## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

Asociación de Educación Privada de Puerto Rico, Inc., et al.,
Plaintiffs,

Civil No. 03-1213 (HL)

v.

Alejandro Garcia Padilla, Secretary of the Department of Consumer Affairs of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Defendant.

## **JUDGMENT**

Pursuant to the Opinion and Order issued by the Court on this same date, judgment is hereby entered declaring Rule 11 of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Department of Consumer Affairs' Regulation 6458, entitled Regulation for the Disclosure of Information on the Sale and Distribution of Textbooks ("Reglamento para la Divulgación de Información en la Venta y Distribución de Libros de Texto"), and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Law 116 of May 18, 2004, entitled Law for the Acquisition of School Textbooks ("Ley para la Compra de Libros de Textos Escolares"), to be in violation of the First Amendment of the United States Constitution. Further, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Department of Consumer Affairs is hereby enjoined from enforcing Rule 11 of Regulation 6458 and Law 116 of May 18, 2004, against private schools in Puerto Rico.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

San Juan, Puerto Rico, December 13, 2005.

S/ HECTOR M. LAFFITTE United States District Judge