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Eugene Volokh has taught First Amendment law, tort law, copyright law, and criminal law at UCLA School of Law. He is the author of a First Amendment textbook and of several dozen law review articles, on First Amendment law, privacy law, tort law, copyright law, criminal law, and more; his works have been cited over 150 times by state and federal courts, including in five U.S. Supreme Court cases (plus over 3500 times in other law review articles). Before going into teaching more than 20 years ago, he clerked for Ninth Circuit Chief Judge Alex Kozinski and Justice Sandra Day O'Connor. Since becoming an Academic Affiliate for Mayer Brown LLP in 2006, he has consulted on many cases, mostly related to media law and copyright law, and has argued eight appellate cases, in the Seventh Circuit and the Ninth Circuit and in state high courts in Indiana, Georgia, Nebraska, Texas, and Washington.

SELECTED EXPERIENCE

Agency for International Development v. Alliance for Open Society, Inc. (U.S. Supreme Court)

The United States Leadership Against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria Act of 2003 required any group that accepted government funds for combating HIV/AIDS abroad to have a policy explicitly opposing prostitution and sex trafficking.

Caperton v. A.T. Massey Coal Co. (U.S. Supreme Court)

Traditionally, in both British and American law, judges could be disqualified from participating in a case only if they had direct financial stakes in the case's outcome.

Local Search Ass'n v. City and County of San Francisco (Ninth Circuit)

We represented Yellow Pages publishers in a First Amendment challenge to a San Francisco ordinance outlawing the distribution of Yellow Pages directories without the recipient's prior or contemporaneous consent.

Mayo Collaborative Services v. Prometheus Laboratories, Inc. (U.S. Supreme Court)

This case concerned the scope and validity of a patent that Prometheus Laboratories claimed over the testing of certain metabolites in blood to monitor appropriate medication dosages.

United States v. Stevens (U.S. Supreme Court)

The Third Circuit held that a federal statute criminalizing the creation, sale, or possession of a depiction of animal cruelty violates the First Amendment.