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September 06, 2007

Mr. Carl Eric Olsen
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RE: 07-3062 Carl Olsen v. Alberto Gonzales, et al

Dear Mr. Olsen:

The district court clerk has transmitted a notice of appeal in this matter, and we have docketed it under the caption and case number shown above. Please include the caption and the case number on all correspondence or pleadings submitted to this court.

Counsel in the case must supply the clerk with an Appearance Form. Counsel may download or fill out an [Appearance Form](#) on the "Forms" page on our web site at www.ca8.uscourts.gov.

We note that the docketing and filing fees have not been paid. You must either pay the \$455.00 filing and docketing fees or file a motion with the district court for permission to appeal as a poor person. If the fees are not paid promptly, the court will issue an order directing you to show cause why the appeal should not be dismissed.

The court has established a briefing schedule for the case, a copy of which will be forwarded under separate notice of docket activity. Please refer to the schedule and note the key filing dates. You should also review Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure 28 and 32, as well as Eighth Circuit Rules 28A and 32A.

The court will consider the case on the original file of the district court, and you do not need to file any additional record materials. If a transcript is required, you should contact the court reporter at the district court and make arrangements for production and payment.

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The court has directed the clerk's office to monitor and enforce compliance with the briefing schedule. Failure to file your brief will result in issuance of a show cause order and may lead to dismissal of the appeal. Requests for extensions of time must be timely and should establish good cause. Overlength briefs are strongly discouraged.

On June 1, 2007, the Eighth Circuit implemented the appellate version of CM/ECF. Electronic filing is now mandatory for attorneys and voluntary for pro se litigants proceeding without an attorney. Information about electronic filing can be found at www.ca8.uscourts.gov/files/cmecfstandingorder.pdf. In order to become an authorized Eighth Circuit filer, you must register with the PACER Service Center at <https://pacer.psc.uscourts.gov/psco/cgi-bin/cmecf/ea-regform.pl>. Questions about CM/ECF may be addressed to the Clerk's office.

If you have any questions about the schedule or procedures for the case, please contact our office.

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District Court/Agency Case Number(s): 4:07-cv-00023-JAJ

Caption For Case Number: 07-3062

Carl Eric Olsen,

Plaintiff - Appellant

v.

Alberto Gonzales, Attorney General of the United States; Karen Tandy, Administrator of the United States Drug Enforcement Administration; Thomas Miller, Attorney General of Iowa; John Sarcone, Attorney of Polk County, Iowa; Dennis Anderson, Sheriff of Polk County, Iowa, all in their official capacities,

Defendants - Appellees

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