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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SONY COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT,

No. C 11-00167 JCS

MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE A

REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Plaintiff(s),

v.

GEORGE HOTZ,

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Defendant(s).

REOUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

The undersigned party in the above-captioned civil matter hereby declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District Judge.

Dated: //////

Counsel for Sony Compute Surj (Name or party or indicate "pro se")