NOTICE OF CLAIM-PLAINTIFF-AS RECEIVED STATE OF NEW YORK : COURT OF CLAIMS

In the Matter of the Claim of

62894 MAR-979

GEORGE SASSOWER, Person and OF IMV Charles and an

STATE COURT OF CLAIMS Claimant. ALBAHY. N.Y.

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Notice of Claim

Westchester County

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Claimant's residence is 30 Mildred Parkway, New fold book bivities 1.

Rochelle, New York, 10804. This claim is made pursuant to section 8 of the Court of Claims Act to recover for damages and personal injuries sustained by the claimant as a result of the libel of claimant's person committed by the State of New York, its officers, agents, and/or employees.

That at all the times hereinafter mentioned the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court : Second Judicial Department was an employee of the State of New York within

the purview of the Court of Claims Act.

4. That on November 6, 1979, the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the Second Judicial Department caused to be issued irrelevant, gratuitious, and libelous statements not possibly pertinent to the issues before that Court knowing that they would thereafter be published by Lawyers Co-operative Publishing Co. and West Publishing Co. for mass distribution. Thereafter on December 11, 1979, the said Appellate Division refused to vacate the offensive verbiage and consequently the defamation of November 6, 1979 was published by West Publishing Co. on December 20, 1978 (409 N.Y.S.2d 762), and will shortly hereafter be published by Lawyer's Cooperative Publishing Co.

That as a result thereof, the claimant has been defamed in his profession, emotionally aggrieved, lost earnings, and has otherwise been damaged generally and specially and with punitive damages demands \$250,000.

That this claim is being filed within ninety days

of its accrual as required by law.

GEORGE SASSOWER, Esq. Attorney for claimant-pro se. 30 Mildred Parkway, New Rochelle, New York, 10804 -914-636-4050

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

) ss.:

GEORGE SASSOWER, first being duly sworn, deposes, and says: That he is the claimant herein and has read the foregoing Notice of Claim, that the same is true to his own knowledge except as to matters stated therein to be on information and belief and as to those matters he believes same to be true.

Sworn to before me this 5th day of March, 1979.

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