

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

ELECTRONIC PRIVACY INFORMATION CENTER,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	Case No. 06-cv-0096 (RCL)
)	
v.)	
)	
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION, et al.,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	Case No. 06-cv-00214 (RCL)
)	
v.)	
)	
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,)	
)	CONSOLIDATED CASES
Defendant.)	

**DEFENDANT’S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE SURREPLY IN OPPOSITION
TO PLAINTIFFS’ MOTION TO ALTER OR AMEND THE JUDGMENT**

Defendant respectfully requests leave to file the attached Surreply In Opposition to Plaintiffs’ Motion to Alter or Amend the Judgment. Plaintiffs’ motion (ECF No. 93) was a mere two paragraphs long, devoid of any reasoning. It simply contended that “the Court appears to have overlooked” the parties’ joint status report noting defendant’s agreement to reprocess documents before the Court for *in camera* review. Pls’ Mot. at 1. Plaintiffs then filed a reply brief that raised arguments not raised in their motion. Accordingly, defendant respectfully requests permission to file a short surreply brief, attached hereto, in response to the arguments raised in plaintiffs’ reply.

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 7(m), counsel for defendant conferred with counsel for plaintiffs about the filing of this motion for leave to file a surreply. Plaintiffs oppose the motion.

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