UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

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RINGLING BROTHERS AND BARNUM & BAILEY CIRCUS, et al.,

Defendants.

Civ. Action No. 03-2006 (EGS)

ORDER

In accordance with the Memorandum Opinion issued this same day, it is by the Court hereby

ORDERED that defendant's Motion for Leave to Amend Answers to Assert Additional Defense and Counterclaim [Dkt. No. 121] is DENIED; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that defendant's Expedited Ruling to Strike Non-Party WAP's Response to FEI's Motion for Leave to Amend Due to Untimeliness and Lack of Standing [Dkt. No. 133] is GRANTED.

SO ORDERED.

Signed: Emmet G. Sullivan

United States District Judge

August 23, 2007