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December 16, 2009

Mr. Robert Pickle
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RE: Three Angels Broadcasting Network, Inc., et al. v. Joy, et al.
First Circuit Court of Appeals File No. 08-2457
Our File No. 57242-00003

Dear Mr. Pickle:

We have received notice that Document No. 93, a "Sealed Affidavit of Robert Pickle with Exhibits," has been transmitted to the First Circuit Court of Appeals. See ECF Doc. No. 203. In reviewing our file, we do not have ECF Document No. 93, and cannot ascertain whether it was ever served on us.

I request two things. First, I would request a copy of Document No. 93, including the "sealed Affidavit of Robert Pickle with Exhibits." Second, I would like a copy of the proof of service indicating whether we received a copy of that document at the time it was filed with the court.

We will reimburse you for your copying and postage expense if it turns out that the error was ours, i.e., if you previously served us with a copy of ECF Document No. 93.

Your immediate attention to this matter is requested.

Sincerely,



M. GREGORY SIMPSON

MGS/jle/7171019.1

Subject: Response to your letter re: Doc. 93

From: Bob

Date: Fri, 18 Dec 2009 11:15:53 -0600

To: Greg Simpson

CC: "G. Arthur Joy"

Counselor Simpson:

I am in receipt of your letter dated December 16, 2009, regarding Doc. 93. To save some time and expense I am writing to respond as follows:

The affidavit in question was labeled:

**AFFIDAVIT OF ROBERT PICKLE TO ACCOMPANY EXHIBITS
FILED UNDER SEAL, EXHIBITS WHICH WERE REFERRED TO IN
ROBERT PICKLE'S AFFIDAVIT OF JULY 9, 2008 (DOC. 81)**

LEAVE TO FILE UNDER SEAL GRANTED ON JULY 18, 2008

At the end of that affidavit was the following certificate of service, dated July 18, 2008:

Under penalty of perjury, I, Bob Pickle, do certify that I am over the age of 18 years of age and on this day I have caused service of this document with accompanying exhibits to the Court and have served by first class mail, postage prepaid, a copy of this document and this Certificate of Service to Plaintiffs' counsel at Siegel, Brill, Greupner, Duffy & Foster.

As to what the exhibits were that were attached to the affidavit, please see Doc. 86.

Doc. 93 or its exhibits are referenced in multiple places in the record, including in our briefs on appeal, and were included in part in the joint appendix as a sealed supplement.

Do you still need us to forward to you a second copy of Doc. 93 and its exhibits?

Bob Pickle

Subject: RE: Response to your letter re: Doc. 93
From: "Gregory Simpson"
Date: Fri, 18 Dec 2009 11:45:29 -0600
To: "Bob"
CC: "G. Arthur Joy"

Bob-

Yes, please send me a second copy of the Affidavit and Exhibits. If you include an invoice for your actual copying and postage charges, I guarantee payment up to \$100. If the amount will exceed that figure, please contact me before incurring any expense.

Thank you for your courtesy.

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From: Bob
Sent: Friday, December 18, 2009 11:16 AM
To: Gregory Simpson
Cc: G. Arthur Joy
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Subject: Re: Response to your letter re: Doc. 93

From: Bob

Date: Fri, 18 Dec 2009 11:59:16 -0600

To: Gregory Simpson

CC: "G. Arthur Joy"

I will send the same as soon as I can, but not before completing filings for which there are current deadlines.

Have a good weekend.

Bob Pickle

Gregory Simpson wrote:

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To: Gregory Simpson
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Subject: Response to your letter re: Doc. 93

Counselor Simpson:

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Counselor Simpson:

Enclosed please find Doc. 93, which consists of my affidavit, a certificate of service, and 40 pages of exhibits.

Of these 40 pages, the contract for *Mending Broken People* is now public record. Also, Danny's Shelton's tax returns were filed under seal by us out of courtesy, not because we must keep the information within them confidential. Therefore, we have not waived our right to disclose the information within those tax returns by filing them under seal.

As you invited me to do, I have enclosed an invoice for these copies. In this instance I have chosen a rate of 10¢ per page for the 45 pages in this mailing, and added postage and handling to that amount.

But please note that Jerrie Hayes offered to charge me 25¢ a page for 12,575 pages, plus shipping, a total of \$3,243.75. (Doc. 68-2). If you believe her 25¢ rate is a fairer charge for the inconvenience of providing a second copy of Doc. 93, you may pay 25¢ a page, and, if need be, may request a revised invoice.

Sincerely,

Bob Pickle, *pro se*

cc: Gailon Arthur Joy via email