IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

CHARLES SIMS AFRICA	:	**CIVIL ACTION**
v.	:	
COMMISSIONER MARTIN HORN, et al.	:	**NO. 96-8646**

MEMORANDUM ORDER

Michael Davis Africa, a non-party to this action, has filed a Motion for Permissive Joinder with this court in which he seeks to join this suit as a plaintiff, to which defendants have responded. Presently before the court is Michael Davis Africa's Motion to Strike Defendant's Response to Motion for Permissive Joinder. There is no provision within the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure which provides for such a motion. In fact, Michael Davis Africa's instant motion, when read, appears to be a reply brief to defendants' opposition to his Motion for Permissive joinder, and the court will fully consider it as such in reaching a decision on that motion.

ACCORDINGLY, this day of February, 1998, upon consideration of Michael Davis Africa's Motion to Strike, Doc. #24, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that such motion is **DENIED**.

BY THE COURT:

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JAY C. WALDMAN, J.