UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS GENERAL ORDER 12 - 0023

The full Court met in executive session on Thursday, September 27, 2012 and approved an amendment to Local Rule 8.1 Social Security Cases: Notice of Social Security Number. The proposed amendment was published with comments due on July 24, 2012. No comments were received from the Public or the Rules Advisory Committee.

The Court's Rules Committee discussed the proposed amendment at the Rules

Committee meeting of September 18, 2012. It recommended that the full Court adopt the

proposed amendment as published.

The full Court considered the recommendation of the Rules Committee at its meeting on

Thursday, September 27, 2012 and agreed to modify Local Rule 8.1. Therefore,

By direction of the full Court, which met in executive session on Thursday, September

27, 2012,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Local Rule 8.1 Social Security Cases: Notice of Social

Security Number be amended as follows (additions shown thus, deletions shown thus):

LR8.1. Social Security Cases: Notice of Social Security Number

Where a complaint for administrative review is filed pursuant to Section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. §405(g) for benefits under Titles II, XVI and XVIII of the Social Security Act, the complaint shall include the full Social Security number of the worker on whose wage record the application for benefits was filed (who may or may not be the plaintiff). the plaintiff shall attach to the copy of the complaint to be served on the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration a notice indicating one of the following Social Security numbers, as appropriate:

(1) --- in cases involving claims for retirement, survivors, disability, and health insurance, the social security number of the worker on whose wage record the application for benefits was filed (who may or may not be the plaintiff); or

Plaintiff shall include in the complaint a statement to the effect that the notice required by this rule will be attached to the copy of the complaint served on the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration.

Where a complaint covered by this rule is presented for filing to the clerk, only the last four digits of the social security number shall be included. If the complaint is presented without the

required statement, the clerk shall accept it for filing. In such instances, the clerk shall notify the party filing the complaint of the requirement of the rule and the judge to whom the case is assigned that the complaint was filed without the required statement.

ENTER: FOR THE COURT James 7. Holderman Chief Judge

Dated at Chicago, Illinois this **2**md day of October, 2012