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**GENERAL ORDER NO. 2016-7**

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO**

PACER FEE EXEMPTION FOR  
JAY S. ALBANESE  
KRISTINE ARTELLO  
RICHARD SAPHIRE

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Jay S. Albanese and Kristine Artello, Professors at Virginia Commonwealth University, L. Douglass Wilder School of Government and Public Affairs; and Richard Saphire, Professor of Law Emeritus at The University of Dayton (the applicants); have submitted applications and affidavits for a PACER fee exemption and fall within the class of users listed in the fee schedule as being eligible for exemption on the basis that the applicants are performing academic research. Additionally, the applicants have demonstrated that an exemption is necessary in order to avoid unreasonable burdens and to promote public access to information.

Accordingly, the applicants shall be exempt from the payment of fees for access via PACER to the electronic case files maintained in this Court to the extent such use is incurred in the course of the applicants' academic research. The applicants shall not be exempt from the payment of fees incurred in connection with other uses of the PACER system in this Court.

Additionally, the following limitations apply:

1. This fee exemption applies only to the applicants and is valid only for the purposes stated above;
2. this fee exemption applies only to the electronic case files of this Court that are available through the PACER system;
3. by accepting this exemption, the applicants agree not to sell for profit any data obtained as a result of receiving this exemption;
4. the applicants are prohibited from transferring any data obtained as a result of receiving this exemption; and
5. this exemption is valid until April 30, 2017.

This exemption may be revoked at the discretion of the Court at any time. A copy of this Order shall be sent to the PACER Service Center, which should establish a PACER account with a fee exemption to access the records of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio for:

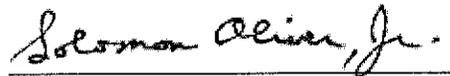
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**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

For the Court



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Chief Judge  
United States District Court