EXHIBIT 50

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         IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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               OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA
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                  San Jose Division
               Case No. 11-CV-846 LHK
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    APPLE, INCORPORATED,
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                                 Plaintiff,
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          V.
    SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS COMPANIES,
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    et al,
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                                 Defendants.
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       HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL
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              * ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY *
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            DEPOSITION OF PETER BRESSLER
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                  Washington, D.C.
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1	to be confused between Apple devices and	02:15
2	Samsung devices?	02:15
3	A. I don't believe I've opined on	02:15
4	anything in about trade dress other than the	02:15
5	functionality of Apple's trade dress.	02:15
6	Q. So if I understand you correctly, the	02:15
7	only expert opinion you're offering in this	02:15
8	case as it pertains to trade dress is the lack	02:15
9	of functionality of Apple's trade dress.	02:15
10	A. I believe that's correct. I can	02:16
11	check my report.	02:16
12	Q. Please do, because I want to make	02:16
13	sure I have a full understanding of the scope	02:16
14	of your opinion on trade dress.	02:16
15	A. I believe I have limited my opinions	02:17
16	to the to the functionality of Apple's trade	02:17
17	dress	02:17
18	Q. Are you offering	02:17
19	A in the iPhones and the iPads.	02:17
20	Q. I'm sorry. I didn't mean to cut you	02:18
21	off.	02:18
22	A. In the phones and the iPad.	02:18
23	Q. Are you offering an expert opinion in	02:18
24	this case about similarity or claimed	02:18
25	similarity between Apple's claimed trade dress	02:18

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1	in any Samsung devices?	02:18
2	A. I do not believe so. I believe the	02:18
3	only opinion I have expressed in my report is	02:18
4	about the functionality or lack thereof of	02:18
5	Apple's trade dress.	02:18
6	Q. Then, focusing on your opinion as to	02:18
7	the lack of functionality of Apple's claimed	02:18
8	trade dress first let me ask you, Please	02:18
9	tell me what your understanding is of the	02:18
10	standard that you applied to determine whether	02:18
11	or not a trade dress or a trade dress element	02:18
12	was functional.	02:19
13	A. In short form, I believe I reviewed	02:20
14	whether the design yields a utilitarian	02:20
15	advantage, whether alternative designs were	02:20
16	available, whether advertising touted	02:20
17	utilitarian advantages of the design, whether	02:20
18	the particular design resulted from a	02:20
19	comparatively simple or inexpensive method of	02:20
20	manufacture. I also reviewed alternative	02:20
21	embodiment to determine if the visual elements	02:20
22	of trade dress were functional.	02:20
23	Q. What do you mean by you reviewed	02:20
24	alternative embodiments to determine if the	02:20
25	visual elements of the trade dress were	02:20

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1	functional?	02:20
2	A. Meaning if there were alternative	02:20
3	designs that performed the same function, then	02:20
4	they would not be considered functional,	02:21
5	dictated by function.	02:21
6	Q. Is that different than the	02:21
7	alternative design standard you mentioned?	02:21
8	A. No.	02:21
9	Q. It's the same thing?	02:21
10	A. Same thing.	02:21
11	Q. What did you do in order to determine	02:21
12	whether the claimed Apple trade dress or any	02:21
13	element of the claimed Apple trade dress	02:21
14	yielded a utilitarian advantage?	02:21
15	A. I reviewed competitive phones to	02:21
16	determine whether there was anything in the	02:21
17	appearance and function of the phone that	02:21
18	was that had a utilitarian advantage over	02:21
19	other phones.	02:22
20	Q. And did you do anything else to	02:22
21	determine that?	02:22
22	A. No, I don't believe so.	02:22
23	Q. Please tell me everything you did as	02:22
24	part of this review of competitive phones that	02:22
25	you just described.	02:22
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1	A. Throughout my report, I reviewed a	02:22
2	number of phones and compared their	02:23
3	functional the appearance of their	02:23
4	functionality. And in my report let's see,	02:23
5	16 and 17.	02:23
6	In my report, I worked against the	02:24
7	various visual elements that were identified in	02:24
8	the Apple patents and compared them to existing	02:24
9	phones to determine whether there were	02:24
10	alternative appearances that performed similar	02:24
11	functions.	02:24
12	Q. Did you do anything else as part of	02:24
13	this review we're discussing?	02:24
14	A. I seem to have lost my place.	02:24
15	I also reviewed the depositions of	02:26
16	Apple designers in which they identified that	02:26
17	Apple had considered alternative designs and	02:26
18	were perfectly capable of executing them and	02:26
19	had decided upon the current design for	02:26
20	aesthetic reasons.	02:26
21	Q. My question is: Other than what	02:26
22	you've described, did you do anything else as	02:26
23	part of your review of competitive phones that	02:26
24	you talked about?	02:26
25	A. I'm not sure I understand your	02:26