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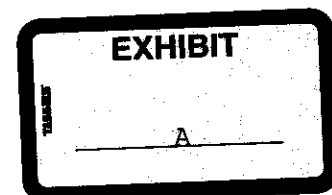
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RE: *Robert Steinbuch v. Jessica Cutler, Hyperion Books, Disney Publishing Worldwide, Home Box Office and Time Warner, United States District Court (E.D. Ark.), No 4:06-CV-0000620 WRW*

Dear Jonathan:

Thank you very much for taking the time to talk to me yesterday about your request for an extension of time to respond to HBO's and Time Warner's motions to dismiss. We very much appreciate your extending the time to respond to the complaint for an additional forty days beyond the original due date, and we are pleased to return the courtesy and agree to a 40 day extension of time for you to respond to the motions. We cannot, however, agree to an extension of some two and one-half months when we cannot fathom why such a lengthy extension is necessary to respond to motions based solely on the adequacy of the pleadings in the complaint, and you decline to explain further.

Again, HBO and Time Warner do not object to a 40-day extension of time to respond to the motion to dismiss. If this is acceptable, then you may represent to the court that you have our consent to a 40-day extension, making your responses due on October 9, 2006. If this is not acceptable, and if you choose to make a motion for an additional extension, please attach a copy of this letter to your pleading.



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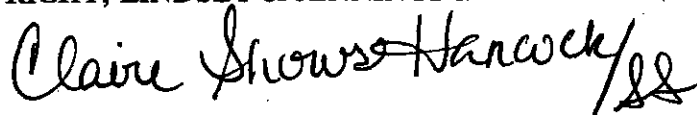
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Finally, we remain willing to consider your request for consent to a longer extension if you are willing to provide us with additional information as to why you believe it is necessary to respond to HBO's and Time Warner's motions.

Cordially yours,

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A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Claire Shows Hancock" followed by a stylized flourish.

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