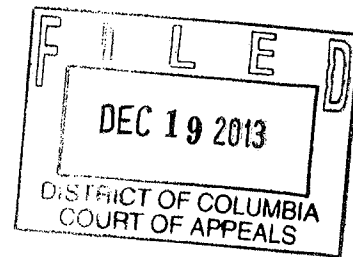


District of Columbia  
Court of Appeals



No. 13-CV-1043

MARK STEYN, *et al.*,

Appellants,

and

2012 CAB 8263

No. 13-CV-1044

COMPETITIVE ENTRPRISE, *et al.*,

Appellants.

v.

MICHAEL E. MANN,

Appellee.

BEFORE: Blackburne-Rigsby, Associate Judge and Nebeker and Steadman,  
Senior Judges.

**ORDER**

On consideration of this court's October 18, 2013 order directing appellants to show cause why their respective appeals should not be dismissed as having been taken from a non-appealable order that does not meet the requirements of the collateral order doctrine; appellants' joint response; American Civil Liberties Union of the Nation's Capital ("the ACLU") lodged *amicus curiae* response, the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press (and eighteen other media organizations) (collectively "Reporters") and the District of Columbia's motions for leave to file the lodged *amicus curiae* responses; the Reporters lodged supplement to its *amicus curiae* response; appellee's motion to file the lodged opposition and appellants' response thereto; and the notices of appeal, it is

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ORDERED, *sua sponte*, that the Clerk shall file the ACLU's lodged *amicus curiae* response as its response. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that the Reporters and the District of Columbia's motions to file the lodged *amicus curiae* responses are granted and the Clerk shall file the *amicus curiae* responses and the Reporters supplement to its *amicus curiae* response. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that appellee's motion to file the lodged opposition is granted and the Clerk shall file the opposition and appellants' response. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that these appeals are hereby dismissed as moot because the trial court granted appellee's motion to file his lodged amended complaint and docketed the amended complaint and appellants then filed new special motions to dismiss, which remain pending. It is

FURTHER ORDERED these dismissals are without prejudice to appellants filing new notices of appeal from orders denying a special motion to dismiss.

**PER CURIAM**

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