I. NEEL CHATTERJEE (SBN 173985) 1 nchatterjee@orrick.com 2 THOMAS J. GRAY (SBN 191411) tgray@orrick.com JULIO C. AVALOS (SBN 255350) 3 javalos@orrick.com ORRICK, HERRINGTON & SUTCLIFFE LLP 4 1000 Marsh Road Menlo Park, CA 94025 5 650-614-7400 Telephone: Santa Clara 6 Facsimile: 650-614-7401 7 Attorneys for Defendant hief Executive Offic FACEBOOK, INC. Jamel DTSCIVD1013 8 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 9 COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA 10 11 CASE NO. 110 CV 178574 KAREN BETH YOUNG, 12 DECLARATION OF JULIO C. Plaintiff, 13 AVALOS IN SUPPORT OF **DEFENDANT FACEBOOK, INC.'S** 14 EX PARTE APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER VACATING COURT'S FACEBOOK, INC., 15 TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER OF AUGUST 9, 2010 Defendant. 16 17 18 I. Julio C. Avalos, declare as follows: 19 I am a member of, and in good standing with, the Bar of the State of California and 20 am admitted to practice before this Court. I am an associate at the law firm of Orrick, Herrington 21 & Sutcliffe LLP, counsel to Defendant Facebook, Inc. ("Facebook"). I make this declaration of 22 my own personal knowledge unless otherwise indicated herein. If called as a witness, I could and 23 would testify competently to the truth of the matters set forth herein. 24 Plaintiff filed her Complaint in pro per against Facebook on July 31, 2010. 2. 25 On August 6, 2010, Plaintiff served Facebook with an ex parte application seeking 26 a preliminary injunction "for the preservation of evidence." 27 28 OHS West:260967326.I

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- On August 9, 2010, I, along with my colleague Morvarid Metanat, arrived at the Santa Clara Superior Courthouse located at 191 N. 1st Street, San Jose, California at approximately 7:15 a.m. When the courthouse opened at 8:00 a.m., Ms. Metanat and I checked the clerk's posted calendar to locate the department for Judge Elfving. The calendar stated that Judge Elfving was covering for Judge McKenney's Department 21 hearings. By approximately 8:07, Ms. Metanat and I were seated in front of Department 2. The courtroom doors were locked and there were no signs or placards relating to the Court's ex parte procedure. For instance, Department 1 instructed ex parte parties to walk around the courtroom to the court's antechamber for ex parte proceedings. No such instructions existed for Department 2.
- At approximately 8:30 a.m., I instructed Ms. Metanat to go back downstairs to 5. confirm that we were in the correct Department. I also communicated with a senior paralegal in my firm's Menlo Park office to make sure that the matter had not been turned over to a discovery magistrate or commissioner.
- At approximately 9:00 a.m., we both walked down to the law and motion clerk to confirm that Plaintiff had not shown up to file her ex parte application. Surprisingly, the clerk informed me that Plaintiff had in fact filed her ex parte application and that she had gone to the hearing in Department 2. I told the clerk that this seemed impossible, as Ms. Metanat and I had been sitting in front of the courtroom for an hour and had seen no one walk in or out. The clerk once again told us that the ex parte proceedings were in fact being held in Department 2 and that we should knock on the locked doors.
- After knocking on the doors and speaking to a clerk, we were invited into Judge 7. Elfving chambers. His Honor stated that Plaintiff had presented her ex parte application directly in the Court's antechamber. He briefly discussed what had transpired at the hearing. He stated that he had denied Plaintiff's preliminary injunction because such an injunction was not permissible on an ex parte basis. However, he stated that he had converted the preliminary injunction into a temporary restraining order based on Plaintiff's representation that it was Facebook's stated policy to preserve the targeted information for 90 days. According to the

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Court, he perceived no prejudice to Facebook in requiring them in a temporary restraining order to do what they were already doing based on their business policy.

- 8. A true and correct copy of the August 9, 2010 temporary restraining order is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 9. On August 9, 2010, at approximately 4:00 p.m., my colleague Tom Gray and I telephoned Plaintiff at the telephone number she provided in the Complaint. We left a voicemail message for Plaintiff providing her notice that at 8:15 a.m. on Wednesday, August 11, 2010, Facebook would be filing an ex parte application with Judge Elfving requesting that the August 9 temporary restraining order be dissolved, vacated, and/or otherwise modified.
- 10. On August 10 2010, Plaintiff telephoned both me and Mr. Gray to advise us that she would be opposing Facebook's ex parte application. Plaintiff also e-mailed us to confirm her opposition to the ex parte application.
- 11. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of the website located at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/pages/DEAR-LORD-THIS-YEAR-YOU-TOOK-MY-FAVORITE-ACTOR-PATRICK-SWAYZIE-YOU-TOOK-MY-FAVORITE-ACTRESS-FARAH-FAWCETT-YOU-TOOK-MY-FAVORITE-SINGER-MICHAEL-JACKSON-I-JUST-WANTED-TO-LET-YOU-KNOW-MY-FAVORITE-PRESIDENT-IS-BARACK-OBAMA-AMEN." As evident on the website screenshot itself, the group has over 1 million active members. Posts are made every few minutes, on average. The screenshot accurately portrays the website as it appeared to me online.
- 12. On August 10, 2010, I visited the "Petition to remove Facebook group praying for President Obama's death" Facebook page referenced in Plaintiff's ex parte application and Complaint. The page has 912, 228 active members.

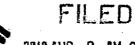
I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was hereby executed at Menlo Park, California on August 10, 2010.

JULIO 🖟 AVALOS

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EXHIBIT A

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA



Karen Beth Young

Plaintiff

And

Facebook, INC,

Defendant

Date: August 9, 2010

Time: 8:15 am

Location: Superior Court of California

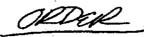
191 N. First Street

San Jose, Ca. 95113

Judge: William J. Elfving

Date Action Filed: August 9, 2010

Trial Date: Not Set



Ī. Application having been made by Karen Beth Young, moving party, and good cause appearing therefor, 2 IT IS ORDERED that (1) Any/all of the "Karen Beth Young" electronic account information be preserved as 3 evidence to include all; pages, messages, instant messages, photos, posts or other information pertaining to the account, (2) Any/all of the "DEAR-LORD-THIS-YEAR-YOU-TOOK-MY-FAVORITE-ACTOR-PATRICK-SWAYZIE-YOU-TOOK-MY-FAVORITE-ACTRESS-FARAH-FAWCETT-YOU-TOOK-MY-FAVORITE-SINGER-MICHAEL-JACKSON-I-JUST-WANTED-TO-LET-YOU-KNOW-MY-FAVORITE-PRESIDENT-IS-BARACK-OBAMA-AMEN" electronic account information, past, present and future be preserved as evidence,(3) Any/all of the "Petition to remove facebook group praying for President Obama's death" electronic account information, past, present and future be preserved as evidence. Judge of the Superior Court

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EXHIBIT B

