

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

THOMAS D. EVANS,

Plaintiff,

v.

STOUGHTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT, *et al.*

Defendants.

ORDER

06-C-140-C

On November 9, 2006, this court held an in-person status conference to light a fire under plaintiff Thomas D. Evans's attempts to obtain a new attorney to replace David Lasker. I gave Evans (and Lasker) until December 1, 2006 within which to resolve this issue so that this case could move forward. Evans subsequently wrote a letter to the court (dkt. 16) asking for an extension until February 2, 2007 to find an attorney, asserting "if I am unable to secure new counsel by that time, I will drop my lawsuit." *Id.*

The court reluctantly will provide Evans with the time requested, but there shall be no additional extensions. If by February 2, 2007 an attorney has not filed an appearance on behalf of Evans in this case, then the court will dismiss this lawsuit for failure to prosecute it.

Entered this 11th day of December, 2006.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER

Magistrate Judge