

1 Protective Order. The parties acknowledge that this Order does not confer blanket protections on
2 all disclosures or responses to discovery and that the protection it affords from public disclosure
3 and use extends only to the limited information or items that are entitled to confidential treatment
4 under the applicable legal principles. The parties further acknowledge, as set forth in Section 14.4,
5 below, that this Stipulated Protective Order does not entitle them to file confidential information
6 under seal. Civil Local Rule 79-5 sets forth the procedures that must be followed and the standards
7 that will be applied when a party seeks permission from the court to file material under seal.

8 2. DEFINITIONS

9 2.1 Challenging Party: a Party or Non-Party that challenges the designation of
10 information or items under this Order.

11 2.2 “CONFIDENTIAL” Information or Items: information (regardless of how it is
12 generated, stored or maintained) or tangible things that qualify for protection under Federal Rule
13 of Civil Procedure 26(c).

14 2.3 Counsel (without qualifier): Outside Counsel and House Counsel (as well as their
15 support staff).

16 2.4 Designated House Counsel: House Counsel who seek access to “HIGHLY
17 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE
18 CODE” information in this matter.

19 2.5 Designating Party: a Party or Non-Party that designates information or items that it
20 produces in disclosures or in responses to discovery as “CONFIDENTIAL,” “HIGHLY
21 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY,” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE
22 CODE.”

23 2.6 Disclosure or Discovery Material: all items or information, regardless of the
24 medium or manner in which it is generated, stored, or maintained (including, among other things,
25 testimony, transcripts, and tangible things), that are produced or generated in disclosures or
26 responses to discovery in this matter.

27 2.7 Expert: a person with specialized knowledge or experience in a matter pertinent to
28 the litigation who (1) has been retained by a Party or its counsel to serve as an expert witness or as

1 a consultant in this action, (2) is not a past or current employee of a Party or of a Party's
2 competitor, and (3) at the time of retention, is not anticipated to become an employee of a Party or
3 of a Party's competitor.

4 2.8 "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY" Information or
5 Items: extremely sensitive "Confidential Information or Items," disclosure of which to another
6 Party or Non-Party would create a substantial risk of serious harm that could not be avoided by
7 less restrictive means.

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

14 2.10 House Counsel: attorneys who are employees of any of the "Artec Group of
15 Companies," as defined in the operative Complaint or employees of ID-WISE SIA or A-STAR
16 LLC. House Counsel does not include Outside Counsel.

17 2.11 Non-Party: any natural person, partnership, corporation, association, or other legal
18 entity not named as a Party to this action.

19 2.11 Outside Counsel: The term "Outside Counsel" means attorneys (including litigation
20 and clerical support staff thereof) who are not employees of a Party to this Litigation but are
21 retained to represent or advise a Party in connection with the subject matter of this Litigation. The
22 term "Outside Counsel" includes outside counsel of record who have appeared in this action on
23 behalf of that party or are affiliated with a law firm which has appeared on behalf of that party, as
24 well as other retained counsel that has not appeared but has executed the "Acknowledgement and
25 Agreement to Be Bound" (Exhibit A).

26 2.13 Party: any party to this action, including all of its officers, directors, employees,
27 consultants, retained experts, and Outside Counsel (and their support staffs).

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1 2.14 Producing Party: a Party or Non-Party that produces Disclosure or Discovery
2 Material in this action.

3 2.15 Professional Vendors: persons or entities that provide litigation support services
4 (e.g., photocopying, videotaping, translating, preparing exhibits or demonstrations, and
5 organizing, storing, or retrieving data in any form or medium) and their employees and
6 subcontractors.

7 2.16 Protected Material: any Disclosure or Discovery Material that is designated as
8 “CONFIDENTIAL,” or as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY,” or as
9 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE.”

10 2.17 Receiving Party: a Party that receives Disclosure or Discovery Material from a
11 Producing Party.

12 3. SCOPE

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

25 4. DURATION

26 Even after final disposition of this litigation, the confidentiality obligations imposed by this
27 Order shall remain in effect until a Designating Party agrees otherwise in writing or a court order
28 otherwise directs. Final disposition shall be deemed to be the later of (1) dismissal of all claims

1 and defenses in this action, with or without prejudice; and (2) final judgment herein after the
2 completion and exhaustion of all appeals, rehearings, remands, trials, or reviews of this action,
3 including the time limits for filing any motions or applications for extension of time pursuant to
4 applicable law. For a period of six months after final disposition of this litigation, this court will retain
jurisdiction to enforce the terms of this order.

5 5. DESIGNATING PROTECTED MATERIAL

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

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

17 If it comes to a Designating Party's attention that information or items that it designated
18 for protection do not qualify for protection at all or do not qualify for the level of protection
19 initially asserted, that Designating Party must promptly notify all other parties that it is
20 withdrawing the mistaken designation.

21 5.2 Manner and Timing of Designations. Except as otherwise provided in this Order
22 (see, e.g., second paragraph of section 5.2(a) below), or as otherwise stipulated or ordered,
23 Disclosure or Discovery Material that qualifies for protection under this Order must be clearly so
24 designated before the material is disclosed or produced.

25 Designation in conformity with this Order requires:

26 (a) for information in documentary form (e.g., paper or electronic documents, but
27 excluding transcripts of depositions or other pretrial or trial proceedings), that the Producing Party
28 affix the legend "CONFIDENTIAL," "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS' EYES

1 ONLY,” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” to each page by watermark or other
2 label, that contains protected material. If only a portion or portions of the material on a page
3 qualifies for protection, the Producing Party also must clearly identify the protected portion(s)
4 (e.g., by making appropriate markings in the margins) and must specify, for each portion, the level
5 of protection being asserted.

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

19 (b) for testimony given in deposition or in other pretrial or trial proceedings, that the
20 Designating Party identify on the record, before the close of the deposition, hearing, or other
21 proceeding, all protected testimony and specify the level of protection being asserted. When it is
22 impractical to identify separately each portion of testimony that is entitled to protection and it
23 appears that substantial portions of the testimony may qualify for protection, the Designating Party
24 may invoke on the record (before the deposition, hearing, or other proceeding is concluded) a right
25 to have up to 21 days following receipt of the transcript to identify the specific portions of the
26 testimony as to which protection is sought and to specify the level of protection being asserted.
27 Only those portions of the testimony that are appropriately designated for protection within the 21
28 days shall be covered by the provisions of this Stipulated Protective Order. Alternatively, a

1 Designating Party may specify, at the deposition or up to 21 days following receipt if that period is
2 properly invoked, that the entire transcript shall be treated as “CONFIDENTIAL” or “HIGHLY
3 CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.”

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

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

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

27 5.3 Inadvertent Failures to Designate. If timely corrected, an inadvertent failure to
28 designate qualified information or items does not, standing alone, waive the Designating Party’s

1 right to secure protection under this Order for such material. Upon timely correction of a
2 designation, the Receiving Party must make reasonable efforts to assure that the material is treated
3 in accordance with the provisions of this Order.

4 6. CHALLENGING CONFIDENTIALITY DESIGNATIONS

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

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

24 ^{The Challenging Party may} unwilling to participate in the meet and confer process in a timely manner. ^{serve notice of a challenge}
25 at any time for good cause, including challenge of some or all of a deposition transcript.

26 6.3 Judicial Intervention. ~~If the Parties cannot resolve a challenge without court~~
27 ~~intervention, the Designating Party shall file and serve a motion to retain confidentiality under~~
28 ~~Civil Local Rule 7 (and in compliance with Civil Local Rule 79-5, if applicable) within 21 days~~
~~following receipt of the initial notice of challenge or within 14 days of the parties agreeing that the~~
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1 ~~meet and confer process will not resolve their dispute, whichever is earlier, unless extended by~~
2 ~~written agreement of the parties. Each such motion must be accompanied by a competent~~
3 ~~declaration affirming that the movant has complied with the meet and confer requirements~~
4 ~~imposed in the preceding paragraph. Failure by the Designating Party to make such a motion~~
5 ~~including the required declaration within 21 days (or 14 days, if applicable), unless extended by~~
6 ~~written agreement, shall automatically waive the confidentiality designation for each challenged~~
7 ~~designation. In addition, the Challenging Party may file a motion challenging a confidentiality~~
8 ~~designation at any time if there is good cause for doing so, including a challenge to the designation~~
9 ~~of a deposition transcript or any portions thereof. Any motion brought pursuant to this provision~~
10 ~~must be accompanied by a competent declaration affirming that the movant has complied with the~~
11 ~~meet and confer requirements imposed by the preceding paragraph.~~
12 ~~requirements in the Standing Order.~~

13 ~~The burden of persuasion in any such challenge proceeding shall be on the Designating~~
14 ~~Party. However, the burden of persuasion shall shift to the Challenging Party to avoid an abuse of~~
15 ~~the process (a) after the Challenging Party makes two (2) consecutive unsuccessful challenges, or~~
16 ~~(b) after the Court rules that any challenge was frivolous or made for an improper purpose (e.g., to~~
17 ~~harass or impose unnecessary expenses and burdens on other parties). The burden of persuasion~~
18 ~~shall shift back to the Designating Party under the same conditions as applicable to the~~
19 ~~Challenging Party.~~

20 ~~Frivolous challenges and those made for an improper purpose may expose the Challenging~~
21 ~~Party to sanctions. Unless the Designating Party has waived the confidentiality designation by~~
22 ~~disputed for 4 weeks without either party attempting to seek judicial intervention; otherwise~~
23 ~~failing to file a motion to retain confidentiality as described above, all parties shall continue to~~
24 ~~afford the material in question the level of protection to which it is entitled under the Producing~~
25 ~~Party's designation until the court rules on the challenge.~~

26 7. ACCESS TO AND USE OF PROTECTED MATERIAL

27 7.1 Basic Principles. A Receiving Party may use Protected Material that is disclosed or
28 produced by another Party or by a Non-Party in connection with this case only for prosecuting,
defending, or attempting to settle this litigation. Such Protected Material may be disclosed only to
the categories of persons and under the conditions described in this Order. When the litigation has

1 been terminated, a Receiving Party must comply with the provisions of section 15 below (FINAL
2 DISPOSITION).

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

5 7.2 Disclosure of “CONFIDENTIAL” Information or Items. Unless otherwise ordered
6 by the court or permitted in writing by the Designating Party, a Receiving Party may disclose any
7 information or item designated “CONFIDENTIAL” only to:

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

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

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

17 (d) the court and its personnel;

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

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

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

3 ~~7.3 Disclosure of "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY" and~~
4 ~~"HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE CODE" Information or Items. Unless otherwise ordered~~
5 ~~by the court or permitted in writing by the Designating Party, a Receiving Party may disclose any~~
6 ~~information or item designated "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY" or~~
7 ~~"HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE CODE" only to:~~

8 (a) ~~the Receiving Party's Outside Counsel, as well as employees of said Outside Counsel~~
9 ~~to whom it is reasonably necessary to disclose the information for this litigation and who have~~
10 ~~signed the "Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound" that is attached hereto as Exhibit A;~~

11 (b) ~~Designated House Counsel of the Receiving Party (1) to whom disclosure is reasonably~~
12 ~~necessary for this litigation, and (2) who has signed the "Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be~~
13 ~~Bound" (Exhibit A);~~

14 (c) ~~Experts of the Receiving Party (1) to whom disclosure is reasonably necessary for this~~
15 ~~litigation, and (2) who have signed the "Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound" (Exhibit~~
16 ~~A);~~

17 (d) ~~the court and its personnel;~~

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

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

23 ~~7.4. "CONFIDENTIAL," "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY"~~
24 ~~and "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE CODE" information or items may be disclosed to~~
25 ~~an Expert as long as the Expert is not a current officer, director, or employee of a competitor of a~~
26 ~~Party or anticipated to become one. Such expert shall be required to execute the Acknowledgment~~
27 ~~and Agreement to be Bound as a precondition of receiving such information or items."~~

1 7.3 Disclosure of “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL–ATTORNEYS EYES ONLY” and “HIGHLY
2 CONFIDENTIAL–SOURCE CODE’ Information or Items. Unless otherwise ordered by the court or
3 permitted in writing by the Designating Party, a Receiving Party may disclose any information or item
4 designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL–ATTORNEYS EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL–
5 SOURCE CODE’ only to:

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

10 (b) Designated House Counsel of the Receiving Party (1) to whom disclosure is reasonably
11 necessary for this litigation, (2) who has signed the “Acknowledgment and Agreement to Be Bound’ (Exhibit
12 A), and (3) as to whom the procedures set forth in paragraph 7.4(a)(1), below, have been followed;

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

16 (d) the court and its personnel;

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

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

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

25 (a)(1) Unless otherwise ordered by the court or agreed to in writing by the Designating
26 Party, a Party that seeks to disclose to Designated House Counsel any information or item that has been
27 designated “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL–ATTORNEYS EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL–

1 SOURCE CODE pursuant to paragraph 7.3(b) first must make a written request to the Designating Party
2 that (1) sets forth the full name of the Designated House Counsel and the city and state of his or her
3 residence, and (2) describes the Designated House Counsel's current and reasonably foreseeable future
4 primary job duties and responsibilities in sufficient detail to determine if House Counsel is involved, or may
5 become involved, in any competitive decision-making.

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

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

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

8 In any such proceeding, the Party opposing disclosure to Designated House Counsel or the Expert
9 shall bear the burden of proving that the risk of harm that the disclosure would entail (under the safeguards
10 proposed) outweighs the Receiving Party's need to disclose the Protected Material to its Designated House
11 Counsel or Expert.

1 8. SOURCE CODE

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

5 (b) Protected Material designated as “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE”
6 shall be subject to all of the protections afforded to “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –
7 ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” information, and may be disclosed only to the individuals to whom
8 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” information may be disclosed, as
9 set forth in Paragraphs 7.3 and 7.4

10 (c) Any source code produced in discovery shall be made available for inspection in a
11 format through which it could be reasonably reviewed and searched during normal business hours
12 or other mutually agreeable times at a location that is reasonably convenient for the Receiving
13 Party and any experts to whom the source code may be disclosed. This alternative may be
14 appropriate if the Producing Party and/or its counsel are located in a different jurisdiction than
15 counsel and/or experts for the Receiving Party. The source code shall be made available for
16 inspection on a secured computer in a secured room without Internet access or network access to
17 other computers, and the Receiving Party shall not copy, remove, or otherwise transfer any portion
18 of the source code onto any recordable media or recordable device. The Producing Party may
19 visually monitor the activities of the Receiving Party’s representatives during any source code
20 review, but only to ensure that there is no unauthorized recording, copying, or transmission of the
21 source code.

22 (d) The Receiving Party may request paper copies of limited portions of source code
23 that are reasonably necessary for the preparation of court filings, pleadings, expert reports, or other
24 papers, or for deposition or trial, but shall not request paper copies for the purposes of reviewing
25 the source code other than electronically as set forth in paragraph (c) in the first instance. The
26 Producing Party shall provide all such source code in paper form including bates numbers and the
27 label “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - SOURCE CODE.” The Producing Party may challenge the
28 amount of source code requested in hard copy form pursuant to the dispute resolution procedure

1 and timeframes set forth in Paragraph 6 whereby the Producing Party is the “Challenging Party”
2 and the Receiving Party is the “Designating Party” for purposes of dispute resolution.

3 (e) The Receiving Party shall maintain a record of any individual who has inspected
4 any portion of the source code in electronic or paper form. The Receiving Party shall maintain all
5 paper copies of any printed portions of the source code in a secured, locked area. The Receiving
6 Party shall not create any electronic or other images of the paper copies and shall not convert any
7 of the information contained in the paper copies into any electronic format. The Receiving Party
8 shall only make additional paper copies if such additional copies are (1) necessary to prepare court
9 filings, pleadings, or other papers (including a testifying expert’s expert report), (2) necessary for
10 deposition, or (3) otherwise necessary for the preparation of its case. Any paper copies used during
11 a deposition shall be retrieved by the Producing Party at the end of each day and must not be given
12 to or left with a court reporter or any other unauthorized individual.

13 (f) Receiving Party shall provide notice to the Producing Party before including “HIGHLY
14 CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” information in a court filing, pleading, or expert report.

15 9. PROTECTED MATERIAL SUBPOENAED OR ORDERED PRODUCED IN OTHER
16 LITIGATION

17 If a Party is served with a subpoena or a court order issued in other litigation that compels
18 disclosure of any information or items designated in this action as “CONFIDENTIAL” or
19 “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –
20 SOURCE CODE” that Party must:

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

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

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

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1 If the Designating Party timely seeks a protective order, the Party served with the subpoena
2 or court order shall not produce any information designated in this action as “CONFIDENTIAL”
3 or “HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “HIGHLY
4 CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE” before a determination by the ^{appropriate court, see Fed. R.} ~~court from which the~~
5 ^{Civ. P. 45(d)(3)} ~~subpoena or order issued~~, unless the Party has obtained the Designating Party’s permission. The
6 Designating Party shall bear the burden and expense of seeking protection in that court of its
7 confidential material – and nothing in these provisions should be construed as authorizing or
8 encouraging a Receiving Party in this action to disobey a lawful directive from another court.

9 10. A NON-PARTY’S PROTECTED MATERIAL SOUGHT TO BE PRODUCED IN THIS
10 LITIGATION

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

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

- 20 1. promptly notify in writing the Requesting Party and the Non-Party that some or all
21 of the information requested is subject to a confidentiality agreement with a Non-Party;
- 22 2. promptly provide the Non-Party with a copy of the Stipulated Protective Order in
23 this litigation, the relevant discovery request(s), and a reasonably specific description of the
24 information requested; and
- 25 3. make the information requested available for inspection by the Non-Party.

26 (c) If the Non-Party fails to object or seek a protective order from this court within 14
27 days of receiving the notice and accompanying information, the Receiving Party may produce the
28 Non-Party’s confidential information responsive to the discovery request. If the Non-Party timely

1 seeks a protective order, the Receiving Party shall not produce any information in its possession or
2 control that is subject to the confidentiality agreement with the Non-Party before a determination
3 by the court. Absent a court order to the contrary, the Non-Party shall bear the burden and expense
4 of seeking protection in this court of its Protected Material.

5 11. UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED MATERIAL

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

13 12. INADVERTENT PRODUCTION OF PRIVILEGED OR OTHERWISE PROTECTED
14 MATERIAL

15 When a Producing Party gives notice to Receiving Parties that certain inadvertently
16 produced material is subject to a claim of privilege or other protection, the obligations of the
17 Receiving Parties are those set forth in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(b)(5)(B). The parties
18 may agree that the recipient of an inadvertent production may not “sequester” or in any way use
19 the document(s) pending resolution of a challenge to the claim of privilege or other protection to
20 the extent it would be otherwise allowed by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(b)(5)(B) as
21 amended in 2006. This could include a restriction against “presenting” the document(s) to the
22 court to challenge the privilege claim as may otherwise be allowed under Rule 26(b)(5)(B) subject
23 to ethical obligations.

24 This provision is not intended to modify whatever procedure may be established in an e-
25 discovery order that provides for production without prior privilege review. Pursuant to Federal
26 Rule of Evidence 502(d) and (e), insofar as the parties reach an agreement on the effect of
27 disclosure of a communication or information covered by the attorney-client privilege or work
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1 product protection, the parties may incorporate their agreement in the stipulated protective order
2 submitted to the court.

3 13. MISCELLANEOUS

4 13.1 Right to Further Relief. Nothing in this Order abridges the right of any person to
5 seek its modification by the court in the future.

6 13.2 Right to Assert Other Objections. By stipulating to the entry of this Protective
7 Order no Party waives any right it otherwise would have to object to disclosing or producing any
8 information or item on any ground not addressed in this Stipulated Protective Order. Similarly, no
9 Party waives any right to object on any ground to use in evidence of any of the material covered
10 by this Protective Order.

11 13.3 Export Control. Disclosure of Protected Material shall be subject to all applicable
12 laws and regulations relating to the export of technical data contained in such Protected Material,
13 including the release of such technical data to foreign persons or nationals in the United States or
14 elsewhere. The Producing Party shall be responsible for identifying any such controlled technical
15 data, and the Receiving Party shall take measures necessary to ensure compliance.

16 13.4 Filing Protected Material. Without written permission from the Designating Party
17 or a court order secured after appropriate notice to all interested persons, a Party may not file in
18 the public record in this action any Protected Material. A Party that seeks to file under seal any
19 Protected Material must comply with Civil Local Rule 79-5. Protected Material may only be filed
20 under seal pursuant to a court order authorizing the sealing of the specific Protected Material at
21 issue. Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 79-5, a sealing order will issue only upon a request
22 establishing that the Protected Material at issue is privileged, protectable as a trade secret, or
23 otherwise entitled to protection under the law. If a Receiving Party's request to file Protected
24 Material under seal pursuant to Civil Local Rule 79-5(e) is denied by the court, then the Receiving
25 Party may file the Protected Material in the public record pursuant to Civil Local Rule 79-5(e)(2)
26 unless otherwise instructed by the court.

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1 14. FINAL DISPOSITION

2 Within 60 days after the final disposition of this action, as defined in paragraph 4, each
3 Receiving Party must return all Protected Material to the Producing Party or destroy such material.
4 As used in this subdivision, “all Protected Material” includes all copies, abstracts, compilations,
5 summaries, and any other format reproducing or capturing any of the Protected Material. Whether
6 the Protected Material is returned or destroyed, the Receiving Party must submit a written
7 certification to the Producing Party (and, if not the same person or entity, to the Designating Party)
8 by the 60-day deadline that (1) identifies (by category, where appropriate) all the Protected
9 Material that was returned or destroyed and (2) affirms that the Receiving Party has not retained
10 any copies, abstracts, compilations, summaries or any other format reproducing or capturing any
11 of the Protected Material.

12 /// 15. All discovery and disclosure disputes are subject to the undersigned's Standing Order.

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IT IS SO STIPULATED, THROUGH COUNSEL OF RECORD.

DATED: _____

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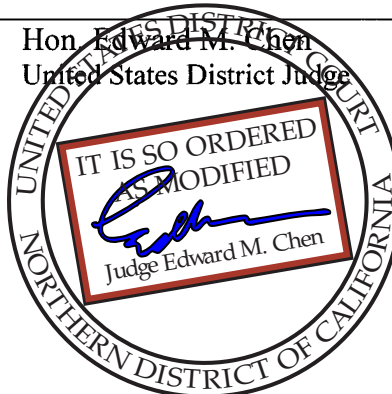
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PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.

Regarding paragraph 6.3 (Judicial Intervention), this Court's standing order on discovery does not preclude other requirements if imposed by the magistrate judge to whom discovery has been referred.

DATED: 1/27/17 _____

Hon. Edward M. Chen
United States District 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 *Artec Group, Inc. v. Andrey Klimov, et al.*, Northern District of California Case No. 15-cv-03449-HRL. 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: _____

Printed name: _____
[printed name]

Signature: _____
[signature]