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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 12 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

13 ROBERT PAYNE and STEVE
 14 BARTILUCCI,

15 Plaintiffs,

16 vs.

17 MENU FOODS, INC., a New Jersey
 18 corporation, PETCO ANIMAL SUPPLIES,
 19 INC.; a Delaware corporation, SAFEWAY,
 20 INC.; a Delaware corporation, THE
 21 PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY, a Ohio
 22 corporation, and DOES 1 through 50,

23 Defendants.

24) **CASE NO. 07cv0705 JAH(GAB)**

25) Honorable John A. Houston

26) **FED. R. CIV. P. 7.1 CORPORATE**
 27) **DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OF**
 28) **DEFENDANT THE PROCTER &**
) **GAMBLE COMPANY**

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1 Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1, Defendant The Procter & Gamble Company ("Procter
2 & Gamble") states that it is a publicly traded corporation. No publicly held corporation
3 owns 10% or more of the stock of Procter & Gamble.

4 Dated: May 9, 2007

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on May 9, 2007, I caused the following document:

**FED. R. CIV. P. 7.1 CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT OF DEFENDANT
THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY**

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