Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 6-2, 7-12, and related rules, Plaintiff Guzik Technical Enterprises, Inc. ("GTE" or "Plaintiff") and Western Digital Corporation, Western Digital Technologies, Inc., Western Digital (Fremont), LLC, Western Digital (Thailand) Company Limited, and Western Digital (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd. (collectively referred to herein as "Western Digital Defendants"), hereby stipulate through their respective counsel of record as follows:

WHEREAS, on August 1, 2011, GTE filed its Complaint against the Western Digital Defendants;

WHEREAS, on August 1, 2011, the Court issued an Order Setting Initial Case

Management Conference and ADR Deadlines (ECF No. 8) which, among other provisions, set an

Initial Case Management Conference in the above-specified action on October 18, 2011, and

specified related deadlines leading up to that conference;

WHEREAS, the Court ordered, pursuant to the Parties' stipulation, that The Western Digital Defendants would have until September 26, 2011 to file a response to the complaint and that the Initial Case Management Conference be continued from October 18, 2011 to November 15, 2011, in Courtroom 5, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Jose Courthouse, at 2:00 p.m., and that all other dates would be continued;

WHEREAS the Court ordered, pursuant to the Parties' stipulation, that GTE would have until November 16, 2011 to file a response to Western Digital's Counterclaims and that the Initial Case Management Conference be continued from November 15, 2011 to December 13, 2011, in Courtroom 5, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Jose Courthouse, at 2:00 p.m., and that all other dates would be continued:

WHEREAS trial counsel for GTE has just been ordered to prepare a brief in another case under an abbreviated briefing schedule that creates an unforeseen conflict with the Initial Case Management Conference. Trial counsel will receive an opposition brief on the morning of December 13, 2011, and is required to submit a reply brief by 9:00 AM EST on December 14, 2011. Trial counsel therefore is required to prepare its brief on December 13, 2011, and is unable to attend the Initial Case Management Conference scheduled for December 13, 2011;

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