IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

KEVIN C. RYAN,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	**Cause No. 1:06-cv-1770-JDT-TAB**
	)	
UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS

Defendant, Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. ("UL"), hereby submits its Motion to Dismiss, and states as follows:

1. On November 16, 2006, Plaintiff Kevin C. Ryan ("Ryan") filed an action in the Monroe Circuit Court of Indiana alleging wrongful discharge.

2. On December 13, 2006, UL removed the case to this Court on the basis of diversity of citizenship.

3. In his Complaint, Ryan fails to allege any statute that would support his cause of action.

4. Because there is no statutory basis for any of the claims, Ryan's Complaint should be dismissed with prejudice and in its entirety, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6).

5. In further support of this motion, UL refers the Court to the accompanying Memorandum of Law in Support of Defendant's Motion to Dismiss.

Respectfully submitted,

UNDERWRITERS LABORATORIES, INC.

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I hereby certify that on the 16th day of January, 2007, a copy of the foregoing was filed electronically. Notice of this filing will be sent to the following parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system. Parties may access this filing through the Court's system.

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