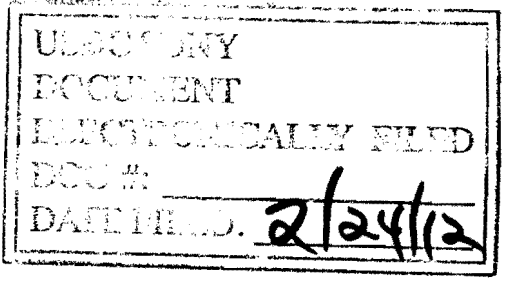


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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EDWARD L. WHITE, EDWARD L. WHITE, :  
P.C., and KENNETH ELAN, on behalf of :  
themselves and all others similarly :  
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Plaintiffs, :  
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-v- :  
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WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION d/b/a :  
"West", and REED ELSEVIER INC., d/b/a :  
"LexisNexis," :  
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Defendants. :  
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ORDER



JED S. RAKOFF, U.S.D.J.

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SO ORDERED.

  
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JED S. RAKOFF, U.S.D.J.

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