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IN RE: LOCAL CIVIL RULE 30	GENERAL ORDER

The Local Rules of this Court are amended by the addition of the following, as Local Civil Rule 30:

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DEPOSITIONS - FILING, PUBLICATION AND USE

(a) <u>Depositions of Prisoners</u>

Leave of court for the Attorney General or United States Attorney to take the deposition of a person confined in prison, pursuant to F.R.C.P. 30(a), shall not be required unless such attorney (where witness is a state prisoner) certifies in writing to the court that a responsible official of the institution where

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the witness is confined disapproves of the taking of the proposed deposition. In that event the matter shall be presented to the Court by appropriate motion.

DATED this 7th day of April, 1988.

BARBARA J. ROTHSTEIN
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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