

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

IMMIGRATIONPORTAL.COM, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

:

V.

: Civil Action No. 03-2606 (JR)

TOM RIDGE, Secretary, U.S. :
Department of Homeland Security, :
et al., :

:

Defendants.

ORDER

It is by the Court <u>sua sponte</u> and pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Pro. 12(f) **ORDERED** that the government's reply to plaintiffs' supplemental memorandum in support of class certification [24] is **stricken**. Replies were not contemplated by the Court's invitation to the parties to file supplemental memoranda. This particular reply is written in language more adverbial and heated than is appropriate, either to the circumstances or generally in this Court. And plaintiffs have not filed the motion for leave to amend that is the focus of most of the government's reply. It follows from the foregoing, and it is **FURTHER ORDERED**, that plaintiffs' surreply [25] is also **stricken**.

JAMES ROBERTSON
United States District Judge