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First, thanks to everyone for an enjoyable drafting session at the end of today's class. I've posted a .pdf of the Snack Attack Act of 2014 to the website for your review prior to our next class, and we'll begin with a discussion about your statutory language choices.

Brooke, Taylor and Sinya, you will be on our next reading panel for the class. When we finish with the Snack Attack Act, our discussion will turn to our first exploration of judicial interpretation of statutes. As our reading bench, I'll ask you to take the lead in closely analyzing the *Holy Trinity* decision – a long-standing icon of statutory interpretation. In particular, I'll ask each of you to defend or discuss the following viewpoints during our class discussion:

Brooke: Counsel for Church of the Holy Trinity

Taylor: Counsel for the United States
Sinya: Chief Justice of the United States

As always, you can find the readings and supplemental materials at the class website (http://www.law.uh.edu/faculty/thester/courses/Statutory2014/course.html).

Have a great weekend.

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