

FILED: October 16, 2009

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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No. 08-1026  
(1:06-cv-01389-RDB)  
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ALBERT SNYDER,

Plaintiff - Appellee

v.

FRED W. PHELPS, Sr.; WESTBORO BAPTIST CHURCH, INCORPORATED;  
REBEKAH A. PHELPS-DAVIS; SHIRLEY L. PHELPS-ROPER,

Defendants - Appellants

and

JANE DOE; JOHN DOE, Jr.,

Defendants

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THOMAS JEFFERSON CENTER FOR THE PROTECTION OF FREE EXPRESSION;  
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION; AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION  
OF MARYLAND,

Amici Supporting Appellant

JEFFREY IRA SHULMAN,

Amicus Supporting Appellee

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M A N D A T E

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The judgment of this Court, entered 9/24/09, takes effect today.

This constitutes the formal mandate of this Court issued pursuant to Rule 41(a) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure.

/s/Patricia S. Connor, Clerk