

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

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<b>UNITED STATES of AMERICA,</b>	)	
<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)	<b>No. 06 CR 964</b>
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v.	)	
	)	<b>Magistrate Judge Michael Mason</b>
<b>MICHAEL E. KELLY</b>	)	
<b>Defendant.</b>	)	
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**MOTION TO WITHDRAW APPEARANCES**

Latham & Watkins LLP hereby moves this Court to withdraw the appearances of Robert W. Tarun, Deborah L. Steiner, and Meghan H. Sullivan, and in support of this motion states as follows:

1. On January 19, 2007, this Court entered appearances for Robert W. Tarun, Deborah L. Steiner, and Meghan H. Sullivan, attorneys with the firm Latham & Watkins LLP, as counsel for Michael E. Kelly in the above captioned matter.
  2. On May 10, 2007, Robert W. Tarun received a letter from Michael E. Kelly indicating that he had retained Jeffrey Steinback and Edward Genson on his behalf and terminating his attorney-client relationship with Latham & Watkins LLP.
  3. Mr. Steinback filed an appearance on Mr. Kelly’s behalf on March 20, 2007.
  4. Latham & Watkins LLP is in the process of providing its files to Mr. Steinback.
- Accordingly, Mr. Kelly will not be prejudiced by this Motion since he has requested new counsel who has filed an appearance on his behalf and will be provided with any relevant client files.

WHEREFORE, Latham & Watkins LLP respectfully requests that the Court withdraw their appearances on behalf of Mr. Kelly.

Dated: May 11, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

/s/Deborah L. Steiner

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Deborah L. Steiner, hereby certify that on May 11, 2007 I electronically filed this NOTICE OF MOTION and MOTION TO WITHDRAW APPEARANCES with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to:

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