

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
WESTERN DIVISION
Case No. 5:07-cv-00210**

BOARD OF LAW EXAMINERS, also known
as North Carolina Board of Law Examiners
and as The Board of Law Examiners of the
State of North Carolina,

Plaintiff

vs.

WEST PUBLISHING CORPORATION and
THE THOMSON CORPORATION,

Defendants.

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.1E, James F. Rittinger, an attorney with the law firm of Satterlee Stephens Burke & Burke, LLP, located at 230 Park Avenue, Suite 1130, New York, New York 10169, hereby gives notice of his appearance as counsel for Defendants, West Publishing Corporation and The Thomson Corporation, in this matter. Mr. Rittinger appears in association with co-counsel, John F. Morrow, of the North Carolina law firm of Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, PLLC. Mr. Rittinger is a member in good standing of the bar of New York since April 26, 1972. Mr. Rittinger is also duly licensed to practice law in the United States District Court for the Southern, Eastern, Northern and Western Districts of New York, and the United States Courts of Appeals for the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th, 9th, and 11th Circuits.

Dated: July 26, 2007

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that he is an attorney at law admitted to practice in this case, and is a person of such age and discretion as to be competent to serve process.

That on July 26, 2007, he caused to be served a copy of the foregoing *Notice of Appearance* in the manner designated below:

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