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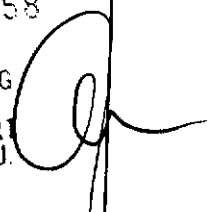
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UNITED STATES FEDERAL COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN JOSE DIVISION

CHIN-LI MOU,
Plaintiff,

vs.

CITY OF SAN JOSE, SAN JOSE
PUBLIC LIBRARY EDUCATION PARK
BRANCH

Defendants.

CASE NO.: C07 05740

RS

REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT OF
COUNSEL UNDER 42 U.S.C § 1983;
DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF
REQUEST



1. I, the plaintiff in the above-entitled civil right
discrimination action, request that the Court appoint an
attorney to represent me in this matter. In support of this
request, I state as follows:

- a. My claim is meritorious (that is, I have a good cause);
- b. I have made a reasonably diligent effort to obtain
counsel;

1 c. I am unable to find an attorney willing to represent me
2 on terms that I can afford.

3 2. I have contacted the following attorneys and requested that
4 they represent me in this matter:

5 a. Mr. Mark Matel; 650-470-2650

6 b. John Chester; 408-280-0930

7 c. Elena Rivkin; 408-568-6950

8 3. I cannot afford to obtain a private attorney. The details of
9 my financial situation are listed below:

10 a. I am currently not employed. I am a student;

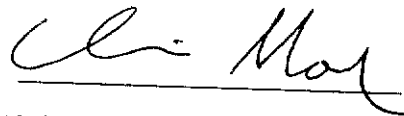
11 b. I am divorced;

12 c. I am not on any social well-fare program;

13 d. I only have few hundreds of dollars in my bank account
14 for the purchase of textbooks.

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16 I declare under penalty of perjury that the above is true and
17 correct.

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21 Dated: January 22, 2008



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