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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

HAROLD WEISBERG,)	
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Appellant/Cross-)	
Appellee,)	
)	
v.)	Nos. 82-1229 <u>et al.</u>
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE,)	
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Appellee/Cross-)	
Appellant.)	
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DEFENDANT-APPELLEE/CROSS-APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR
PERMISSION TO FILE A SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF IN
RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF

Defendant-appellee/cross-appellant Department of Justice hereby moves the Court for permission to file a supplemental brief in response to plaintiff's supplemental brief in the above-captioned case. In support of its motion, the Department states the following:

1. The case is scheduled for argument on Tuesday, May 8, 1984.
2. On Tuesday, May 1, 1984, pursuant to this Court's Rule 8(k), plaintiff filed a supplemental brief discussing in detail the Supreme Court's recent decision in Blum v. Stenson, Supreme Court No. 81-1374 (March 21, 1984).
3. The Department had previously brought the Blum decision to the Court's attention without argument, pursuant to Rule 28(j), Fed. R. App. P., by letter of April 10, 1984.
4. Since plaintiff has filed a supplemental brief devoted to a detailed discussion of Blum, the Department wishes to

have an opportunity to respond to plaintiff's characterization of the Blum decision.

5. The requisite number of copies of the Department's supplemental brief is being lodged with this motion.

For the foregoing reasons, defendant-appellee/cross-appellant Department of Justice moves the Court for permission to file a supplemental brief in response to plaintiff's supplemental brief of May 1, 1984.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 3rd day of May, 1984, I served the foregoing Defendant-Appellee/Cross-Appellant's Motion for Permission to File a Supplemental Brief in Response to Plaintiff's Supplemental Brief by causing a copy to be hand delivered, to:

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