

**Issued by the  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

for the

DISTRICT OF

Columbia

Robert Steinbuch,  
Plaintiff

V.

Jessica Cutlar,  
Defendant.

**SUBPOENA IN A CIVIL CASE**CASE NUMBER: <sup>1</sup> Civil Action No. 05-0970-PDF

TO: Thomas Patrick Ryan  
McCarthy Wilson LLP  
100 South Washington Street  
Rockville, Maryland 20850

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear in the United States District Court at the place, date, and time specified below to testify in the above case.

PLACE OF TESTIMONY	COURTROOM
	DATE AND TIME

YOU ARE COMMANDED to appear at the place, date, and time specified below to testify at the taking of a deposition in the above case.

PLACE OF DEPOSITION	DATE AND TIME
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YOU ARE COMMANDED to produce and permit inspection and copying of the following documents or objects at the place, date, and time specified below (list documents or objects):


See Attachment A

PLACE Beta Court Reporting, 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20036	DATE AND TIME 10/16/06 1:00 pm
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YOU ARE COMMANDED to permit inspection of the following premises at the date and time specified below.

PREMISES	DATE AND TIME
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Any organization not a party to this suit that is subpoenaed for the taking of a deposition shall designate one or more officers, directors, or managing agents, or other persons who consent to testify on its behalf, and may set forth, for each person designated, the matters on which the person will testify. Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, 30(b)(6).

ISSUING OFFICER SIGNATURE AND TITLE (INDICATE IF ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF OR DEFENDANT)  Attorney for Plaintiff	DATE 10/6/06
ISSUING OFFICER'S NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER John R. Ates, Esq., Abo & Oblon, LLP, 2200 Clarendon Blvd., Suite 1201, Arlington, Virginia 22201 703-562-3385	

(See Rule 45, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Parts C & D on Reverse)

<sup>1</sup> If action is pending in district other than district of issuance, state district under case number.

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

DATE

PLACE

SERVED

SERVED ON (PRINT NAME)

MANNER OF SERVICE

SERVED BY (PRINT NAME)

TITLE

**DECLARATION OF SERVER**

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing information contained in the Proof of Service is true and correct.

Executed on \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF SERVER

\_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS OF SERVER

**Rule 45, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Parts C & D:**

**(c) PROTECTION OF PERSONS SUBJECT TO SUBPOENAS.**

(1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court on behalf of which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and reasonable attorney's fee.

(2) (A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, documents or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.

(B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying may, within 14 days after service of subpoena or before the time specified for compliance if such time is less than 14 days after service, serve upon the party or attorney designated in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person who is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expense resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.

(3) (A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or modify the subpoena if it

- (i) fails to allow reasonable time for compliance,
- (ii) requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place more than 100 miles from the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that,

subject to the provisions of clause (c)(3)(B)(iii) of this rule, such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or

- (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
- (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.

**(B) If a subpoena**

- (i) requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information, or
- (ii) requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, or
- (iii) requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to incur substantial expense to travel more than 100 miles to attend trial, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena, or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.

**(d) DUTIES IN RESPONDING TO SUBPOENA.**

(1) A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.

(2) When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.

**ATTACHMENT A**  
**Documents To Be Produced**

DEFINITIONS:

A. "Relating to" means referring to, referred to, supporting, located in, considered in connection with, in connection with, bearing, bearing on, evidencing, indicating, reporting on, recording, alluding to, responding to, opposing, favoring, describing, reflecting, analyzing, constituting, setting forth, and demonstrating.

B. The term "communication" means and includes, but is not limited to, any oral communication, conversation, negotiation, meeting, or statement, written correspondence, memorandum, report, notes, record of a telephone call or record or minutes of any meeting or conversation of any nature, whether recorded, transmitted, or received electronically or otherwise.

C. "Electronic document" includes, but is not limited to, electronic data or information contained in, on or within any computer networks, mainframes, computer files, pocket organizers, personal digit assistants, stand-alone personal computers, LAN's, local workstations, computer disks, file servers, e-mail systems, cd-roms, e-mails, hard drives, printer buffers or memories, fax memories, voice mail systems, or any related back-up or archived systems or tapes.

D. "Document" means writings, drawings, graphs, charts, photographs, phono-records, and other data compilations from which information can be obtained, translated, if necessary, through detection devices into reasonably usable form, and includes any and all electronic documents.

E. "Robert Steinbuch" means the Plaintiff in the case styled, Stienbuch (sic) v. Kappel, USDC, D.D.C., Civil Action File No. 04-cv-00188-RMC-AK.

F. The "Kappel case" means the case styled, Stienbuch (sic) v. Kappel, USDC, D.D.C., Civil Action File No. 04-cv-00188-RMC-AK.

1. Each and every document constituting or evidencing any request for discovery, either by Plaintiff or Defendant, in the Kappel case.
2. Each and every document constituting or evidencing any response to discovery served by Robert Steinbuch in the Kappel case, including without limitation each and every document produced by Plaintiff Robert Steinbuch in the Kappel case.
3. Each and every document relating to Robert Steinbuch that is not protected by attorney-client and/or work product or other applicable privileges.
4. A true and correct copy of the deposition of Robert Steinbuch in the Kappel case.
5. A copy of the Settlement Agreement in the Kappel case.