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Re: Public License Agreement

I am writing to follow up on my May 2, 2008 letter to you, to which I await a response.

In light of the Legislative Counsel Committee's continued position that it has copyright ownership over certain features of the Oregon Revised Statutes, my clients have concluded it is in the public interest to resolve this dispute by means of a declaratory judgment action. The need for such an action could be obviated if the Committee disclaimed copyright ownership over the Oregon Revised Statutes, but the current posture of things – with the Committee having promulgated a "Public License" which my clients find unacceptable, and having stated only that Justia need not remove its copy of Oregon Revised Statutes "at this time" – leaves my clients in a state of unacceptable limbo.

Accordingly, it is my clients' current intention – absent a disclaimer of copyright ownership as set forth above – to file a Complaint for Declaratory Relief on or before June 2, 2008. As a courtesy, the Committee can access a draft complaint at the following URL: <http://resource.org/oregon>.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Sincerely,



Karl Olson

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cc: Tim Stanley
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