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Re: Case No. 14-1722, *Richard Convertino v. David Ashenfelter, et al*
Originating Case No. : 2:07-cv-13842

Dear Counsel,

The court today announced its decision in the above-styled case.

Enclosed is a copy of the court's opinion together with the judgment which has been entered in conformity with Rule 36, Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

Yours very truly,

Deborah S. Hunt, Clerk

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cc: Mr. David J. Weaver

Enclosures

Mandate to issue.