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The Honorable Richard D. Bennett
United States District Court
District of Maryland
U.S. Courthouse - Chambers 5D
101 W. Lombard Street
Baltimore, MD 21201

Re: **Snyder v. Phelps, et al.**
Civil No. RDB 06-1389

Dear Judge Bennett:

I apologize in advance for the informal nature of this communication. However, my colleague, Mr. Trebilcock, received a memo in the mail today, dated October 2, 2007, from defendants Shirley Phelps-Roper and Rebekah Phelps-Davis directed to you.

In short, my understanding of the pro se defendants recitation of facts in their letter to you is not the same as theirs. Admittedly, I have not ordered or read the transcript from our conference but I do not recall any ultimatums directed to plaintiff (such as the ones the pro se defendants suggest in their correspondence to you).

In the event that this Honorable Court did direct plaintiff's counsel to confer with plaintiff, plaintiff's counsel requests to be heard on this matter for a clearer understanding of the Court's guidance, especially before any Order is entered.

Sincerely,



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