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**FIRST ASSIGNMENT**

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**Assignment for first session (Wednesday, January 9, 2008)**

Please read the two cases (French and US) posted on the TWEN site under “Course Materials” for the January 9 session. What strike you as the most important differences between the two cases? What might explain these differences?

(If you want to compare a German case as well, please visit the excellent University of Texas Law School website: [http://www.utexas.edu/law/academics/centers/transnational/work/german-cases/cases\\_bundes.shtml?09nov1993](http://www.utexas.edu/law/academics/centers/transnational/work/german-cases/cases_bundes.shtml?09nov1993) )