

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

**EVAN SINGLETON and VITO LOGRASSO,** 

Plaintiffs,

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WORLD WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENT,

Defendant.

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:15-CV-001074** 

## **AFFIDAVIT OF CHRISTOPHER NOWINSKI**

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Christopher Nowinski, declare as follows under penalty of perjury:

- 1. I was never an employee of World Wrestling Entertainment. I was an independent contractor.
- 2. After I retired from wrestling in 2003, I occasionally participated in WWE programs as an independent contractor through independent contractor agreements. As my LinkedIn profile indicates, I primarily participated in programs designed to increase youth voter turnout in political elections.
- 3. I did not work at WWE corporate headquarters as part of my participation in these programs. I did not have "regular interactions with WWE executives," as Plaintiffs assert, as part of my participation in these programs.
- 4. After 2003, I was living in Boston, MA and began doing my own independent research for the book that I eventually published in

2006, entitled *Head Games*, *Football's Concussion Crisis from the NFL to Youth Leagues*. By 2007, I was working to form a non-profit organization called the Sports Legacy Institute (now called the Concussion Legacy Foundation).

Sworn to under the pains and penalties of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct on this 20th day of June, 2016.

/s/ Christopher Nowinski

**Christopher Nowinski** 

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