UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

EASTERN DIVISION

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LAWRENCE E. JAFFE PENSION PLAN, ON BEHALF OF ITSELF AND ALL OTHERS SIMILARLY SITUATED,	Lead Case No. 02-C-5893 (Consolidated)
Plaintiff,) CLASS ACTION
- against -	Judge Ronald A. GuzmanMagistrate Judge Nan R. Nolan
HOUSEHOLD INTERNATIONAL, INC., ET AL.,)
Defendants.))

HOUSEHOLD DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE HOUSEHOLD'S MEMORANDUM IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF ERNST & YOUNG LLP DOCUMENTS AND FOR SANCTIONS EXCESS OF TEN PAGES

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former officers and directors William F. Aldinger, David A. Schoenholz, Gary Gilmer,

and J.A. Vozar (the "Household Defendants" or "Defendants"), by and through their

attorneys, hereby move this Court for leave to file their memorandum of law in

opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel Production of Ernst & Young LLP

Documents and for Sanctions in excess of ten pages, attached hereto. In support thereof,

the Household Defendants state as follows:

Comprehensively addressing the flaws in Plaintiffs' motion to compel

requires more than ten pages. While Defendants have attempted to fairly and completely

address the factual and legal issues raised by Plaintiffs' motion to compel with as much

brevity as possible, any further reduction would impact the quality and clarity of the

presentation made to the Court.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, Defendants respectfully

request that they be granted leave to file a Memorandum of Law of fourteen pages.

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Respectfully submitted,

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