# **EXHIBIT A**

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Sent: Wednesday, October 13, 2010 3:11 PM

To: Avalos, Julio

**Cc:** Gray, Thomas; Dalton, Amy

Subject: RE: Miller v. Facebook, Inc. & Yeo/Past Due Discovery Responses

#### Julio,

Thank you for this information. As described in your e-mail below, I have no problem with the confidentiality distinctions. I look forward to receiving the approved mark-ups from your client.

#### Thanks,

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**From:** Avalos, Julio [mailto:javalos@orrick.com] **Sent:** Wednesday, October 13, 2010 1:32 PM

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### Brian,

My Outlook says that I replied to you yesterday at 3:10 p.m. PST, but I don't see the e-mail in my sent mail. I apologize if you're receiving a duplicate e-mail.

We have sent our proposed markup of the protective order to the client and are awaiting their sign-off. The major edit that we have made to the order relates to creating different categories of protected documents. So for instance we're proposing that rather than having one catch-all category, we would have a base level of protection for documents marked CONFIDENTIAL and then a higher-level of protection for documents marked HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL. Highly confidential documents would be, with limited exceptions, attorneys' eyes only. In addition to attorneys, such documents might be disclosed to experts to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this litigation and who have signed an acknowledgment to be bound by the PO, the court and its personnel, court reporters, and the author of the document or the original source of the information.

While we await our client's feedback on the PO, perhaps we could get started discussing any issues that you anticipate with respect to this new category of protection.