

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
FORT MYERS DIVISION

NATIONWIDE JUDGMENT
RECOVERY, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 2:22-mc-12-JLB-KCD

IGGY SANTISTEBAN,

Defendant.

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ORDER

Before the Court are two motions asking for writs of garnishment. (Doc. 21, Doc. 22.) Last year, Plaintiff Matthew Orso registered a foreign judgment against Defendant Iggy Santisteban. (Doc. 1.) Plaintiff is now seeking to attach financial accounts believed to belong to Defendant.

Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 69 provides that “[a] money judgment is enforced by a writ of execution, unless the court directs otherwise.” *Id.* The procedure for writs of execution is governed by state law. *Id.* Florida law provides that a judgment creditor may request the clerk of court to issue a writ of garnishment to satisfy a judgment. Fla. Stat. § 77.01. Florida law also provides that a judgment against a debtor may be levied on tangible or intangible personal property held by a garnishee. *Id.* Plaintiff has complied

with the statutory prerequisites for obtaining the writ he seeks. Thus, the Court will direct the Clerk to issue the proposed writs of garnishment.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED**:

(1) The motions for writs of garnishment (Doc. 21, Doc. 22.) are **GRANTED**;

(2) The Clerk of Court is directed to issue the proposed writs (Doc. 21-1, Doc. 22-1.).

DONE and **ORDERED** in Fort Myers, Florida on January 27, 2023.



Kyle C. Dudek
United States Magistrate Judge

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