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November 30, 2005

VIA FACSIMILE (914-428-4994)

Elena Ruth Sassower  
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Re: Elena R. Sassower v. United States,  
Appeal Nos. 04-CM- 760, 04-CO-1600

Dear Ms. Sassower,

I am the Assistant United States Attorney who has been assigned the task of responding to your brief on appeal. The government's brief is currently due on December 12, 2005. I plan to file a motion for an extension of time in which to file our brief, to January 12, 2005. I have other commitments, including an oral argument in the Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit on December 12, which prevent me from being able to file our brief in accordance with the current briefing schedule. Could you please let me know, by return fax (202-514-8779), whether you oppose my motion for extension of time? Thank you.

Sincerely,

Florence Pan  
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RE: *Elena Ruth Sassower v. United States of America*  
#04-CM-760 & #04-CO-1600 ("Disruption of Congress" case)

Dear Ms. Pan:

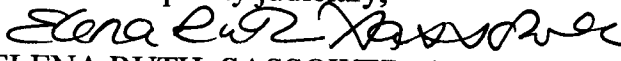
Responding to your faxed letter of today's date, welcome aboard this monumental law-making case – in which you have an important contribution to make.

Please be advised that by reason of the *amicus curiae* brief of Professor Andrew Horwitz, your responding appellee's brief is not due on December 12, 2005, as you indicate, but on December 20, 2005.

In any event, I consent to your request for an extension of time – and not only to January 12, 2006, as you request, but to whatever date will enable you to discharge your professional and ethical responsibilities with respect to these consolidated appeals. As I stated to former Appellate Division Chief John Fisher back in June and reiterated to his successor, Roy McLeese, in November, there is no legitimate opposition to these appeals. As such, the U.S. Attorney's obligation is not only not to oppose the appeals, but to affirmatively support them.

I look forward to discussing this with you after you have had an opportunity to review my appellant's brief and the substantiating case record and law on which it rests. Until then, happy holidays.

Yours for a quality judiciary,

  
ELENA RUTH SASSOWER, Appellant *Pro Se*

P.S. Please use my home address for mailing:  
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cc: Professor Andrew Horwitz

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December 5, 2005

VIA FACSIMILE (914-428-4994)Elena Ruth Sassower  
Box 68, Gedney Station  
White Plains, NY 10605-0069Re: Elena R. Sassower v. United States,  
Appeal Nos. 04-CM-760, 04-CO-1600

Dear Ms. Sassower,

Thank you for your letter of November 30, 2005, in which you agreed to consent to an extension of time for the filing of the government's brief on appeal. In your letter, you graciously stated that you would consent to an extension to "whatever date will enable you to discharge your professional and ethical responsibilities with respect to these consolidated appeals." Although I originally hoped to file the government's brief by January 12, 2006, I recently learned that I have oral arguments scheduled for January 5 and January 11, 2006, and another brief due on December 28, 2005. I therefore will require more time to complete the government's brief in this case. Thus, I will be requesting an extension of time to January 27, 2006. Please let me know, by return fax, if this poses any problem for you. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Assistant United States Attorney

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December 6, 2005

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RE: *Elena Ruth Sassower v. United States of America*  
#04-CM-760 & #04-CO-1600 ("Disruption of Congress" case)

Dear Ms. Pan:

Responding to your December 5<sup>th</sup> faxed letter, thank you for the courtesy of apprising me that you wish an extension of time to file the government's appellate brief to January 27, 2006. As you recognize – and as I again reiterate –

"I consent...to whatever date will enable you to discharge your professional and ethical responsibilities with respect to these consolidated appeals."

Let us look forward to a year in which justice is done.

Yours for a quality judiciary,



ELENA RUTH SASSOWER, Appellant *Pro Se*

cc: Professor Andrew Horwitz

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January 6, 2006

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White Plains, NY 10605-0069Re: Elena R. Sassower v. United States,  
Appeal Nos. 04-CM-760, 04-CO-1600

Dear Ms. Sassower,

We have been contacted by John Katz, Esq., who wishes to file a brief as amicus curiae in support of your appeal in the above-captioned case. Mr. Katz would like to file his brief on January 17, 2006. We informed Mr. Katz that we would have no opposition to his filing of that brief, as long as you would not object to giving us 30 days after the filing of his brief to file our responsive brief. We would like to file a single response to all of the briefs in support of your appeal (i.e., your brief, and the two amicus briefs). Under that schedule, the government's brief would be due on February 16, 2006. Could you please let me know, by return fax, whether this briefing schedule is agreeable to you? Thank you.

Sincerely,

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#04-CM-760 & #04-CO-1600 ("Disruption of Congress" case)

Dear Ms. Pan:

Responding to your faxed letter of today's date, I thank you for consenting to Mr. Katz' request to file an *amicus curiae* brief, which he will be doing on behalf of the D.C. Chapter of the National Lawyers Guild -- and readily consent to your request to put over the government's responding brief to February 16, 2006, from the present date of January 27th.

Should you need additional time beyond that, I also consent. As I have previously stated, "I consent...to whatever date as will enable you to discharge your professional and ethical responsibilities with respect to these consolidated appeals."

Yours for a quality judiciary,



ELENA RUTH SASSOWER, Appellant *Pro Se*

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