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August 23, 2010

Clerk of Court  
United States Court of Appeals  
for the Second Circuit  
Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

Re: Richardson v. Hartford Public Library  
Docket #: 10-1066 CV

To the Clerk of Court:

This letter is being submitted in lieu of the Brief of Defendant-Appellee following consultations with Deborah Holmes, Deputy Clerk and Joy Fallek, Administrative Attorney.

Counsel for the Hartford Public Library, Defendant-Appellee in the above referenced matter, is not filing a brief in opposition to the Brief for the Plaintiff-Appellant that was filed on July 19, 2010 based upon a review of the following legal authority:

***Oscar Mayer & Co. v. Evans***, 441 U.S. 750 (1979)

***EEOC v. Commercial Office Products Company***, 486 U.S. 107 (1988)

***Goodman v. Heublein, Inc.***, 645 F.2d 127 (2d Cir. 1981)

***Ericson v. City of Meriden***, 113 F. Supp. 2d 276 (D. Conn. 2000)

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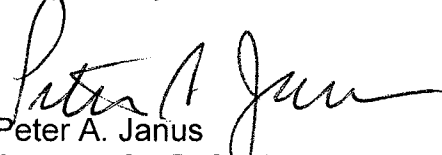
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This will certify that I have served by First Class Mail a copy of this letter to the following:

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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