

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 12-11117-MLW

FRIEDRICH LU,
Plaintiff,

v.

GEORGE HULME, in his individual
capacity and in his official capacity,
TRUSTEES OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC
LIBRARY,
Defendants.

**DEFENDANTS GEORGE HULME AND THE TRUSTEES OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC
LIBRARY'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE LATE ANSWERS**

Now come the Defendants George Hulme (“Hulme”) and the Trustees of the Boston Public Library (“Trustees”) (collectively, “Defendants”) hereby respectfully move this Court pursuant to Federal Rule 6(b)(1)(B) to accept late filing of their Answers.

As grounds for this Motion, Defendants state that their respective Answers are late due to excusable neglect, based on counsel’s misinterpretation of this Court’s Order and Memorandum regarding Defendants’ Motion to Dismiss, and that this delay has not caused any prejudice or harm to the Plaintiff.

Further grounds of support are set forth in the accompanying memorandum of law.

Respectfully submitted,

DEFENDANTS GEORGE HULME, in his individual capacity and in his official capacity and TRUSTEES OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

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LOCAL RULE 7.1 CERTIFICATION

I certify that on June 26, 2013, I attempted to contact Plaintiff via email to consult with him regarding the relief sought in this motion. As of the time of filing, Plaintiff has not responded to my email. I also certify that on June 27, 2013, I filed this document through the Court's CM/ECF system and that an electronic copy will be sent via email to those identified as non-registered participants per agreement with Plaintiff.

/s/Caroline O. Driscoll
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