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                   IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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                     NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
                         SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
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     OVERTURE SERVICES, INC., a
     Delaware Corporation,
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                    Plaintiff,
                                       ) Case No. C 02-01991
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                                          CERTIFIED COPY
       -vs-
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     GOOGLE, INC., a California
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     Corporation,
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                   Defendant.
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                Videotaped deposition of JAMES P. NAUGHTON,
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       ESQ., taken before MARGARET A. BACHNER, CSR, RMR, CRR,
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       and Notary Public, pursuant to the Federal Rules of Civil
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       Procedure for the United States District Courts
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       pertaining to the taking of depositions, at Suite 3600B,
       NBC Tower, 455 North Cityfront Plaza Drive, Chicago,
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       Illinois, on the 15th day of April, A.D. 2004, at 8:38
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                   There were present at the taking of this
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       deposition the following counsel:
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1 .	been touched upon in connection with inventorship
2	discussions. The people I can recall speaking with on
3	the combined, or at least one of those topics well,
4	Darren Davis, Matthew Derer, Tod Kurt, probably Preston
5	Pfarner and Steve Skovran, Jay Gallinatti, Anthony
6	Molinaro.
7	Q. Okay. What do you recall discussing with Mr.
8	Davis about the investigation into dates and features of
9	GoTo.com's business?
10	MS. THAYER: I instruct you not to answer that on
11	the grounds of attorney-client privilege.
12	BY MS. DURIE:
13	Q. When did your conversation with Mr. Davis
14	about an investigation into the dates and features of
15	GoTo.com's business take place?
16	A. Which one?
17	Q. The one that you were just referring to.
18	A. The one I was just referring to occurred in
19	late 2001 or early 2002.
20	Q. Okay. Did you learn information from Mr.
21	Davis in that late 2001, early 2002 discussion about
22	dates and features of GoTo.com's business that was
23	different from information that you had learned in
24	connection with your earlier inquiries in 1999?

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1 .	THE WITNESS: Okay.
2	MS. THAYER: You can say generally as to the time
3	frame, but not specifically what you said.
4	BY THE WITNESS:
5	A. It was probably around the time that John
· 6	Rauch began work in connection with this prosecution.
7	BY MS. DURIE:
8	Q. What did you and Mr. Rauch discuss about
9	Exhibit 10?
10	MS. THAYER: I'd instruct you not to respond based
11	on privilege.
12	BY MS. DURIE:
13	Q. You also said that you had a conversation with
14	someone at GoTo about Exhibit 10. Can you recall the
15	name of that person?
16	A. I can't recall specifically.
17	Q. Was it Darren Davis?
18	A. At some point in time I probably did talk to
19	Darren about it.
20	Q. And what did you and Mr. Davis discuss about
21	Exhibit 10?
22	MS. THAYER: I instruct you not to answer. Client
23	privilege.
24	BY MS. DURIE:

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1 .	Q. Do you have any understanding as to why he was
2	not selected?
3	A. If we considered him, I don't currently have-a
4	recollection of specifically why we didn't use him.
5	Q. Okay. When Mr. Rauch began working on the
6	prosecution of the '361 patent, did you have any
7	conversations with him?
8	A. Did I have any conversations with him?
9	Q. Yes.
10	A. Yes.
11	Q. What did you tell him when he first started
12	working on the file?
13	MS. THAYER: Instruct you not to answer on the
14	ground of privilege.
15	BY MS. DURIE:
16	Q. Did you discuss with Mr. Rauch Overture's
17	system as it existed prior to May 28th, 1998?
18	A. At any time?
19	Q. At the time that he started working on the
20	case.
21	MS. THAYER: You can answer that yes, no, I don't
22	know.
23	BY THE WITNESS:
24	A. I believe so.
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1 .	BY MS. DURIE:
2	Q. What did you tell him?
3	MS. THAYER: I instruct you not to answer that based
4	on the privilege.
5	BY MS. DURIE:
6	Q. Did you tell Mr. Rauch that that precritical
7	date system was a test system?
8	MS. THAYER: I instruct you not to answer that.
9	Privilege.
10	BY MS. DURIE:
11	Q. And in each of these cases again you're
12	following your counsel's instruction, correct?
13	A. Yes.
14	Q. Did you tell Mr. Rauch that he did not need to
15	conduct any investigation into whether the claimed
16	invention had been in prior public use?
17	MS. THAYER: Can I hear that back?
18	BY MS. DURIE:
19	Q. I can read it again.
20	Did you tell Mr. Rauch that he did not need to
21	conduct any investigation into whether the claimed
22	invention had been in prior public use?
23	MS. THAYER: You should not answer that based on
24	privilege.

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1 .	BY MS. DURIE:
2 .	Q. Okay. Did you tell Mr. Rauch that the claims
3	of the patent were directed to inventions that had not
4	been in public use?
5	MS. THAYER: You should not answer that question.
. 6	Privilege.
7	BY MS. DURIE:
8	Q. Mr. Naughton, what is the definition of a
9	limitation in the context of a claim of a patent?
10	A. Definition of a limitation?
11	Q. What is a limitation?
12	A. There's all kinds of case law involving an
13	analysis of what is or is not a limitation. But
14	generally speaking, and people use it different ways, the
15	term can be used to describe something which defines or
16	limits the scope of a claimed invention.
17	Q. Okay. Now, in the what we're been referring
18	to as the beta system, the system that existed prior to
19	May 28th, 1998, did that system maintain any logs of
20	clicks?
21	MS. THAYER: Asked and answered.
22	BY THE WITNESS:
23	A. Yeah, I think we went through that.
24	BY MS. DURIE:

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1 .	Q. And the answer is?	
2	A. I don't recall specifically.	
3	Q. Okay. Did you ever ask Mr. Kurt whether the	
4	precritical date system maintained logs of clicks?	
5	MS. THAYER: You can answer that yes, no, I don't	
6	well,	
7	BY THE WITNESS:	
8	A. How about I may have?	
9	MS. THAYER: I will instruct you not to to answer	
10	that specific one based on privilege.	
11	BY MS. DURIE:	
12	Q. Okay. I have the same question with respect	
13	to Mr. Soulanille, which I know will get the same	
14	objection.	
15	MS. THAYER: That's correct.	
16	BY MS. DURIE:	
17	Q. Did you ask Mr. Soulanille whether the	
18	precritical date system maintained logs of clicks?	
19	MS. THAYER: Same instruction.	
20	BY MS. DURIE:	
21	Q. Okay. As you sit here today, do you know	
22	whether the precritical date system maintained logs of	
23	clicks?	
24	MS. THAYER: Asked and answered.	
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               The within and foregoing deposition of the
       aforementioned witness was taken before MARGARET A.
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       BACHNER, CSR and Notary Public, at the place, date and
       time aforementioned.
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       deposition the previously named counsel.
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                  The said witness was first duly sworn and
       was then examined upon oral interrogatories; the
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       questions and answers were taken down in shorthand by
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       Public; and the within and foregoing is a true, accurate
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       and complete record of all of the questions asked of and
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       answers made by the aforementioned witness, at the time
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                  The signature of the witness was not waived,
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       and the deposition was submitted, pursuant to Rules 30(e)
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       and 32(d) of the Rules of Civil Procedure for the United
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       States District Court, to the deponent per copy of the
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       attached letter.
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1 `	The undersigned is not interested in the
2	within case, nor of kin or counsel to any of the parties.
3	Witness my official signature and seal as
4	Notary Public in and for DuPage County, Illinois, on this
5	194 day of April , A.D. 2004.
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