

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

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Service Employees International Union	)	
District 1199, American-Arab Anti-	)	Civil Action No. 06-2065
Discrimination Committee, Greater Toledo	)	
Association of Arab Americans, Council on	)	
American-Islamic Relations Ohio,	)	
	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
v.	)	
	)	
J. Kenneth Blackwell,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

**PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE LIMIT**

Pursuant to Local Rule 7.1(f), the plaintiffs respectfully move the Court for leave to file an overlength memorandum in support of their motion for preliminary injunction. Given the

number and complexity of the facts and issues, the plaintiffs need more than the 15 pages allowed by local rule without leave of court in order to fully present their argument. The plaintiffs believe that the additional pages will assist the Court in resolving the plaintiffs' motion.

Respectfully submitted,

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