

any specific categories of documents. Even though a category of documents may often warrant 1 2 protection, specific documents with such a category may not be entitled to protection if, for example, 3 they have already been made public.

4 The proposed modification to Section 5.1 is unacceptable as drafted. However, it would be 5 acceptable if the parties include a procedure for the parties to cooperate in dedesignating any non-6 confidential portions of specific documents before such documents are submitted to the court for 7 filing so that only the truly confidential portions subject to being filed under seal.

8 The proposed modification to Section 14.1 is unacceptable to the extent it allows the parties 9 to alter the provisions of the protective order without further order of the court. (The parties are 10 always free to waive the protections afforded in a stipulated protective order as to specific 11 documents.)

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall submit a revised form of order that 13 addresses the foregoing concerns.

14 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, pending entry of a final form of protective order, the 15 court's model "Stipulated Protective Order for Litigation Involving Patents, Highly Sensitive 16 Confidential Information And/or Trade Secrets," as modified herein, shall govern the handling of 17 confidential information in this case.

18 Dated: March 3, 2011

United States Magistrate Judge

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