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By Hand and Electronic Mail

The Hon. Catherine O'Hagan Wolfe Clerk of Court United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit Thurgood Marshall Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: The Authors Guild, et al. v. Google Inc., No. 1:05-cv-08136-DC (S.D.N.Y.)

Dear Ms. Wolfe:

This firm represents Defendant-Petitioner Google Inc. in the above action, currently pending in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York.

Enclosed please find a petition pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23(f) for permission to appeal an order of the district court certifying a class. Pursuant to the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure and the Local Rules of the Second Circuit, we enclose one original and three copies of the petition and an appendix for filing. We have also enclosed a Form T-1080 Motion Information Statement.

If I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures

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