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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

PEARSON EDUCATION, INC.,
JOHN WILEY & SONS, INC.,
CENGAGE LEARNING INC., AND
THE MCGRAW-HILL COMPANIES, INC.,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

RAVI BILLA D/B/A BOOKIONICS AND JOHN DOES NOS. 1-5,

Defendants. :

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## RULE 7.1 STATEMENT

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of
Civil Procedure, to enable Judges and Magistrate Judges of
the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal,
Plaintiff Pearson Education, Inc., certifies that it is an
indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Pearson plc, a U.K.
company which is publicly traded on the London Stock
Exchange and which trades American Depository Shares on the
New York Stock Exchange, each representative of one
ordinary share of Pearson plc stock. Pearson Education,
Inc., also certifies that it has the following indirect
corporate affiliates that have securities or other
interests that are publicly held and which are traded on
the exchanges indicated: Data Broadcasting Corporation

(NYSE); MarketWatch.com, Inc. (Nasdaq); Recoletos Groupo de Comunicación SA (Stuttgart, Madrid, Berlin, Munich, Frankfurt and Xerta).

DATE: 4/8/08

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY