

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA
CENTRAL DIVISION

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| CARL OLSEN, |) | |
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| Plaintiff, |) | |
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| v. |) | Civil File No. 4:08-cv-00370 (RWP/RAW) |
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| MICHAEL MUKASEY, Attorney General of |) | |
| the United States, MICHELE LEONHART, |) | DEFENDANTS' APPLICATION FOR |
| Acting Administrator, United States Drug |) | PERMISSION TO FILE BRIEF IN |
| Enforcement Administration, and |) | EXCESS OF 20 PAGES |
| CONDOLEEZZA RICE, United States |) | |
| Secretary of State. |) | |
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| Defendants. |) | |

COME NOW the Defendants, and, pursuant to Local Rule 7.1(g), hereby applies for permission to file their brief, captioned Defendants' Brief in Support of Their Motion to Dismiss, containing in excess of twenty (20) pages and in support states:

1. The brief, which is 24 pages in length, is dispositive of all issues raised in the case, and is in essence a trial brief.
2. The brief addresses all issues to be considered by the Court.

WHEREFORE, the Defendants respectfully requests permission to file their brief in support of their motion to dismiss.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on November 17, 2008, a true and accurate copy of the foregoing document, Defendants' Application for Permission to File Brief in Excess of Twenty Pages was filed electronically with the Clerk of Court through ECF and that ECF will send a Notice of Electronic Filing to the following:

Carl Olsen

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