

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
ATLANTA DIVISION**

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS,  
et al,

Plaintiffs,

-vs.-

CARL V. PATTON, in his official  
capacity as Georgia State University  
President, et al,

Defendants.

Civil Action File

No.1:08-CV-1425-ODE

**REPLY BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO  
AMEND THE COMPLAINT TO ADD ADDITIONAL DEFENDANTS**

Cambridge University Press, Oxford University Press, Inc., and Sage Publications, Inc. (collectively, "Plaintiffs"), file this reply brief in support their Motion for Leave to Amend the Complaint to Add Additional Defendants.

Defendants Carl V. Patton, Ron Henry, Charlene Hurt, and J.L. Albert do not oppose the motion insofar as it seeks to add the individual members of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia d/b/a Georgia State University ("Board of Regents") in their official capacities. *See* Defendants' Response to Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to Amend the Complaint to Add

Additional Defendants at 2 n.1. Plaintiffs therefore ask this Court to grant their unopposed motion seeking to add the individual members of the Board of Regents.

Plaintiffs voluntarily withdraw their motion as to the Board of Regents.

Plaintiffs, however, reserve the right to move for leave to amend to add the Board of Regents as an additional defendant if such a motion is appropriate at some later time or if Defendants take the position that the Court cannot grant Plaintiffs the relief they are seeking unless the Board of Regents is a party to this action.

Respectfully submitted, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008.

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