]he World Health Organization (WHO) states that cloth (e.g., cotton or gauze) masks are not recommended under any circumstances." Academic literature suggests that "cloth masks are only marginally beneficial in protecting individuals from particles smaller than 2.5 µm" but "due to the microscopic nature of bacteria and viruses" the WHO's "caution" against the use of cloth masks is justified.⁵
- 33. Masks have long been associated in our society with unlawful activity. From the outlaws of the Wild West, to the Klansmen of the post-bellum South, masks have often been worn to hide the identity of those engaged in unlawful activities. For this reason, numerous establishments, including banks and various retail establishments, have long established policies preventing masks from being worn on the premises.
- 34. Plaintiff Tobey Bouch is a business owner who is engaged in lawful commerce in firearms (under the auspices of co-plaintiff Tobey's LLC). Plaintiffs Bouch and Tobey's LLC are put at risk by any edict that forces them to allow mask-wearing patrons onto a

³ https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/hcp/ppe-strategy/face-masks.html (accessed May 31, 2020).

⁴ Rossettie, S., Perry, C., Pourghaed, M., & Zumwalt, M. (2020). "Effectiveness of manufactured surgical masks, respirators, and home-made masks in prevention of respiratory infection due to airborne microorganisms." *The Southwest Respiratory and Critical Care Chronicles*, 8(34), 11-26. https://doi.org/10.12746/swrccc.v8i34.675

⁵ *Id*.

- premises where firearms are sold and large sums of cash are present. Plaintiffs Bouch and Tobey's LLC fear that permitting masks on the premises will encourage criminal activity.
- 35. Plaintiffs Bouch and Tobey's LLC are not merely fearful of hypotheticals. Tobey's LLC has been burglarized in the past, and a retail establishment in neighboring Louisa County was burglarized by a patron wearing a mask on May 6, 2020.6 News reports also contain evidence that surgical masks are being used for criminal robberies in various locations nationwide, including in Santa Ana, California,7 Charlotte, North Carolina,8 and in Connecticut and New York.9
- 36. Due to safety concerns, neither Plaintiff Bouch nor Tobey's LLC would require masks to be worn on the premises of Tobey's LLC but for Executive Order No. 63.
- 37. There is no data that proves society-wide face masking prevents communicable disease. As the Center for Infectious Disease Research and Policy at the University of Minnesota notes, "We do not recommend requiring the general public who do not have symptoms of COVID-19-like illness to routinely wear cloth or surgical masks." The Center further specifically states that "[t]here is no scientific evidence they are effective in reducing the risk of SARS-CoV-2 transmission." 10

⁶ https://www.nbc29.com/2020/05/16/louisa-police-department-makes-arrest-melon-head-convenience-store-robbery/ (accessed May 31, 2020).

⁷ https://losangeles.cbslocal.com/2020/05/14/coronavirus-santa-ana-robberies-increase-suspects-face-covering-orders/ (accessed May 31, 2020).

⁸ https://www.charlotteobserver.com/news/local/crime/article242049866.html (accessed May 31, 2020).

⁹ https://www.insider.com/coronavirus-armed-robbers-use-face-masks-to-hold-up-stores-2020-5 (accessed May 31, 2020).

¹⁰ https://www.cidrap.umn.edu/news-perspective/2020/04/commentary-masks-all-covid-19-not-based-sound-data

- 38. Due to personal concern about the unhealthy consequences of wearing masks which may have been colonized by bacteria, and given the lack of medical literature suggesting masks are effective in reducing the transmission of COVID-19, neither Plaintiff Bouch nor Tobey's LLC would require masks to be worn on the premises of Tobey's LLC but for Executive Order No. 63. Due to his review of the medical literature, Plaintiff Schilling would not wear a mask if not legally required to do so by applicable law.
- 39. The Plaintiffs are thus put in an impossible situation. Plaintiffs Bouch and Schilling are told by the Governor that they must wear a mask pursuant to Executive Order No. 63, despite the fact that there is no such evidence that such masks are effective in reducing the risk of SARS-CoV-2 infections, despite the fact that such masks are proven to be colonized over time by dangerous bacteria, and despite the fact that wearing a mask may subject them to criminal prosecution for a Class 6 felony.
- 40. Plaintiff Tobey's LLC fears that if it mandates its employees or customers wear such masks, especially given the bacteriological risks that have been widely publicized, it may be held liable if any employees or customers subsequently become ill as a result of a bacterial infection. Plaintiff Tobey's LLC further fears that if it mandates wearing masks, and if such a mandate facilitates criminal activity which victimizes customers or employees of the store, Tobey's LLC may become liable for damages to such customers or employees. However, Tobey's LLC also fears that failure to comply with Executive Order No. 63 may subject it to enforcement action from the Department of Health or from the Defendants.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Given the contradictory legal edicts that the Plaintiffs face and their need for clarity regarding what laws and orders they are obliged to follow, including but not limited to whether they are obliged to wear a mask or prohibited from doing so under the laws of Virginia, Plaintiffs pray that this Court enter an order providing that:

a) The Governor's Executive Order No. 63 is unlawful and that the Plaintiffs have no civil or criminal liability arising from a failure to comply with its terms; and/or

b) The Albemarle County Commonwealth's Attorney and the Attorney General of Virginia are enjoined from enforcing Va. Code § 18.2-422 as applied to the Plaintiffs to the extent they attempt to comply with Executive Order No. 63; and/or

that the Attorney General prosecute violations of Va. Code § 18.2-422 and/or violations of Executive Order 63.

Respectfully submitted this day of June, 2020,

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