

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICROSOFT CORPORATION,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 98-1232 (CKK)

Next Court Deadline: February 15, 2010  
Supplemental Status Report

**SUPPLEMENTAL STATUS REPORT ON  
MICROSOFT'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE FINAL JUDGMENTS**

Microsoft hereby files its Monthly Supplemental Status Report regarding its compliance with the Final Judgments.

**I. Technical Documentation**

*A. Microsoft's Progress in Resolving Technical Documentation Issues ("TDIs") through December 31, 2009*

The current status of TDIs identified in the MCPP documentation through December 31, 2009, is noted in the chart below.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> The November TDI numbers reported in this chart differ slightly from the numbers provided in the previous Joint Status Report because the dynamic nature of tracking TDIs in multiple databases occasionally results in categorization and exact TDI closure dates changing after the previous reporting period.

	<b>As of 11/30/2009</b>	<b>Period Ended 12/31/2009</b>
<b>Priority 1 TDIs Submitted by the TC</b>		
Submitted this period		113
Closed this period		185
Outstanding	577	505
<b>Priority 2 TDIs Submitted by the TC</b>		
Submitted this period		327
Closed this period		308
Outstanding	799	818
<b>Priority 3 TDIs Submitted by the TC</b>		
Submitted this period		209
Closed this period		135
Outstanding	384	458
TC Submitted		649
TC Closed		628
<b>TC Outstanding</b>	<b>1760</b>	<b>1781</b>
<b>TDIs Identified by Microsoft</b>		
Identified this period		416
Closed this period		228
Microsoft Outstanding	241	429
<b>TDIs Identified by Licensees<sup>2</sup></b>		
Identified this period		18
Closed this period		8
Licensees Outstanding	11	21
<b>TDIs Identified by TC in Overview/Reference Materials</b>		
Identified this period		3
Closed this period		9
Overview Outstanding	12	6
<b>Total Outstanding</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2237</b>

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In most cases, licensees do not open TDIs themselves. Licensees generally ask Microsoft questions about the documentation. Most questions do not result in any TDIs. In some cases, questions from licensees result in a TDI being filed by the Microsoft employees involved in answering the licensees' questions. In these circumstances, Microsoft categorizes the TDI as a licensee TDI.

## **II. Technical Documentation Testing and Licensee Support**

Microsoft's testing of the Windows 7 documentation is progressing and is expected to be completed in approximately June 2010.

Microsoft continues to make various resources available to assist licensees in using the technical documentation. Microsoft's Interoperability Lab remains open and available for use by licensees. Final planning is underway for the next weeklong plug-fest focused on Active Directory protocols, which is scheduled for January 2010 on the Microsoft campus.

## **III. Technical Documentation Team Staffing**

Robert Muglia, the President for Microsoft's Server and Tools Business, continues to manage the documentation effort along with additional senior product engineering team managers.

Approximately 500 Microsoft employees and contingent staff are involved in work on the MCPP technical documentation. Given the substantial overlap between the MCPP and the European Work Group Server Protocol Program, all of these individuals' work relates to both programs or is exclusive to the MCPP. Of these, approximately 246 product team engineers and program managers are actively involved in the creation and review of the technical content of the documentation, including periodic work on TDI resolution as well as developing new content for the next version of Windows Client and Windows Server. Because of varying areas of expertise, not all of these product team employees are working on the documentation at any given time. For example, many of the MCPP documents currently do not have any associated TDIs. In other months, these same product teams may have multiple TDIs to resolve and/or additional content to draft and spend most or all of their time on projects relating to the protocol documentation.

In addition, there are approximately 29 full-time employees and approximately 62 contingent staff working as technical writers, editors, and production technicians. Additionally, as the protocol testing effort continues, approximately 40 full-time employees and approximately 110 contingent and vendor staff work as software test designers, test engineers, and test

architects. Microsoft will continue to apply the resources necessary to ensure compliance with the Final Judgments. Significant attention to and involvement in the technical documentation and the MCPP extend through all levels of the Microsoft organization and draw upon the resources of numerous product engineering, business, technical, and legal groups, as well as company management.

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Respectfully submitted,

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