

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

LAWRENCE E. JAFFE PENSION PLAN, On)	Lead Case No. 02-C-5893
Behalf of Itself and All Others Similarly)	(Consolidated)
Situated,)	
) <u>CLASS ACTION</u>
Plaintiff,)	
) Judge Ronald A. Guzman
vs.)	Magistrate Judge Nan R. Nolan
)
HOUSEHOLD INTERNATIONAL, INC., et)	
al.,)	
)
Defendants.)	
_____)	

THE CLASS' MOTION TO FILE *INSTANTER* BRIEF IN EXCESS OF TEN PAGES

Now come the Lead Plaintiffs and the Class and respectfully request that this Court allow the Class to file its Memorandum of Law In Support of Production of the Work Papers Created By Ernst & Young LLP and Draft Report in excess of ten pages. In support thereof, Lead Plaintiffs and the Class state as follows:

1. On October 12, 2006, the Court imposed a ten page limit on discovery-related motions and memoranda.
2. On May 7, 2007, defendants were granted leave to file their 17-page opening brief (Dkt. No. 1067).
3. The subject of the Class' response is the improper application of privilege over documents and testimony relating to Ernst & Young's investigation into Household International, Inc.'s predatory lending practices during the Class Period.
4. The procedural, legal and factual issues raised by defendants' papers are complex and a proper response requires detailed analysis. In order to properly address this complex subject a memorandum in excess of ten pages but not more than 17 pages is necessary.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Lead Plaintiffs and the Class respectfully request that the Court grant them leave to file The Class' Memorandum of Law In Support of Production of the Work Papers Created By Ernst & Young LLP and Draft Report in excess of ten pages.

DATED: May 11, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY EMAIL AND BY U.S. MAIL

I, the undersigned, declare:

1. That declarant is and was, at all times herein mentioned, a citizen of the United States and employed in the City and County of San Francisco, over the age of 18 years, and not a party to or interested party in the within action; that declarant's business address is 100 Pine Street, Suite 2600, San Francisco, California 94111.

2. That on May 11, 2007 declarant served by electronic mail and by U.S. Mail to the parties: **THE CLASS' MOTION TO FILE INSTANTER BRIEF IN EXCESS OF TEN PAGES**. The parties' email addresses are as follows:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 11th day of May, 2007, at San Francisco, California.

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