

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

In the Matter of)
)
Jonathan Lee Riches)
 a.k.a. Jonathan Rich)
 Plaintiff, *pro se*)

Civil Action No.
09 C 0822

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ORDER

Jonathan Lee Riches has filed the following cases in Eastern District, one of which was filed under the name Conrad Black:

Date Filed	Caption	Judge
02/22/06	06 C 0978 Rich v. United Airlines	Kocoras
10/23/07	07 C 5984 Riches v. Winfrey	Gettleman
01/12/09	08 C 7381 Riches v. Blagojevich	Pallmeyer
01/22/09	09 C 0352 Black v. United States of America	St. Eve
Motion to Intervene	05 C 7097(MDL) In Re: Ameriquest Mortgage	Aspen

An order in 05 C 7097 reads: “Nonetheless, we know who Riches is. Indeed, Riches is a notoriously abusive litigant, with a long history of filing frivolous actions across the country.”

It is the judgment of the Executive Committee that reasonable and necessary restraints must be imposed upon Mr. Riches’ ability to file new civil cases in this District *pro se*. Cases in existence prior to the entry of this order are not affected by this order and shall proceed as usual.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE in its capacity as the supervisor of the assignment of cases, that the clerk is directed to destroy any papers submitted either directly or indirectly by or on behalf of Jonathan Lee Riches, and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That Jonathan Lee Riches is authorized to submit to this court, no earlier than February 12, 2010, a motion to modify or rescind this order, and

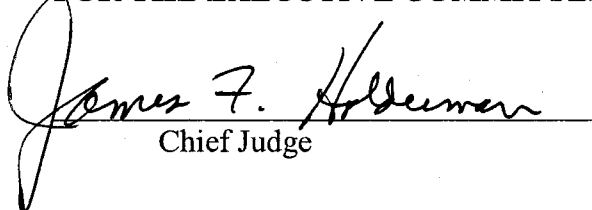
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That Nothing in this order shall be construed -----

- a) to affect Mr. Riches’s ability to defend himself in any criminal action,
- b) to deny Mr. Riches access to the federal courts through the filing of a petition for a writ of habeas corpus or other extraordinary writ, or
- c) to deny Mr. Riches access to the United States Court of Appeals or the United States Supreme Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the Clerk shall cause to be created and maintained a miscellaneous file with the title "In the matter of Jonathan Lee Riches " and case number 09 C 0822. The miscellaneous file shall serve as the repository of this order, and any order or minute order entered pursuant to this order. The Clerk will also maintain a miscellaneous docket associated with the file. All orders retained in the file will be entered on that docket following standard docketing procedures.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That the Clerk shall cause a copy of this order to be mailed to Mr. Riches at #40948-018, FCI Williamsburg, P.O. Box 340, Salters, SC 29590, the address given by Mr. Riches in documents filed on January 20, 2009. Such mailing shall be by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested.

**ENTER:
FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**


Chief Judge

Dated at Chicago, Illinois this 5th day of February, 2009