UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS SPRINGFIELD DIVISION

SEXUAL MINORITIES UGANDA, : CIVIL ACTION

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Plaintiff, : 3:12-CV-30051-KPN

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v. : JUDGE MICHAEL A. PONSOR

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SCOTT LIVELY,

ORAL ARGUMENT REQUESTED

Defendant. :

DEFENDANT SCOTT LIVELY'S MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1) and 12(b)(6), Defendant Scott Lively, individually and as President of Abiding Truth Ministries, respectfully moves the Court to dismiss, with prejudice, the Complaint (dkt. 1) filed by Plaintiff, Sexual Minorities Uganda, on the grounds that Plaintiff lacks standing, the Court lacks subject-matter jurisdiction, and the Complaint fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.

A memorandum of law in support of this Motion is filed concurrently herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to L.R. D. Mass. 7.1(d), Defendant Scott Lively respectfully requests oral

argument on this Motion, on the grounds that this case is of great public importance and oral

argument will assist the Court in understanding, evaluating and deciding the wide array of

complex questions of constitutional and international law raised herein.

/s/ Horatio G. Mihet_____

Horatio G. Mihet

Attorney for Defendant Scott Lively

CERTIFICATE OF CONFERRAL

Pursuant to L.R. D. Mass. 7.1(a)(2), I certify that I conferred in good faith with counsel

for Plaintiff prior to filing this motion, but was unable to resolve or narrow the issues raised

herein.

/s/ Horatio G. Mihet_____

Horatio G. Mihet

Attorney for Defendant Scott Lively

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was filed

electronically with the Court on June 22, 2012. Service will be effectuated by the Court's

electronic notification system upon all counsel or parties of record.

/s/ Horatio G. Mihet_

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