## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

JOHN DOE, a.k.a. KIDANE,	))
Plaintiff,	) ) )
<b>v.</b>	) ) )
FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF ETHIOPIA,	))))
Defendant.	)))

Civil Action No. 14-372 (RDM)

## **NOTICE**

This case may present substantial issues relating to the interpretation and application of the Foreign Sovereign Immunities Act's non-commercial tort exception, 28 U.S.C. § 1605(a)(5), including the discretionary function exception and the "entire tort" rule. Should the United States wish to be heard on these issues at this stage of the litigation, it may, within 21 days of this Notice, so inform the Court by proposing a schedule for filing a statement of interest or other submission on behalf of the United States.

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<u>/s/ Randolph D. Moss</u> RANDOLPH D. MOSS United States District Judge

Date: July 15, 2015