

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

JEROME TATE,	)	
	)	08 C 0218
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	Judge Coar
v.	)	
	)	Magistrate Judge Cox
CITY OF CHICAGO,	)	
a municipal corporation,	)	
LOUIS JONES, Star Number 11648,	)	JURY DEMANDED
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**DEFENDANT CITY OF CHICAGO’S MOTION TO WITHDRAW  
APPEARANCE OF ROBERT C. RUTHERFORD, Jr.**

Defendant City of Chicago (the “City”), by its attorney, Mara S. Georges, Corporation Counsel for the City, respectfully requests that this Court permit it to withdraw the appearance of Robert C. Rutherford, Jr. as counsel of record for the City. In support of its motion, the City states:

1. Robert C. Rutherford, Jr., Assistant Corporation Counsel, filed an appearance on behalf of the City in this matter on February 20, 2008.

2. As a result of internal reorganization within the City’s Law Department, Mr. Rutherford is no longer assigned to this case.

3. The City, therefore, seeks to withdraw the appearance of Mr. Rutherford as an attorney of record for the City.

4. Ashley Kosztia, Assistant Corporation Counsel, remains as an attorney of record for the City in this matter.

5. This motion is not intended to cause any delay in the proceedings nor cause prejudice to plaintiff.

**WHEREFORE**, for the above-stated reasons, the City respectfully requests that this Court grant its motion to withdraw Robert C. Rutherford, Jr. as counsel of record for the City.

Respectfully submitted,

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