

United States District Court  
For the Northern District of California

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SYNOSYS, INC.,  
Plaintiff(s),  
v.  
ATOPTECH, INC.,  
Defendant(s).

No. C-13-02965-MMC (DMR)

**ORDER RE: PLAINTIFF'S EX PARTE  
DISCOVERY LETTER [DOCKET NO.  
103]**

Plaintiff Synopsys, Inc. has filed an ex parte discovery letter. [Docket No. 103.] Defendant ATopTech, Inc. separately filed a response requesting that this court postpone action on the disputes raised in Synopsys' letter. [Docket No. 105.]

On March 7, 2014, Judge Chesney issued an order disqualifying ATopTech's counsel, and ATopTech has subsequently filed a motion requesting that Judge Chesney stay the disqualification order and a writ of mandamus with the Federal Circuit seeking reversal of the disqualification order, both of which remain pending. Given the procedural posture of the case, judicial intervention regarding the discovery disputes raised in Synopsys' letter shall be postponed until after Judge Chesney's ruling on ATopTech's motion to stay.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 16, 2014



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DONNA M. RYU  
United States Magistrate Judge