

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE Northern District of Illinois – CM/ECF LIVE, Ver 6.1.1
Eastern Division**

Robert L Breuder

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.:
1:15-cv-09323
Honorable Andrea R.
Wood

Board of Trustees of Community College District No.
502, DuPage County, Illinois, et al.

Defendant.

NOTIFICATION OF DOCKET ENTRY

This docket entry was made by the Clerk on Wednesday, March 1, 2017:

MINUTE entry before the Honorable Andrea R. Wood: For the reasons stated in the accompanying Memorandum Opinion and Order, Defendant Board of Trustee's motion to dismiss [35] is denied and the Individual Defendants motion to dismiss [38] is granted in part and denied in part. With respect to the Individual Defendants motion, Plaintiffs claim for tortious interference with contract (Count V) is dismissed with prejudice. Plaintiffs claim for defamation stemming from statements made by Individual Defendants at Board meetings (in Count VI) and Plaintiffs conspiracy claim stemming from Individual Defendants involvement in tortious interference with contract and defamation relating to statements made at Board meetings (in Count III) are also dismissed with prejudice. The motion is denied with respect to Plaintiffs Due Process claims (Counts I & II), Plaintiff's defamation claims stemming from statements made by Individual Defendants to media outlets (in Count VI), Plaintiff's state law conspiracy claim stemming from Individual Defendants involvement in such alleged defamation (in Count III), Plaintiff's federal law conspiracy claims stemming from Individual Defendants alleged involvement in violating his Due Process rights (in Count III), and Plaintiff's prayer for relief seeking punitive damages against the Individual Defendants. Plaintiff's motion for leave to file surreply to Defendant Board's motion to dismiss [55] is granted. The surreply as well as the Board of Trustees' opposition (which the Court notes contains a substantive response to the content of the surreply) were duly considered by the Court in ruling on the Board's motion to dismiss. Motion by counsel to withdraw as attorney [97] is granted. Attorney Kristen E. Rau is withdrawn as counsel for Defendant Katharine Hamilton. The motion presentment date of 3/2/2017 is stricken. Parties need not appear. Status hearing set for 3/1/2017 is stricken and reset for 3/30/2017 at 9:00 AM. Mailed notice(ef,)

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