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United States District Court  
For the Northern District of California

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ORACLE AMERICA, INC.,  
Plaintiff,

No. C 10-03561 WHA


v.

GOOGLE INC.,  
Defendant.

**NOTICE REGARDING  
ADMINISTRATIVE  
MOTIONS TO FILE  
DOCUMENTS UNDER SEAL**

Both sides seek permission to file a substantial portion of their pretrial submissions under seal (Dkt. Nos. 507, 532, 533, 537). These motions will be addressed at the final pretrial conference. Counsel are advised, however, that unless they identify a limited amount of exceptionally sensitive information that truly deserves protection, the motions will be denied outright. The United States district court is a public institution, and the workings of litigation must be open to public view. Pretrial submissions are a part of trial. "Compelling reasons," which amount to *more* than good cause, must be shown for sealing documents used in dispositive motions and at trial. *Kamakana v. Honolulu*, 447 F.3d 1172, 1179 (9th Cir. 2006).

Dated: October 16, 2011.

  
WILLIAM ALSUP  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE