

## LS I – Research Class 1 Assignments

### EBook Reading:

<http://www.teachinglaw.com>

Research Strategies

The American Legal System

Legal Interaction

Primary Law v. Secondary Sources

Binding Law v. Persuasive Law

Research Sources

Mandatory v. Persuasive

### Quick Reference

Statutes

Courts and Cases

Administrative Law

### **Read, think about and take notes on:**

- *Robie v. Lillis*, 112 N.H. 492, 299 A.2d 155 (1972). (Note: most of the first two pages are the notes the publisher puts on the case. Read these for background information only.) The formal opinion starts at the bottom of page 2, where it reads “KENISON, Chief Justice.”)  
(posted document: **Robie v Lillis**)
- Identify the types of legal authorities Chief Justice Kenison uses in his opinion. Be prepared to discuss these kinds of authorities in class.
- Please **do NOT** brief this case. In the research classes, we will be discussing the way we would like to you to brief cases for our course.
- Read Briefing a Case  
(posted document: **Research Class 1 – Briefing a Case**)