

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
LITTLE ROCK DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

PLAINTIFF

v.

CASE NO. 4:09-CV-353 BSM

**LORI A. MOSBY,
T.M., a minor,
CHANGE YOUR LIFE, INC.
PULASKI COUNTY, and
MELVIN LACEY**

DEFENDANTS

ORDER

The government's motion to strike the answer of Change Your Life, Inc. ("CYL") (Doc. No. 24) is granted. Corporations, such as CYL, cannot appear in court without counsel, and defendant Lori A. Mosby, who is not a licensed lawyer, filed the answer on behalf of CYL. Mosby cannot represent CYL and the answer she filed on CYL's behalf is therefore void. *Akra Direct Marketing Corp. v. Fingerhut Corp.*, 86 F.3d 852, 857 (8th Cir. 1996).

The government's motion to strike the answer filed on behalf of CYL (Doc. No. 24) is therefore granted.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 3rd day of December, 2009.


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE