SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIVIL DIVISION

| Estate of ROBERT E. WONE, by KATHERINE E. WONE |))) |
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| Plaintiff, |) |
| v. |) |
| JOSEPH R. PRICE, et al. |) |
| Defendants. |) |

C.A. No.: 2008 CA 008315 B

The Honorable Brook Hedge

Next Court Event: December 8, 2010 – Status Hearing

PRAECIPE CONCERNING MEDIA INTERVENERS' MOTION TO INTERVENE

The Media Interveners respectfully request oral argument on defendants' pending motion for a Gag Order to address, *inter alia*, the following issues raised in the Defendants' two different filed Responses to the Motion to Intervene:

- (1) the Constitutional application of the proposed order in a civil, rather than criminal, case context;
- the circular logic that since D.C. Professional Conduct Rule 3.6 is subject to interpretation, it should not be interpreted; instead, prior restraint of all counsel statements is necessary;
- (3) the First Amendment rights of the media when as here one party to the litigation objects to the proposed order as opposed to when the parties are effectively in agreement; and,
- (4) the implications of the defendants' quoting repeatedly, in their Motion and Responses, the alleged offending statement thereby republishing it to the same media to whom they seek to bar identical extrajudicial statements.

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