

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

JOHN R. LOTT, JR.,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	No. 06 C 2007
)	
STEVEN D. LEVITT and)	Honorable Ruben Castillo
HARPERCOLLINS PUBLISHERS INC.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

NOTICE OF FILING

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Friday, June 2, 2006, Defendants filed in this court their **Statement Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1**, a copy of which is hereby served upon you.

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HARPERCOLLINS PUBLISHERS LLC.

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STATEMENT PURSUANT TO FEDERAL RULE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE 7.1

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rule 3.2 of the Local Rules of this Court, and to enable judges and magistrate judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for HarperCollins Publishers LLC (f/k/a HarperCollins Publishers Inc.) (“HarperCollins”) certifies that News Corporation (successor by reorganization to The News Corporation Limited), a publicly held company, is the ultimate parent corporation of HarperCollins.

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