



*Fourth Court of Appeals*  
*San Antonio, Texas*

June 17, 2020

No. 04-19-00488-CV

Robert **DUNLAP**,  
Appellant

v.

Charles **TROIS**,  
Appellee

From the 73rd Judicial District Court, Bexar County, Texas  
Trial Court No. 2019-CI-00955  
Honorable Mary Lou Alvarez, Judge Presiding

**O R D E R**

On May 20, 2020, appellant filed a "Motion for Summary Judgment in Favor of Appellant," arguing he was entitled to a judgment of \$500,000,000 because "[t]he response from the Appellee did not rebut a single claim or deny a single claim made therefore they have conceded." A motion for summary judgment is a pretrial motion that must be filed in the trial court before the trial court enters a final judgment. *See* TEX. R. CIV. P. 166a. Accordingly, we **DENY** the motion, and instead construe the filing as a reply brief so that any substantive arguments may be considered when the appeal is set for submission.

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Beth Watkins, Justice

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said court on this 17th day of June, 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael A. Cruz".  
Michael A. Cruz, Clerk of Court