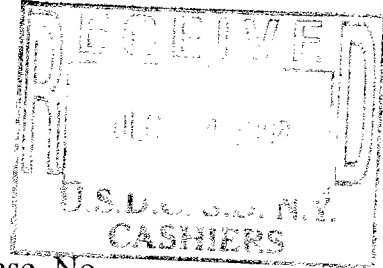


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



Case No. _____

Natural Resources Defense Council, Inc., and
Public Citizen, Inc.

Plaintiff,

-v-

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

Defendant.

Rule 7.1 Statement

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 [formerly Local
General Rule 1.9] and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court
to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for

Natural Resources Defense Council and Public Citizen (a private non-governmental party)

certifies that the following are corporate parents, affiliates and/or subsidiaries of
said party, which are publicly held.

None.

Date: 12/4/2008

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