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Take a Stand on the Mall: Noon Today!

Today, September 27th, we'll stand in front of Building 180 for a group picture in our "No HSPD-12" T-shirts. Join us today at noon, and wear your T-shirt if you have one. We'll have a limited supply of extra T-shirts – and even if you don't have a T-shirt, if you're on our side, stand with us anyway!

NASA demands that you open your life to anonymous government contractors for two full years, repeating every five years. Your entire past – and present – will be theirs to snoop through. Ever had an abortion? Are you gay? Is there anything in your life you'd rather keep private? NASA thinks it's all the government's business now.

We have kids and mortgages; we can't easily say no. But even if they can force you to sign, they can't force you to like it. If you want to show what you think of this travesty, take a stand with us **today at noon** in front of Building 180. We'll take a quick photo and then quietly disperse.

JPL pretends signing is "voluntary"

But we all know better – they don't quite have the guts to come out and say so, but they're threatening our jobs and we all know it. Want to make it clear that you signed only because your job was at stake? You can do so on our Web site. Already, over 150 JPLers have signed the statement, at www.hspd12jpl.org/statement.html. Add your voice today, and spread the word!

Lawsuit news: initial ruling expected next week

The first hearing of our lawsuit is on Monday, Oct 1. The judge's initial ruling is expected a day or two later; we hope for a temporary stop to the investigations. (For everyone, not just for the 28 plaintiffs. We're all in this together!)

No matter what happens, this hearing is just the first step in a very long process – but whether we win or lose this round, we want to **thank you** for the support you've shown us! Your reactions have been overwhelmingly positive – smiles, thumbs-up signs, and even impromptu donations! We've noticed, and we appreciate it.

The flier distributions will end after next week, but the Web site will remain. We'll continue to post news on the lawsuit and related developments during the whole ugly process, so keep an eye on it. It's the only place to learn the truth about what NASA and JPL will be able to do with your private info (nothing, we hope!).

How you can help

Spread the word with "No HSPD-12" mugs, buttons, mouse pads, and more from our non-profit online store, cafepress.com/hspd12jpl. Other ways to help:

- Distribute fliers
- Contribute to the legal fund
- Wear your "No HSPD-12" T-shirt
- Take a stand on the Mall, **noon today!**

www.hspd12jpl.org

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