

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
Appellate Division, Fourth Judicial Department

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CA 24-00514

PRESENT: LINDLEY, J.P., CURRAN, BANNISTER, SMITH, AND NOWAK, JJ.

DIONA PATTERSON, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS
ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF HEYWARD
PATTERSON, ET AL., PLAINTIFFS-RESPONDENTS.

V

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

META PLATFORMS, INC., FORMERLY KNOWN AS
FACEBOOK, INC., ET AL., DEFENDANTS,
AND MEAN L.L.C., DEFENDANT-APPELLANT.
(APPEAL NO. 2.)

RENZULLI LAW FIRM, LLP, WHITE PLAINS (JEFFREY M. MALSCH OF COUNSEL),
FOR DEFENDANT-APPELLANT.

LAW OFFICE OF JOHN V. ELMORE, P.C., BUFFALO (KRISTEN ELMORE-GARCIA OF
COUNSEL), BELLUCK LAW, LLP, NEW YORK CITY, AND GIFFORDS LAW CENTER TO
PREVENT GUN VIOLENCE, FOR PLAINTIFFS-RESPONDENTS.

Appeal from an order of the Supreme Court, Erie County (Paula L. Feroletto, J.), entered February 9, 2024. The order denied the motion of defendant MEAN L.L.C. to dismiss the complaint against it.

It is hereby ORDERED that the order so appealed from is unanimously affirmed without costs.

Same memorandum as in *Salter v Meta Platforms, Inc.* ([appeal No. 1] – AD3d – [July 25, 2025] [4th Dept 2025]).

Entered: July 25, 2025

Ann Dillon Flynn
Clerk of the Court