INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING AN OBJECTION PRIOR TO THE FAIRNESS HEARING

1. If you wish to object to the Court's Proposed Relief Order you must do so in writing. **Making an objection is voluntary, but if you do not object at this time, you will not, absent good cause, be able to oppose the awards ordered by the Court in the future.** If you decide to object, follow the instructions on this page. If you object, the Court will consider your objection before deciding whether to approve or amend the Proposed Relief Order.

2. **All objections must be returned by August 24, 2012**. If your objection is not returned by this date, your objection may not be considered and you may be prohibited from objecting later.

3. **All objections must be made in writing.** Your objection should be made on the attached objection form, which must be filled out completely. You must include a description of the basis of your objection. If you have retained an attorney to assist you in this matter, you must include the name, address, phone number and email address of your attorney. You may attach additional pages to the objection form if necessary.

4. Submit your objection to the following address:

   U.S. Department of Justice
   FDNY Litigation Team
   Civil Rights Division/ELS
   P.O. Box 14400
   Washington, DC 20044-4400

5. The court will hold a Fairness Hearing which will begin on **October 1, 2012** at **9:00 a.m**. and continue on October 2, 2012, if the Court determines that additional testimony is required. You may attend this hearing if you wish, but you need not attend to have the Court consider any written objections you submit.

6. If you have any questions concerning submitting an objection, you may consult with an attorney of your own choosing and at your own expense. You may also consult www.justice.gov/fdnycase

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ET AL., PLAINTIFF, -AND- THE VULCAN SOCIETY, INC., ET AL., PLAINTIFFS-INTERVENORS, V. CITY OF NEW YORK, ET AL., DEFENDANTS.	CIV. ACTION NO. 07-CV-2067 (NGG)(RLM)

OBJECTION TO THE ENTRY OF THE PROPOSED RELIEF ORDER

I am objecting to the Proposed Relief Order in this case.

Name: _____

Address: _____

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Telephone: _____

Email address: _____

Attorney's name (if any): _____

Attorney's address: _____

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Attorney's telephone: _____

Attorney's email address: _____

Basis of my objection:

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You may use additional pages to explain the basis of your objection if necessary.

Are you requesting the opportunity for you (or your attorney if you have one) to state your objection in person at the Fairness Hearing? [ ] Yes [ ] No

You must send your objection to the Department of Justice at the address provided in the instructions. Your objection must be returned by August 24, 2012.

A PDF-fillable version of this form is available at www.justice.gov/fdnycase.