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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

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ORACLE AMERICA, INC.

Case No. CV 10-03561 WHA

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Plaintiff,

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v.

**JOINT [PROPOSED]  
STIPULATED PROTECTIVE  
ORDER FOR LITIGATION  
INVOLVING PATENTS, HIGHLY  
SENSITIVE CONFIDENTIAL  
INFORMATION AND/OR TRADE  
SECRETS**

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GOOGLE, INC.

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Defendant.

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1. PURPOSES AND LIMITATIONS

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Disclosure and discovery activity in this action are likely to involve production of confidential, proprietary, or private information for which special protection from public disclosure and from use for any purpose other than prosecuting this litigation may be warranted. Accordingly, the parties hereby stipulate to and petition the court to enter the following Stipulated Protective Order. The parties acknowledge that this Order does not confer blanket protections on all disclosures or responses to discovery and that the protection it affords from public disclosure and use extends only to the limited information or items that are entitled to confidential treatment under the applicable legal principles. The parties further acknowledge, as set forth in Section 13.4, below, that this Stipulated Protective Order does not entitle them to file confidential information under seal; Civil Local Rule 79-5 sets forth the procedures that must be followed and

1 the standards that will be applied when a party seeks permission from the court to file material  
2 under seal.

3 2. DEFINITIONS

4 2.1 Challenging Party: a Party or Non-Party that challenges the designation of  
5 information or items under this Order.

6 2.2 “CONFIDENTIAL” Information or Items: information (regardless of how it is  
7 generated, stored or maintained) or tangible things that qualify for protection under Federal Rule  
8 of Civil Procedure 26(c).

9 2.3 Counsel (without qualifier): Outside Counsel of Record and House Counsel (as  
10 well as their support staff).

11 2.4 Designated House Counsel: House Counsel who seek access to “HIGHLY  
12 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” information in this matter.

13 2.5 Designating Party: a Party or Non-Party that designates information or items that  
14 it produces in disclosures or in responses to discovery as “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY  
15 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE  
16 CODE.”

17 2.6 Disclosure or Discovery Material: all items or information, regardless of the  
18 medium or manner in which it is generated, stored, or maintained (including, among other things,  
19 testimony, transcripts, and tangible things), that are produced or generated in disclosures or  
20 responses to discovery in this matter.

21 2.7 Expert: a person with specialized knowledge or experience in a matter pertinent to  
22 the litigation who (1) has been retained by a Party or its counsel to serve as an expert witness or  
23 as a consultant in this action, (2) is not a past or current employee of a Party or of a Party’s  
24 competitor, and (3) at the time of retention, is not anticipated to become an employee of a Party  
25 or of a Party’s competitor.

26 2.8 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” Information or  
27 Items: extremely sensitive “Confidential Information or Items,” disclosure of which to another  
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1 Party or Non-Party would create a substantial risk of serious harm that could not be avoided by  
2 less restrictive means.

3 2.9 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” Information or Items:  
4 extremely sensitive “Confidential Information or Items” representing computer code and  
5 associated comments and revision histories, formulas, engineering specifications, or schematics  
6 that define or otherwise describe in detail the algorithms or structure of software or hardware  
7 designs, disclosure of which to another Party or Non-Party would create a substantial risk of  
8 serious harm that could not be avoided by less restrictive means.

9 2.10 House Counsel: attorneys who are employees of a party to this action, except, for  
10 the purposes of this agreement only, counsel who are employees of any Oracle entity are  
11 considered House Counsel. House Counsel does not include Outside Counsel of Record or any  
12 other outside counsel.

13 2.11 Non-Party: any natural person, partnership, corporation, association, or other legal  
14 entity not named as a Party to this action.

15 2.12 Outside Counsel of Record: attorneys who are not employees of a party to this  
16 action, but are retained to represent or advise a party to this action and have appeared in this  
17 action on behalf of that party or are affiliated with a law firm which has appeared on behalf of  
18 that party, except, for the purposes of this agreement only, counsel who are employees of any  
19 Oracle entity who appear on behalf of Oracle America, Inc. are not considered Outside Counsel  
20 of Record.

21 2.13 Party: any party to this action, including all of its officers, directors, employees,  
22 consultants, retained experts, and Outside Counsel of Record (and their support staffs).

23 2.14 Producing Party: a Party or Non-Party that produces Disclosure or Discovery  
24 Material in this action.

25 2.15 Professional Vendors: persons or entities that provide litigation support services  
26 (e.g., photocopying, videotaping, translating, preparing exhibits or demonstrations, and  
27 organizing, storing, or retrieving data in any form or medium) and their employees and  
28 subcontractors.

1           2.16 Protected Material: any Disclosure or Discovery Material that is designated as  
2 “CONFIDENTIAL,” or as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.” or as  
3 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE.”

4           2.17 Receiving Party: a Party that receives Disclosure or Discovery Material from a  
5 Producing Party.

6       3.     SCOPE

7           The protections conferred by this Stipulation and Order cover not only Protected Material  
8 (as defined above), but also (1) any information copied or extracted from Protected Material; (2)  
9 all copies, excerpts, summaries, or compilations of Protected Material; and (3) any testimony,  
10 conversations, or presentations by Parties or their Counsel that might reveal Protected Material.  
11 However, the protections conferred by this Stipulation and Order do not cover the following  
12 information: (a) any information that is in the public domain at the time of disclosure to a  
13 Receiving Party or becomes part of the public domain after its disclosure to a Receiving Party as  
14 a result of publication not involving a violation of this Order, including becoming part of the  
15 public record through trial or otherwise; and (b) any information known to the Receiving Party  
16 prior to the disclosure or obtained by the Receiving Party after the disclosure from a source who  
17 obtained the information lawfully and under no obligation of confidentiality to the Designating  
18 Party. Any use of Protected Material at trial shall be governed by a separate agreement or order.

19       4.     DURATION

20           Even after final disposition of this litigation, the confidentiality obligations imposed by  
21 this Order shall remain in effect until a Designating Party agrees otherwise in writing or a court  
22 order otherwise directs. Final disposition shall be deemed to be the later of (1) dismissal of all  
23 claims and defenses in this action, with or without prejudice; and (2) final judgment herein after  
24 the completion and exhaustion of all appeals, rehearings, remands, trials, or reviews of this action,  
25 including the time limits for filing any motions or applications for extension of time pursuant to  
26 applicable law.

1        5.        DESIGNATING PROTECTED MATERIAL

2            5.1        Exercise of Restraint and Care in Designating Material for Protection. Each Party  
3 or Non-Party that designates information or items for protection under this Order must take care  
4 to limit any such designation to specific material that qualifies under the appropriate standards.  
5 To the extent it is practical to do so, the Designating Party must designate for protection only  
6 those parts of material, documents, items, or oral or written communications that qualify – so that  
7 other portions of the material, documents, items, or communications for which protection is not  
8 warranted are not swept unjustifiably within the ambit of this Order.

9            Mass, indiscriminate, or routinized designations are prohibited. Designations that are  
10 shown to be clearly unjustified or that have been made for an improper purpose (e.g., to  
11 unnecessarily encumber or retard the case development process or to impose unnecessary  
12 expenses and burdens on other parties) expose the Designating Party to sanctions.

13            If it comes to a Designating Party’s attention that information or items that it designated  
14 for protection do not qualify for protection at all or do not qualify for the level of protection  
15 initially asserted, that Designating Party must promptly notify all other parties that it is  
16 withdrawing the mistaken designation.

17            5.2        Manner and Timing of Designations. Except as otherwise provided in this Order  
18 (see, e.g., second paragraph of section 5.2(a) below), or as otherwise stipulated or ordered,  
19 Disclosure or Discovery Material that qualifies for protection under this Order must be clearly so  
20 designated before the material is disclosed or produced.

21            Designation in conformity with this Order requires:

22            (a)        for information in documentary form (e.g., paper or electronic documents,  
23 but excluding transcripts of depositions or other pretrial or trial proceedings), that the Producing  
24 Party affix the legend “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’  
25 EYES ONLY” “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” to each page that contains  
26 protected material. If only a portion or portions of the material on a page qualifies for protection,  
27 the Producing Party also must clearly identify the protected portion(s) (e.g., by making  
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1 appropriate markings in the margins) and must specify, for each portion, the level of protection  
2 being asserted.

3 A Party or Non-Party that makes original documents or materials available for inspection  
4 need not designate them for protection until after the inspecting Party has indicated which  
5 material it would like copied and produced. During the inspection and before the designation, all  
6 of the material made available for inspection shall be deemed “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
7 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.” After the inspecting Party has identified the documents it wants  
8 copied and produced, the Producing Party must determine which documents, or portions thereof,  
9 qualify for protection under this Order. Then, before producing the specified documents, the  
10 Producing Party must affix the appropriate legend (“CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY  
11 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE  
12 CODE”) to each page that contains Protected Material. If only a portion or portions of the  
13 material on a page qualifies for protection, the Producing Party also must clearly identify the  
14 protected portion(s) (e.g., by making appropriate markings in the margins) and must specify, for  
15 each portion, the level of protection being asserted.

16 (b) for testimony given in deposition or in other pretrial or trial proceedings,  
17 that the Designating Party identify on the record, before the close of the deposition, hearing, or  
18 other proceeding, all protected testimony and specify the level of protection being asserted.  
19 When it is impractical to identify separately each portion of testimony that is entitled to protection  
20 and it appears that substantial portions of the testimony may qualify for protection, the  
21 Designating Party may invoke on the record (before the deposition, hearing, or other proceeding  
22 is concluded) a right to have up to 21 days to identify the specific portions of the testimony as to  
23 which protection is sought and to specify the level of protection being asserted. Only those  
24 portions of the testimony that are appropriately designated for protection within the 21 days shall  
25 be covered by the provisions of this Stipulated Protective Order. Alternatively, a Designating  
26 Party may specify, at the deposition or up to 21 days afterwards if that period is properly invoked,  
27 that the entire transcript shall be treated as “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL  
28 – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.”

1 Parties shall give the other parties notice if they reasonably expect a deposition, hearing or  
2 other proceeding to include Protected Material so that the other parties can ensure that only  
3 authorized individuals who have signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound”  
4 (Exhibit A) are present at those proceedings. The use of a document as an exhibit at a deposition  
5 shall not in any way affect its designation as “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY  
6 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.”

7 Transcripts containing Protected Material shall have an obvious legend on the title page  
8 that the transcript contains Protected Material, and the title page shall be followed by a list of all  
9 pages (including line numbers as appropriate) that have been designated as Protected Material and  
10 the level of protection being asserted by the Designating Party. The Designating Party shall  
11 inform the court reporter of these requirements. Any transcript that is prepared before the  
12 expiration of a 21-day period for designation shall be treated during that period as if it had been  
13 designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” in its entirety unless  
14 otherwise agreed. After the expiration of that period, the transcript shall be treated only as  
15 actually designated.

16 (c) for information produced in some form other than documentary and for any  
17 other tangible items, that the Producing Party affix in a prominent place on the exterior of the  
18 container or containers in which the information or item is stored the legend “CONFIDENTIAL”  
19 or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
20 SOURCE CODE.” If only a portion or portions of the information or item warrant protection, the  
21 Producing Party, to the extent practicable, shall identify the protected portion(s) and specify the  
22 level of protection being asserted.

23 5.3 Inadvertent Failures to Designate. If timely corrected, an inadvertent failure to  
24 designate qualified information or items does not, standing alone, waive the Designating Party’s  
25 right to secure protection under this Order for such material. Upon timely correction of a  
26 designation, the Receiving Party must make reasonable efforts to assure that the material is  
27 treated in accordance with the provisions of this Order. Inadvertent failure to designate by itself  
28 does not waive privilege.

1     6.     CHALLENGING CONFIDENTIALITY DESIGNATIONS

2           6.1     Timing of Challenges. Any Party or Non-Party may challenge a designation of  
3 confidentiality at any time. Unless a prompt challenge to a Designating Party's confidentiality  
4 designation is necessary to avoid foreseeable, substantial unfairness, unnecessary economic  
5 burdens, or a significant disruption or delay of the litigation, a Party does not waive its right to  
6 challenge a confidentiality designation by electing not to mount a challenge promptly after the  
7 original designation is disclosed.

8           6.2     Meet and Confer. The Challenging Party shall initiate the dispute resolution  
9 process by providing written notice of each designation it is challenging and describing the basis  
10 for each challenge. To avoid ambiguity as to whether a challenge has been made, the written  
11 notice must recite that the challenge to confidentiality is being made in accordance with this  
12 specific paragraph of the Protective Order. The parties shall attempt to resolve each challenge in  
13 good faith and must begin the process by conferring directly (in voice to voice dialogue; other  
14 forms of communication are not sufficient) within 14 days of the date of service of notice. In  
15 conferring, the Challenging Party must explain the basis for its belief that the confidentiality  
16 designation was not proper and must give the Designating Party an opportunity to review the  
17 designated material, to reconsider the circumstances, and, if no change in designation is offered,  
18 to explain the basis for the chosen designation. A Challenging Party may proceed to the next  
19 stage of the challenge process only if it has engaged in this meet and confer process first or  
20 establishes that the Designating Party is unwilling to participate in the meet and confer process in  
21 a timely manner.

22           6.3     Judicial Intervention. If the Parties cannot resolve a challenge without court  
23 intervention, the Designating Party shall file and serve a motion to retain confidentiality under  
24 Civil Local Rule 7 (and in compliance with Civil Local Rule 79-5, if applicable) within 21 days  
25 of the initial notice of challenge or within 14 days of the parties agreeing that the meet and confer  
26 process will not resolve their dispute, whichever is earlier. Each such motion must be  
27 accompanied by a competent declaration affirming that the movant has complied with the meet  
28 and confer requirements imposed in the preceding paragraph. Failure by the Designating Party to

1 make such a motion including the required declaration within 21 days (or 14 days, if applicable)  
2 shall automatically waive the confidentiality designation for each challenged designation. In  
3 addition, the Challenging Party may file a motion challenging a confidentiality designation at any  
4 time if there is good cause for doing so, including a challenge to the designation of a deposition  
5 transcript or any portions thereof. Any motion brought pursuant to this provision must be  
6 accompanied by a competent declaration affirming that the movant has complied with the meet  
7 and confer requirements imposed by the preceding paragraph.

8 The burden of persuasion in any such challenge proceeding shall be on the Designating  
9 Party. Frivolous challenges and those made for an improper purpose (e.g., to harass or impose  
10 unnecessary expenses and burdens on other parties) may expose the Challenging Party to  
11 sanctions. Unless the Designating Party has waived the confidentiality designation by failing to  
12 file a motion to retain confidentiality as described above, all parties shall continue to afford the  
13 material in question the level of protection to which it is entitled under the Producing Party's  
14 designation until the court rules on the challenge.

## 15 7. ACCESS TO AND USE OF PROTECTED MATERIAL

16 7.1 Basic Principles. A Receiving Party may use Protected Material that is disclosed  
17 or produced by another Party or by a Non-Party in connection with this case only for prosecuting,  
18 defending, or attempting to settle this litigation. Such Protected Material may be disclosed only  
19 to the categories of persons and under the conditions described in this Order. When the litigation  
20 has been terminated, a Receiving Party must comply with the provisions of section 15 below  
21 (FINAL DISPOSITION).

22 Protected Material must be stored and maintained by a Receiving Party at a location and  
23 in a secure manner that ensures that access is limited to the persons authorized under this Order.

24 7.2 Disclosure of "CONFIDENTIAL" Information or Items. Unless otherwise  
25 ordered by the court or permitted in writing by the Designating Party, a Receiving Party may  
26 disclose any information or item designated "CONFIDENTIAL" only to:

27 (a) the Receiving Party's Outside Counsel of Record in this action, as well as  
28 employees of said Outside Counsel of Record to whom it is reasonably necessary to disclose the

1 information for this litigation and who have signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be  
2 Bound” that is attached hereto as Exhibit A;

3 (b) the officers, directors, and employees (including House Counsel) of the  
4 Receiving Party to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this litigation and who have  
5 signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound” (Exhibit A);

6 (c) Experts (as defined in this Order) of the Receiving Party to whom  
7 disclosure is reasonably necessary for this litigation and who have signed the “Acknowledgment  
8 and Agreement to Be Bound” (Exhibit A);

9 (d) the court and its personnel;

10 (e) court reporters and their staff, professional jury or trial consultants, and  
11 Professional Vendors to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this litigation and who have  
12 signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound” (Exhibit A);

13 (f) during their depositions, witnesses in the action to whom disclosure is  
14 reasonably necessary and who have signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound”  
15 (Exhibit A), unless otherwise agreed by the Designating Party or ordered by the court. Pages of  
16 transcribed deposition testimony or exhibits to depositions that reveal Protected Material must be  
17 separately bound by the court reporter and may not be disclosed to anyone except as permitted  
18 under this Stipulated Protective Order.

19 (g) the author or recipient of a document containing the information or a  
20 custodian or other person who otherwise possessed or knew the information.

21 7.3 Disclosure of “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” and  
22 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” Information or Items.

23 Unless otherwise ordered by the court or permitted in writing by the Designating Party, a  
24 Receiving Party may disclose any information or item designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
25 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” only to:

26 (a) the Receiving Party’s Outside Counsel of Record in this action, as well as  
27 employees of said Outside Counsel of Record to whom it is reasonably necessary to disclose the  
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1 information for this litigation and who have signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be  
2 Bound” that is attached hereto as Exhibit A;

3 (b) Up to five (5) Designated House Counsel of the Receiving Party (1) who  
4 has no involvement in competitive decision-making, (2) to whom disclosure is reasonably  
5 necessary for this litigation, (3) who has signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be  
6 Bound” (Exhibit A), and (4) as to whom the procedures set forth in paragraph 7.4(a)(1), below,  
7 have been followed; provided, however, that this provision shall apply only to information  
8 designated as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY” and shall not apply  
9 to information designated as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE,” to which no  
10 House Counsel shall have access, per paragraph 9(b);

11 (c) Experts of the Receiving Party (1) to whom disclosure is reasonably  
12 necessary for this litigation, (2) who have signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be  
13 Bound” (Exhibit A), and (3) as to whom the procedures set forth in paragraph 7.4(a)(2), below,  
14 have been followed;

15 (d) the court and its personnel;

16 (e) court reporters and their staff, professional jury or trial consultants, and  
17 Professional Vendors to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this litigation and who have  
18 signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound” (Exhibit A); and

19 (f) the author or recipient of a document containing the information or a  
20 custodian or other person who otherwise possessed or knew the information.

21 7.4 Procedures for Approving or Objecting to Disclosure of “HIGHLY  
22 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE  
23 CODE” Information or Items to Designated House Counsel or Experts.

24 (a) (1) Unless otherwise ordered by the court or agreed to in writing by the  
25 Designating Party, a Party that seeks to disclose to Designated House Counsel any information or  
26 item that has been designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY”  
27 pursuant to paragraph 7.3(b) first must make a written request to the Designating Party that (1)  
28 sets forth the full name of the Designated House Counsel and the city and state of his or her

1 residence, and (2) describes the Designated House Counsel’s current and reasonably foreseeable  
2 future primary job duties and responsibilities in sufficient detail to determine if House Counsel is  
3 involved, or may become involved, in any competitive decision-making. For purposes of this  
4 Order, “competitive decision-making” shall mean decision-making relating to any and all  
5 decisions made in light of or that take into account information regarding a competitor or  
6 potential competitor, including but not limited to such decisions regarding contracts, marketing,  
7 employment, pricing, product or service development or design, product or service offerings,  
8 research and development, or licensing, acquisition or enforcement of intellectual property rights  
9 (other than this action), provided, however, that this phrase shall be interpreted in accordance  
10 with the relevant case law. Any Designated House Counsel who receives “HIGHLY  
11 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” information pursuant to this Order shall  
12 promptly disclose to the Designating Party any relevant changes in job duties or responsibilities  
13 during the pendency of this litigation to allow the Designating Party to evaluate any later-arising  
14 competitive decision-making responsibilities.

15 (a) (2) Unless otherwise ordered by the court or agreed to in writing by the  
16 Designating Party, a Party that seeks to disclose to an Expert (as defined in this Order) any  
17 information or item that has been designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’  
18 EYES ONLY” “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” pursuant to paragraph 7.3(c)  
19 first must make a written request to the Designating Party that (1) identifies the general categories  
20 of “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY  
21 CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” information that the Receiving Party seeks permission to  
22 disclose to the Expert, (2) sets forth the full name of the Expert and the city and state of his or her  
23 primary residence, (3) attaches a copy of the Expert’s current resume, (4) identifies the Expert’s  
24 current employer(s), (5) identifies each person or entity from whom the Expert has received  
25 compensation or funding for work in his or her areas of expertise or to whom the expert has  
26 provided professional services, including in connection with a litigation, at any time during the  
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1 preceding five years,<sup>1</sup> and (6) identifies (by name and number of the case, filing date, and location  
2 of court) any litigation in connection with which the Expert has offered expert testimony,  
3 including through a declaration, report, or testimony at a deposition or trial, during the preceding  
4 five years.

5 (b) A Party that makes a request and provides the information specified in the  
6 preceding respective paragraphs may disclose the subject Protected Material to the identified  
7 Designated House Counsel or Expert unless, within 14 days of delivering the request, the Party  
8 receives a written objection from the Designating Party. Any such objection must set forth in  
9 detail the grounds on which it is based.

10 (c) A Party that receives a timely written objection must meet and confer with  
11 the Designating Party (through direct voice to voice dialogue) to try to resolve the matter by  
12 agreement within seven days of the written objection. If no agreement is reached, the Party  
13 seeking to make the disclosure to Designated House Counsel or the Expert may file a motion as  
14 provided in Civil Local Rule 7 (and in compliance with Civil Local Rule 79-5, if applicable)  
15 seeking permission from the court to do so. Any such motion must describe the circumstances  
16 with specificity, set forth in detail the reasons why the disclosure to Designated House Counsel or  
17 the Expert is reasonably necessary, assess the risk of harm that the disclosure would entail, and  
18 suggest any additional means that could be used to reduce that risk. In addition, any such motion  
19 must be accompanied by a competent declaration describing the parties' efforts to resolve the  
20 matter by agreement (i.e., the extent and the content of the meet and confer discussions) and  
21 setting forth the reasons advanced by the Designating Party for its refusal to approve the  
22 disclosure.

23 In any such proceeding, the Party opposing disclosure to Designated House Counsel or the  
24 Expert shall bear the burden of proving that the risk of harm that the disclosure would entail

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26 <sup>1</sup> If the Expert believes any of this information is subject to a confidentiality obligation to a third-  
27 party, then the Expert should provide whatever information the Expert believes can be disclosed  
28 without violating any confidentiality agreements, and the Party seeking to disclose to the Expert  
shall be available to meet and confer with the Designating Party regarding any such engagement.

1 (under the safeguards proposed) outweighs the Receiving Party’s need to disclose the Protected  
2 Material to its Designated House Counsel or Expert.

3 8. PROSECUTION BAR

4 Absent written consent from the Producing Party, any individual who receives access to  
5 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
6 SOURCE CODE” information shall not be involved in the prosecution of patents or patent  
7 applications relating to operating systems, virtual machines, pre-processors, compilers, linkers,  
8 interpreters, middleware, or applications for mobile platforms or devices, including without  
9 limitation the patents asserted in this action and any patent or application claiming priority to or  
10 otherwise related to the patents asserted in this action, before any foreign or domestic agency,  
11 including the United States Patent and Trademark Office (“the Patent Office”). For purposes of  
12 this paragraph, “prosecution” includes directly or indirectly drafting, amending, advising, or  
13 otherwise affecting the scope or maintenance of patent claims. To avoid any doubt,  
14 “prosecution” as used in this paragraph does not include representing a party challenging a patent  
15 before a domestic or foreign agency (including, but not limited to, a reissue protest, ex parte  
16 reexamination or inter partes reexamination). This Prosecution Bar shall begin when access to  
17 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
18 SOURCE CODE” information is first received by the affected individual and shall end two (2)  
19 years after final termination of this action.

20 9. SOURCE CODE

21 (a) To the extent production of source code becomes necessary in this case, a  
22 Producing Party may designate source code as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - SOURCE CODE”  
23 if it comprises or includes confidential, proprietary or trade secret source code.

24 (b) Protected Material designated as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE  
25 CODE” shall be subject to all of the protections afforded to “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
26 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY”, and may be disclosed only to the individuals to whom “HIGHLY  
27 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” information may be disclosed, as set forth in  
28 Paragraphs 7.3 and 7.4, with the exception of Designated House Counsel.

1 (c) Any source code produced in discovery shall be made available for  
2 inspection, in a format allowing it to be reasonably reviewed and searched, during normal  
3 business hours or at other mutually agreeable times, at an office of the Producing Party's counsel  
4 or another mutually agreed upon location. The source code shall be made available for inspection  
5 on a secured computer in a secured room without Internet access or network access to other  
6 computers, and the Receiving Party shall not copy, remove, or otherwise transfer any portion of  
7 the source code onto any recordable media or recordable device. The Producing Party may  
8 visually monitor the activities of the Receiving Party's representatives during any source code  
9 review, but only to ensure that there is no unauthorized recording, copying, or transmission of the  
10 source code.

11 (d) The Receiving Party and its experts may need to utilize certain automated  
12 forensic tools as part of the source code review procedure. Such tools may be used to compare  
13 source code. The parties will work together to agree on acceptable forensic tools and procedures.

14 (e) The Receiving Party may request paper copies of limited portions of source  
15 code that are reasonably necessary for the preparation of court filings, pleadings, expert reports,  
16 or other papers, or for deposition or trial, but shall not request paper copies for the purposes of  
17 reviewing the source code other than electronically as set forth in paragraph (c) in the first  
18 instance. The Producing Party shall provide all such source code in paper form including bates  
19 numbers and the label "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - SOURCE CODE." The Producing Party  
20 may challenge the amount of source code requested in hard copy form pursuant to the dispute  
21 resolution procedure and timeframes set forth in Paragraph 6 whereby the Producing Party is the  
22 "Challenging Party" and the Receiving Party is the "Designating Party" for purposes of dispute  
23 resolution.

24 (f) The Receiving Party shall maintain a record of any individual who has  
25 inspected any portion of the source code in electronic or paper form. The Receiving Party shall  
26 maintain all paper copies of any printed portions of the source code in a secured, locked area.  
27 The Receiving Party shall not create any electronic or other images of the paper copies and shall  
28 not convert any of the information contained in the paper copies into any electronic format. The

1 Receiving Party shall only make additional paper copies if such additional copies are (1)  
2 necessary to prepare court filings, pleadings, or other papers (including a testifying expert's  
3 expert report), (2) necessary for deposition, or (3) otherwise necessary for the preparation of its  
4 case. Any paper copies used during a deposition shall be retrieved by the Producing Party at the  
5 end of each day and must not be given to or left with a court reporter or any other individual.

6 10. PROTECTED MATERIAL SUBPOENAED OR ORDERED PRODUCED IN OTHER  
7 LITIGATION

8 If a Party is served with a subpoena or a court order issued in other litigation that compels  
9 disclosure of any information or items designated in this action as "CONFIDENTIAL" or  
10 "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY" or "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
11 SOURCE CODE" that Party must:

12 (a) promptly notify in writing the Designating Party. Such notification shall  
13 include a copy of the subpoena or court order;

14 (b) promptly notify in writing the party who caused the subpoena or order to  
15 issue in the other litigation that some or all of the material covered by the subpoena or order is  
16 subject to this Protective Order. Such notification shall include a copy of this Stipulated  
17 Protective Order; and

18 (c) cooperate with respect to all reasonable procedures sought to be pursued by  
19 the Designating Party whose Protected Material may be affected.

20 If the Designating Party timely seeks a protective order, the Party served with the  
21 subpoena or court order shall not produce any information designated in this action as  
22 "CONFIDENTIAL" or "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY" or  
23 "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE" before a determination by the court from  
24 which the subpoena or order issued, unless the Party has obtained the Designating Party's  
25 permission. The Designating Party shall bear the burden and expense of seeking protection in  
26 that court of its confidential material – and nothing in these provisions should be construed as  
27 authorizing or encouraging a Receiving Party in this action to disobey a lawful directive from  
28 another court.

1 11. A NON-PARTY’S PROTECTED MATERIAL SOUGHT TO BE PRODUCED IN THIS  
2 LITIGATION

3 (a) The terms of this Order are applicable to information produced by a Non-  
4 Party in this action and designated as “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –  
5 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE.” Such  
6 information produced by Non-Parties in connection with this litigation is protected by the  
7 remedies and relief provided by this Order. Nothing in these provisions should be construed as  
8 prohibiting a Non-Party from seeking additional protections.

9 (b) In the event that a Party is required, by a valid discovery request, to  
10 produce a Non-Party’s confidential information in its possession, and the Party is subject to an  
11 agreement with the Non-Party not to produce the Non-Party’s confidential information, then the  
12 Party shall:

13 1. promptly notify in writing the Requesting Party and the Non-Party  
14 that some or all of the information requested is subject to a confidentiality agreement with a Non-  
15 Party;

16 2. promptly provide the Non-Party with a copy of the Stipulated  
17 Protective Order in this litigation, the relevant discovery request(s), and a reasonably specific  
18 description of the information requested; and

19 3. make the information requested available for inspection by the  
20 Non-Party.

21 (c) If the Non-Party fails to object or seek a protective order from this court  
22 within 14 days of receiving the notice and accompanying information, the Receiving Party may  
23 produce the Non-Party’s confidential information responsive to the discovery request. If the  
24 Non-Party timely seeks a protective order, the Receiving Party shall not produce any information  
25 in its possession or control that is subject to the confidentiality agreement with the Non-Party  
26 before a determination by the court. Absent a court order to the contrary, the Non-Party shall  
27 bear the burden and expense of seeking protection in this court of its Protected Material.  
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1 12. UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED MATERIAL

2 If a Receiving Party learns that, by inadvertence or otherwise, it has disclosed Protected  
3 Material to any person or in any circumstance not authorized under this Stipulated Protective  
4 Order, the Receiving Party must immediately (a) notify in writing the Designating Party of the  
5 unauthorized disclosures, (b) use its best efforts to retrieve all unauthorized copies of the  
6 Protected Material, (c) inform the person or persons to whom unauthorized disclosures were  
7 made of all the terms of this Order, and (d) request such person or persons to execute the  
8 “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound” that is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

9 13. INADVERTENT PRODUCTION OF PRIVILEGED OR OTHERWISE PROTECTED  
10 MATERIAL

11 If information is produced in discovery that is subject to a claim of privilege or of  
12 protection as trial-preparation material, the party making the claim may notify any party that  
13 received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must  
14 promptly return or destroy the specified information and any copies it has and may not sequester,  
15 use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved. This includes a restriction against  
16 presenting the information to the court for a determination of the claim. Inadvertent production is  
17 itself no waiver of privilege.

18 14. MISCELLANEOUS

19 14.1 Right to Further Relief. Nothing in this Order abridges the right of any person to  
20 seek its modification by the court in the future.

21 14.2 Right to Assert Other Objections. By stipulating to the entry of this Protective  
22 Order no Party waives any right it otherwise would have to object to disclosing or producing any  
23 information or item on any ground not addressed in this Stipulated Protective Order. Similarly,  
24 no Party waives any right to object on any ground to use in evidence of any of the material  
25 covered by this Protective Order.

26 14.3 Export Control. Disclosure of Protected Material shall be subject to all applicable  
27 laws and regulations relating to the export of technical data contained in such Protected Material,  
28 including the release of such technical data to foreign persons or nationals in the United States or

1 elsewhere. The Producing Party shall be responsible for identifying any such controlled technical  
2 data, and the Receiving Party shall take measures necessary to ensure compliance.

3 14.4 Filing Protected Material. Without written permission from the Designating Party  
4 or a court order secured after appropriate notice to all interested persons, a Party may not file in  
5 the public record in this action any Protected Material. A Party that seeks to file under seal any  
6 Protected Material must comply with Civil Local Rule 79-5. Protected Material may only be  
7 filed under seal pursuant to a court order authorizing the sealing of the specific Protected Material  
8 at issue. Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 79-5, a sealing order will issue only upon a request  
9 establishing that the Protected Material at issue is privileged, protectable as a trade secret, or  
10 otherwise entitled to protection under the law. If a Receiving Party's request to file Protected  
11 Material under seal pursuant to Civil Local Rule 79-5(d) is denied by the court, then the  
12 Receiving Party may file the Protected Material in the public record pursuant to Civil Local Rule  
13 79-5(e) unless otherwise instructed by the court.

14 15. FINAL DISPOSITION

15 Within 60 days after the final disposition of this action, as defined in paragraph 4, each  
16 Receiving Party must return all Protected Material to the Producing Party or destroy such  
17 material. As used in this subdivision, "all Protected Material" includes all copies, abstracts,  
18 compilations, summaries, and any other format reproducing or capturing any of the Protected  
19 Material. Whether the Protected Material is returned or destroyed, the Receiving Party must  
20 submit a written certification to the Producing Party (and, if not the same person or entity, to the  
21 Designating Party) by the 60 day deadline that (1) identifies (by category, where appropriate) all  
22 the Protected Material that was returned or destroyed and (2) affirms that the Receiving Party has  
23 not retained any copies, abstracts, compilations, summaries or any other format reproducing or  
24 capturing any of the Protected Material. Notwithstanding this provision, Counsel are entitled to  
25 retain an archival copy of all pleadings, motion papers, trial, deposition, and hearing transcripts,  
26 legal memoranda, correspondence, deposition and trial exhibits, expert reports, attorney work  
27 product, and consultant and expert work product, even if such materials contain Protected  
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Material. Any such archival copies that contain or constitute Protected Material remain subject to this Protective Order as set forth in Section 4 (DURATION).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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Honorable William Alsup  
United State District Court Judge

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EXHIBIT A

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND AGREEMENT TO BE BOUND

I, \_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full name], of  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full address], declare  
under penalty of perjury that I have read in its entirety and understand the Stipulated Protective  
Order that was issued by the United States District Court for the Northern District of California  
on \_\_\_\_\_ [date] in the case of Oracle America, Inc. v. Google, Inc., Case No. CV 10-  
03561 WHA. I agree to comply with and to be bound by all the terms of this Stipulated  
Protective Order and I understand and acknowledge that failure to so comply could expose me to  
sanctions and punishment in the nature of contempt. I solemnly promise that I will not disclose in  
any manner any information or item that is subject to this Stipulated Protective Order to any  
person or entity except in strict compliance with the provisions of this Order.

I further agree to submit to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the  
Northern District of California for the purpose of enforcing the terms of this Stipulated Protective  
Order, even if such enforcement proceedings occur after termination of this action.

I hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full name] of  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full address and  
telephone number] as my California agent for service of process in connection with this action or  
any proceedings related to enforcement of this Stipulated Protective Order.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

City and State where sworn and signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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