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DAWN L. HASSELL et al VS. AVA BIRD et al

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11 FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO- UNLIMITED JURISDICTION

12 DAWN HASSELL and HASSELL LAW  
13 GROUP, a P.C.

Case No. CGC-13-530525

**[PROPOSED] DEFAULT JUDGMENT IN  
FAVOR OF PLAINTIFFS**

14 Plaintiffs,

15 vs.

**Date: 01/14/14  
Dept.: 514  
Time: 9:00 a.m.**

16 AVA BIRD, and DOES 1 TO 50, inclusive,

17 Defendants.

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18 Plaintiff s' Request for Default Judgment before this Court in Department 514 on January  
19 14, 2014 at 9:00 a.m. Counsel Dawn L. Hassell and Andrew Haling appeared on behalf of  
20 Plaintiffs. After reviewing the Case Summary, Declarations, Exhibits, all supporting documents  
21 and hearing live testimony from Plaintiff DAWN HASSELL, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

22 Plaintiffs requested Default Judgment is Granted against Defendant AVA BIRD. Judgment  
23 in favor of Plaintiffs is entered in the total amount of \$ 557,918.85. This amount includes  
24 judgment in the amount of \$ 54,000.00 for past special damages, \$ 3,918.85 for past case costs, \$ 500,000.00  
25 for general damages, \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for punitive damages, and \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for interest on the award.

26 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that:

27 Plaintiffs' Request for Injunctive Relief is Granted. Defendant AVA BIRD is ordered to  
28 remove each and every defamatory review published or caused to be published by her about

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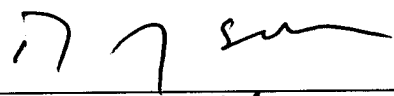
1 plaintiffs HASSELL LAW GROUP and DAWN HASSELL from Yelp.com and from anywhere  
2 else they appear on the internet within 5 business days of the date of the court's order.

3 Defendant AVA BIRD, her agents, officers, employees or representatives, or anyone acting  
4 on her behalf, are further enjoined from publishing or causing to be published any written reviews,  
5 commentary, or descriptions of DAWN HASSELL or the HASSELL LAW GROUP on Yelp.com  
6 or any other internet location or website.

7 Yelp.com is ordered to remove all reviews posted by AVA BIRD under user names  
8 "Birdzeye B." and "J.D." attached hereto as Exhibit A and any subsequent comments of these  
9 reviewers within 7 business days of the date of the court's order.

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Dated: 14 JAN 14

  
Hon. Donald J. Sullivan  
Presiding Judge

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**EXHIBIT A**



### The Hassell Law Group

★★★★★ 12 review s

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##### Birdzeye B.'s Review



Birdzeye B.  
Los Angeles, CA

★★★★★ Updated - 4/29/2013

here is an update on this review:  
dawn hassell has filed a lawsuit against me over this review i posted on yelp! she has tried to threaten, bully, intimidate, harrass me into removing the review! she actually hired another bad attorney to fight this. lol! well, looks like my original review has turned out to be truer than ever! avoid this business like the plague folks! and the staff at YELP has stepped up and is defending my right to post a review. once again, thanks YELP! and i have reported her actions to the Better Business Bureau as well, so they have a record of how she handles business. another good resource is the BBB, by the way.

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1/28/2013

well, here is another business that doesn't even deserve one star. basically, dawn hassell made a bad situation much worse for me. she told me she could help with my personal injury case from falling through a floor, then reneged on the case because her mom had a broken leg, or something like that, and that the insurance company was too much for her to handle. and all of this after i met with her office (not her personally, she was nowhere to be found) signed paperwork to 'hire' them and gained confidence in her office (due mostly to yelp reviews) so, in all fairness, i have to share my experience so others can be forewarned. she will probably not do anything for you, except make your situation worse. in fact, after signing all the paperwork with her office, like a broken record, they repeated 'DO NOT TALK TO THE INSURANCE COMPANY' over and over and over. and over and over. so i honored that and did not speak to them. but, the hassell law group didnt ever speak with the insurance company either, neglecting their said responsibilities and not living up to their own legal contract! nor did they bother to communicate with me, the client or the insurance company AT ALL. then, she dropped the case because of her mother and seeming lack of work ethic. (a good attorney wont do this, in fact, they arent supposed to) to save your case, STEER CLEAR OF THIS LAW FIRM! and research around to find a law firm with a proven track record of success, a good work ethic, competence and long term client satisfaction. there are many in the bay area and with some diligent smart interviewing, you can find a competent attorney, but this wont be one of them.

Comment from Dawn H. of The Hassell Law Group 4/29/2013

The statements in this review are simply not TRUE. My law... More »

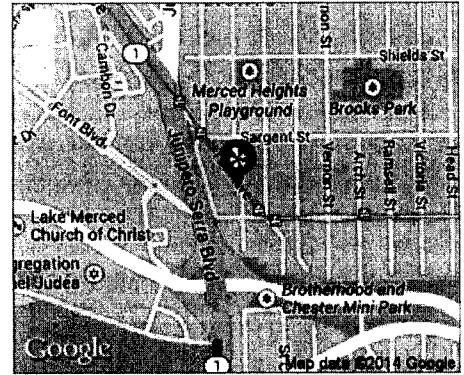
#### 12 reviews in English



Art B.  
San Francisco, CA

★★★★★ 4/20/2012

There are some things in life you don't really learn about until they happen to you. Getting injured due to someone else's negligence, making it necessary for you to deal with insurance companies, claims, liability etc. is one of those things. It happened to me on a fall I took on some bad sidewalk. What I know now is this: when something like this happens pause before you make your first call; don't call your mom, don't call your significant other, don't even call the ambulance call an attorney. And my suggestion is that the Hassell Law Group should be that call. Heck if this ever happens to me again I'm calling her before I even get off the ground. Really. The thing you come to understand is that very small things, some of which make perfect common sense, can come back to bite you in the ass. Insurance companies might seem like they are pleasant and your friend, but in the end their only goal is to



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### 10 reviews for The Hassell Law Group that are not currently recommended

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J D.  
Alameda, CA  
0 friends  
1 review

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ 2/6/2013

Did not like the fact that they charged me their client to make COPIES, send out FAXES, POSTAGE, AND FOR MAKING PHONE CALLS about my case!!! Isn't that your job. That's just ridiculous!!! They Deducted all those expenses out of my settlement.



K S.  
San Mateo, CA  
0 friends  
2 reviews

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ 4/9/2013

I had a very positive experience with the Hassell Law Group. I found them via these Yelp reviews, and interviewed a number of other lawyers before engaging with them. For our first meeting, Dawn Hassell met me at a coffee shop near my home. Unlike some other lawyers that I spoke to, she did not sugar coat the process ahead. It was important that my lawyer provide me with realistic expectations, and an understanding of each step. In these regards Dawn and her team came through very well. There were some unexpected setbacks during the case, which were handled with diligence and strategic thinking. They engaged me at each step, explained our options, and followed my instructions (even when we differed on the path to take). An advantage of working with this team is that IT IS A TEAM. I worked with at least 4-separate attorneys at the firm, each responsible for making sure the different portions of the case moved forward as needed. I had 3-attorneys from the firm present at my settlement conference, to make my case and provide input on all available options. The case resolved positively before trial, and I have personally recommended the Hassell Law Group to two other people involved in personal injury matters.



Nicole M.  
Daly City, CA  
0 friends  
2 reviews

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ 2/20/2013

for the past 10 years the Hassell Law Group has handled several claims for me, and to start with I am a paraplegic (wheelchair bound) person, I have had a few attorneys in the past and none of them can compare to the Hassell law firm, the office is wheelchair accessible, and i was treated with great respect the office also have a accessible restroom and kitchen area, and the coffee is good first class all the way. Ms. Hassell got me a great settlement on all my claims, everytime I called the office they answered the telephone and that is an issue with most attorneys but with ms Hassell office you can always reach them and they take out the time to answer any questions about your claim that you have and believe me I worried them alot and they were always patient with me, words just cannot express how great this law firm is I would say the Hassell Law firm is in the top 5 in sanfrancisco and I mean at the top. If you really need someone to take care of you and really care about getting you the best help with your claim it is this law firm, i see you have read a couple of bad reviews, dont believe them hire the Hassell Law Group and all of your prayers will be answered. and I just want to say thank you to all the Hassell Law Attorneys for all of your help you are the best.



Rose H.  
San Francisco, CA  
0 friends  
31 reviews

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ 2/13/2013

Dawn Hassell and the Hassell Law Group are amazing. They took my case and handled it professionally and efficiently. For me it was less about the money and more about the principle. I have referred the Hassell group to several people and always with amazing results. They care and it shows.  
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