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

DAVID GROCHOCINSKI, not)
individually, but solely in his capacity as)
the Chapter 7 Trustee for the bankruptcy)
estate of CMGT, INC.,)
Plaintiff,))
v.) No. 06 C 5486
MAYER BROWN ROWE & MAW LLP and RONALD B. GIVEN,) Judge Virginia M. Kendall)
Defendants.	,)

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that Defendants Mayer Brown LLP (formerly known as Mayer Brown Rowe & Maw LLP) and Ronald P. Given (together, "Defendants"), hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit from the following orders entered in this action by District Judge Virginia M. Kendall: (1) those portions of the June 30, 2011 Minute Order and accompanying Memorandum Opinion and Order (together, the "June 30 Orders") that denied Defendants' requests for sanctions against Plaintiff David Grochocinski ("Grochocinski"), individually and in his official capacity as the Chapter 7 Trustee for the bankruptcy estate of CMGT, Inc., and/or Grochocinski's counsel, Edward T. Joyce & Associates ("Joyce"); and (2) the October 17, 2011 Written Opinion (the "October 17 Order") setting forth the amount of sanctions to be paid by Joyce which, among other things, made the June 30 Orders and the October 17 Order final and appealable.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYER BROWN LLP and RONALD B. GIVEN

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Stephen Novack, an attorney, hereby certifies that he caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Appeal to be served through the ECF system upon the following:

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on this 15th day of November, 2011.

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