



EX ANTE



Referring to the headline above, loyal reader Peter Hutt of Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld asked us, “If the WSJ can ask, mustn't you?” And so we do: How green are we?

MISSING BOBBLE, ORPHAN PICTURES

The notes Michael Kwun, Jack Metzler, and Adam Sachs sent to the *Bag* (see pages 15-16 below) are just a few of the dozens of inquiries we received regarding the “Bobblenapping” article by the BLA listed on the cover of the Summer 2008 issue. Here is the story. The BLA – the Bobblehead Liberation Army – stole a law professor’s William Rehnquist bobblehead, leaving behind a ransom note. The note was in the traditional style: each letter of each word in the note was clipped from a different source, making a clunky but readable collage of threats and demands. We sought permission from the leader of the BLA to publish the note in the *Green Bag*. The following exchange ensued:

Green Bag: [W]e need to go with a very short *Ex Post* this time (page counts and keeping issues from inflating, you know),