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12	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
13	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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15	GOOGLE INC., a Delaware corporation,	CASE NO. C 03-5340-JF (EAI)
16	Plaintiff,	
	v.	AMERICAN BLIND & WALLPAPER
17	AMERICAN BLIND AND WALLPAPER	FACTORY, INC.'S AMENDED ANSWER TO GOOGLE INC.'S SECOND SET OF
18	FACTORY, INC., a Delaware corporation d/b/a decoratetoday.com, Inc.; and DOES	INTERROGATORIES
9	1-100, inclusive,	
20	Defendants.	
21	AMERICAN BLIND & WALLPAPER FACTORY, INC., a Delaware corporation	
2	d/b/a decoratetoday.com, Inc.	
3	Counterclaimant,	
4	v.	
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NOW COMES Defendant/Counter-Plaintiff, AMERICAN BLIND & WALLPAPER FACTORY, INC., by and through its attorneys, KELLEY DRYE & WARREN LLP, and in response to Plaintiff's Interrogatories, states as follows:

## **INTERROGATORY NO. 1:**

For each name that AMERICAN BLIND has used, in communications with customers and/or potential customers, to refer to its retail business, STATE the name that was used, the dates the AMERICAN BLIND began and ceased using the name, and the reasons for adopting and ceasing to use each name.

American Blind objects to this interrogatory because it is over ANSWER: broad, unduly burdensome and not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of relevant or admissible evidence. American Blind also objects to this request to the extent that it calls for the production of documents protected by the attorney client privilege or the attorney work product doctrine. Subject to and without waiving these objections, American Blind states that the name changes that American Blind has undergone reflect the changes in the products being sold by American Blind at any given time and changes in the marketplace in general. When American Blind first began its business in 1986, the company operated under the name "American Blind Factory" or "American Blind". When the company expanded the products it sold to include both wall coverings and window treatments, the name was changed from "American Blind" and "American Blind Factory" to "American Blind and Wallpaper Factory" and "American Blind and Wallpaper" in 1988. As a direct result of the assets of American Blind being sold to Color Tile, Inc. in late 1992, the company decided to expand its products further and offer its customers carpeting as well and as a result, the company began using the name, "American Blind, Wallpaper and Carpet Factory, Inc." in 1993. During the second half of the 1990's, the company began using the name "American Blind, Wallpaper & More", which coincided with the company's decision to expand its product offerings to include light fixtures, pictures and throw rugs. On December 9, 1999, the company decided to change its corporate name to

Color Tile took and maintained all corporate books as part of the acquisition. Color Tile filed for bankruptcy protection in 1995, with the assets of American Blind being spun out

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at the end of 1998. As a result, American Blind does not have access to the majority of the corporate records and any dates contained therein from the time when Color Tile controlled the business.

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I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the State of Illinois. I am employed in Cook County, State of Illinois, in the office of a member of the bar of this Court, at whose direction the

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service was made. I am over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action, My business address is 333 W. Wacker Drive, Suite 2600, Chicago, IL 60606. On the date set forth below, I served the document(s) described below in the manner described below:

AMERICAN BLIND AND WALLPAPER FACTORY, INC.'S AMENDED ANSWER TO PLAINTIFF GOOGLE INC.'S SECOND SET OF INTERROGATORIES VIA FACSIMILE and U.S. MAIL

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(BY FACSIMILE) I am personally and readily familiar with the business practice of Kelley Drye & Warren, LLP for collection and processing of document(s) to be transmitted by facsimile and I caused such document(s) on this date to be transmitted by facsimile to the offices of addressee(s) at the numbers listed below.

(BY U.S. MAIL) I am personally and readily familiar with the business practice of  $\mathbf{X}\mathbf{X}$ Kelley Drye & Warren, LLP for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service, and I caused such envelope(s) with postage thereon fully prepaid to be placed in the United States Postal Service at Chicago, Illinois.

Executed on October 9, 2006, at Chicago, Illinois.

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