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Briefing a Case



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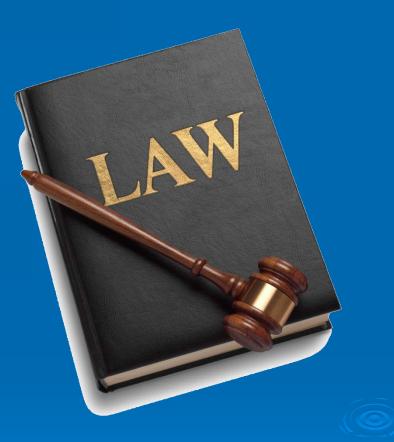
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Case Title

> Official Citation
> Court Name
> Plaintiffs / Defendants
> Docket Number
> Date of Decision



NRDC v. Evans, 254 F.Supp.2d 434 (S.D.N.Y. 2003).

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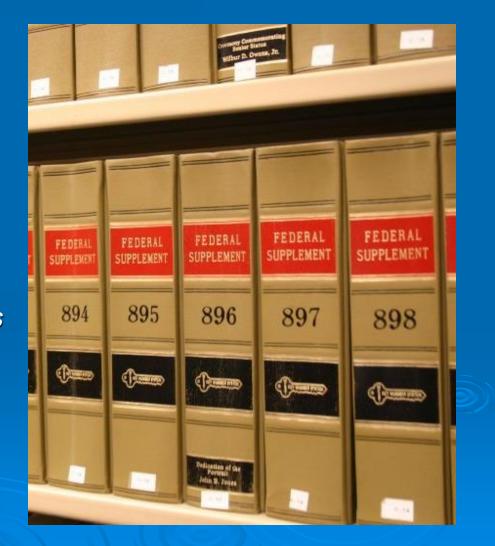


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United States Supreme Court decisions

F., F2d., F3d., F4th Federal Reporter Federal appeals court decisions

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✓ Issue:

- The legal question court is asked to solve.
- > Rule
 - The general law governing the issue
- > Analysis
 - The court's explanation of how the law applies to the facts of this case
- Conclusion
 - The court's decision, or holding, on each issue