

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
)
 Plaintiff,)
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 v.)
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 APPLE, INC., *et al.*,)
)
 Defendants.)

Civil Action No. 12-cv-2826 (DLC)

THE STATE OF TEXAS, *et al.*,)
)
 Plaintiffs,)
)
 v.)
)
 PENGUIN GROUP (USA) INC., *et al.*,)
)
 Defendants.)

Civil Action No. 12-cv-03394 (DLC)

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 Kobo Inc. (a private non-governmental party) certifies that the following are corporate parents, affiliates, and/or subsidiaries of said party, which are publicly held.

Rakuten, Inc.

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Respectfully Submitted,
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