GOOGLE'S PROPOSED ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE FOR JURY INSTRUCTION 23

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1 Pursuant to the Court's invitation at the charging conference, Google proposes that the 2 Court add the following language to patent jury instruction number 23: 3 To establish willful blindness, it is not enough under the law to show that there is merely a "known risk" that the induced acts are infringing, or that Google was 4 only deliberately indifferent to that risk. 5 The proposed language comes directly from Global-Tech Appliances, Inc. v. SEB S.A., 6 131 S. Ct. 2060 (2011), the case that recognized the possibility of willful blindness being applied 7 to indirect infringement. Specifically, it is drawn from the following passage: 8 The test applied by the Federal Circuit in this case departs from the proper willful blindness standard in two important respects. First, it permits a finding of 9 knowledge when there is merely a "known risk" that the induced acts are infringing. Second, in demanding only "deliberate indifference" to that risk, the 10 Federal Circuit's test does not require active efforts by an inducer to avoid knowing about the infringing nature of the activities. 11 Id. at 2071 (emphases added). 12 13 Dated: May 10, 2012 **KEKER & VAN NEST LLP** 14 /s/ Robert A. Van Nest By: ROBERT A. VAN NEST 15 Attorneys for Defendant 16 GOOGLE INC. 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28