IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TAMPA DIVISION

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Plaintiff,	
V.	Civil Action No. 8:08-cv-01227-JSM-MSS
COSTAR REALTY INFORMATION, INC., and COSTAR GROUP, INC.,	
Defendants / Counter-Plaintiffs	
v.	
SCOTT BELL and KLEIN & HEUCHAN, INC.	
Counter-Defendants	

NOTICE OF FILING DEPOSITION TRANSCRIPT (WITHOUT EXHIBITS) OF MARK S. KLEIN IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S RESPONSE TO DEFENDANTS MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

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The videotaped deposition, upon oral
examination, of MARK KLEIN, taken on the 27th day of
August, 2009, at the offices of Macfarlane, Ferguson
& McMullen, 625 Court Street, Suite 200, Clearwater,
Florida, beginning at 9:25 a.m., before Jean M.
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State of Florida at Large.

THE VIDEOGRAPHER: This is the videotaped deposition of Mark Klein taken in the matter of Klein & Heuchan, Incorporated, versus CoStar Realty Information, Incorporated, et al., held at 625 Court Street, Suite 200, Clearwater, Florida, on August 27th, 2009, at 9:25 a.m.

Counsel please introduce yourselves, beginning with the plaintiff counsel.

MS. KERKSIEK: Sanya Sarich Kerksiek of Crowell & Moring for the plaintiffs.

MR. GIBSON: Jeffrey Gibson with the law firm of Macfarlane Ferguson & McMullen, here on behalf of Klein & Heuchan.

THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Will the court reporter please swear in the witness.

THE COURT REPORTER: Would you raise your right hand, please.

1 MARK KLEIN, 2 being first duly sworn to testify the truth, the 3 whole truth, and nothing but the truth, was examined testified as follows: 5 THE WITNESS: I do. 6 7 **EXAMINATION** BY MS. KERKSIEK: 8 Will you please state your name, 9 home address and work address for the record? 10 Sure. Mark S. Klein, K-1-e-i-n. 11 2736 Burning Tree Lane, Clearwater, Florida, 33761. 12 MS. KERKSIEK: And we can go ahead and 13 mark the notices right away. Number 1. 14 Oh, actually, let me -- yeah, that's 15 fine. 16 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 17 Number 1 for identification.) 18 THE WITNESS: I got me a little screwed 19 up with this microphone, so give me a second. 20 MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. 21

BY MS. KERKSIEK: 24

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Will you take a look at the document? Q.

older, you need glasses and hearing aids.

THE WITNESS: When you get a little

Okay. 1 Α. Have you seen that before? Q. 2 Α. No. I don't think I have. 3 Can you tell me what it is? Q. It's -- it says it's a civil action Α. 5 between CoStar, Plaintiff -- Klein & Heuchan, Inc., 6 as Plaintiff, versus CoStar Realty Information, 7 Inc., and CoStar Group, Inc., versus Scott Bell and 8 Klein & Heuchan. 9 Q. And the title below that in all caps and 10 bold? 11 Defendants/Counterclaim-Plaintiffs CoStar Α. 12 Realty Information, Inc. and CoStar Group, Inc.'s 13 Amended Notice of Deposition to Mark Klein Pursuant 14 to Rule 30 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. 15 Is it your understanding that you're here 16 17 to testify pursuant to this notice? 18 Α. Yes. MS. KERKSIEK: I'm going to mark this one 19 as Exhibit 2. 20 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 21 Number 2 for identification.) 22 THE WITNESS: Okay. 23 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 24

Have you had a chance to look at it?

- A. Just now, yeah.
 - Q. Yeah. Can you tell me what it is?
- A. Again, it's a civil action,
- 4 | Klein & Heuchan --

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- Q. I'm sorry to interrupt. You can read the -- just the bold caption or -- I'm sorry -- the bold in all caps title.
- A. Defendants/Counterclaim-Plaintiffs

 CoStar Realty Information, Inc. and CoStar Group,

 Inc.'s Amended Notice of Deposition to Plaintiff/

 Counterclaim-Defendant Klein & Heuchan, Inc.

 Pursuant to Rule 30(b)(6) of the Federal Rules

 of Civil Procedure.
- Q. And is it also your understanding that you are here to testify on behalf of Klein & Heuchan pursuant to this notice?
 - A. Yes, it is.
 - Q. Thank you.
 - A. You're welcome.
 - Q. Have you ever been deposed before?
- 21 A. Yes.
 - Q. When was that?
- 23 A. I have -- I have no -- I can't remember.
- Q. How many times have you been deposed before?

I can't remember exactly but a number of 1 Α. 2 times. Two or three. Q. Is it more than five? 3 I can't say with certainty. Α. So is it more than ten? Q. 5 I doubt that it was more than ten. 6 Α. Okay. Somewhere between two and three and 7 Q. ten, possibly? 8 Α. Yes. 9 Do you remember any of the matters that 10 you were deposed in? 11 No. No, I do not. 12 Α. Do you remember anything about the cases 13 Q. at all? 14 No. 15 Α. Were you named as a party in any of those 16 17 cases? Well, if I was deposed, I assume I was 18 named as a party, yes. 19 That's not necessarily the case, but --20 Well, I believe any of the depositions 21 Α. were as a witness. 22 But you don't remember whether you were 23

named as a party in any of those cases?

I'm pretty certain I was not.

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Q. Okay. Did they involve personal matters 1 or business matters? 2 Business matters. 3 Α. Business matters relating to 4 Klein & Heuchan? 5 I don't remember any -- yes, I think they 6 were. Yes. 7 Q. And do you remember what the nature of the 8 9 dispute was? Α. No. 10 Did you testify in your individual 11 capacity or on behalf of Klein & Heuchan? 12 A. I can't remember. 13 Do you remember what the subject matter of 14 Q. your testimony was about? 15 Α. No. I really --16 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Asked and 17 18 answered. I really don't. 19 Α. Have you ever testified in court as a 20 Q. 21 witness? 22 Yes, I have. Α. Do you remember what those matters were? 23 Q.

Real estate related.

Related to Klein & Heuchan?

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A. No.

- Q. Were the matters in which you were deposed the same as the matters in which you were a witness?
 - A. Yes. I believe they were.
- Q. And you -- I thought you testified that some of the matters in which you were deposed did relate to Klein & Heuchan.
 - A. I really can't recall.
- Q. Do you remember the subject matter of your testimony in court?
 - A. Which testimony in court?
 - Q. Any of it.
 - A. One case I do as an expert witness, yes.
- Q. What did the subject -- what -- what subject matter were you testifying as an expert?
- A. It was about the value of a hotel.
- Q. And what was the nature of the dispute in that case?
 - A. It was between a buyer and a seller.
 - Q. And did you offer your opinion as to what the value of the hotel was?
 - A. If that was the nature of my expert witness -- reason for being a witness -- expert witness. It was quite a long time ago and I really don't recall.

Do you remember how long ago? Q. 1 At least 10 years. 2 Α. When was the last time that you were Q. 3 deposed -- deposed in a case? 4 It would have been -- you know, as -- I 5 Α. was not deposed in that case, as I think about it, 6 so --7 When was the last time that you were Q. 8 deposed in any case? 9 I don't know. It must have been 10 20, 25 years ago. 11 And you -- but you had been a witness 12 Q. in a case approximately 10 years ago? 13 Α. Yes. 14 Okay. Is that the last time you testified 15 as a witness in a case? 16 I believe so, yes. 17 Α. What court was that case in? Q. 18 It was in -- I guess here in Pinellas 19 County Court. 20 Were all of the cases in which you Q. 21 testified as a deponent and a witness here in 22 Florida? 23

If you need a break at any time today, let

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Yes.

me know. And, likewise, please let me know if you 1 don't understand any of my questions. 2 I certainly will. 3 Okay. Did you prepare for this 4 deposition? 5 Α. Yes. 6 What did you do to prepare for it? 7 Q. I read my file. Α. 8 Did you do anything else? 9 Q. No. 10 Α. Did you meet with your attorney? Q. 11 Briefly. 12 Α. Did you discuss this deposition with him? 13 Q. Yes. 14 Α. What files did you read? 15 Q. The file that I had relating to this case. Α. 16 Did you read any other files? Q. 17 No. 18 Α. What -- what documents are in the file 19 that you have relating to this case? 20 MR. GIBSON: Let me just object. 21 First of all, if -- and I don't know -- but if that 22 document contains communications between us, don't 23

A. No. Really, the -- that file contains a

say anything about those communications.

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letter from Mr. Ricketts at CoStar and, you know, 1 the interrogatories and all that stuff, so . . . 2 Your interrogatory responses. Right? 3 Q. Yes. 4 Α. And the document request responses? 5 Q. Right. But I didn't -- I didn't Α. 6 review those. I just reviewed the letter from 7 Mr. Ricketts. 8 9 Q. Is the complaint to this case in that file? 10 No. I don't believe it is. Α. 11 MR. GIBSON: I'm also going to object 12 because there's two complaints. 13 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 14 Is -- well, are either of the complaints 15 Q. in the file? 16 I'm not sure. I can't remember. 17 Do you recall reading either of the 18 Q. complaints related to this case? 19 I did not. When you say, "did I recall," 20 in preparation for this deposition, I did not. 21 But you have read them previously? 22 Q. 23 Α. Yes. Mr. Klein, where are you currently 24 Q. 25 employed?

Klein & Heuchan, Inc. 1 Α. And what is your position there? 2 Q. Α. I'm the President and CEO. 3 How long have you held that position? 4 Q. 30 -- since 1983. Α. 5 What did you do before you were the 6 Q. President and CEO of Klein & Heuchan? 7 I was a commercial real estate broker 8 for a company that was then known as Merrill Lynch 9 Realty. 10 Where was that? 11 Q. Clearwater, Florida. 12 Α. How long were you --13 Q. Seven years. 14 Α. And before -- before that, what did you 15 Q. do? 16 I was a hotel -- in hotel management. 17 Α. For how long? 18 Q. 19 Seven years. Α. For what hotel? 20 Q. Safety Harbor Spa. 21 Α. And before that? 22 Q. I had a business of my own. 23 Α. What was that? 24 Q.

It was a model car racing center.

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How long did you own that business? 1 Q. About two years. 2 Α. What did you do before that? 3 Q. I sold meat to hotels, restaurants and Α. 4 institutions. 5 For about how long? 6 Q. About six years. 7 Α. What did you do before that? Q. 8 9 Α. I went to college. Where did you attend college? 10 Q. Fairleigh Dickinson University, Α. 11 New Jersey. 12 Where did you -- what did you get your 13 Q. degree in? 14 Business management. 15 Α. Do you have any graduate degrees? Q. 16 No. 17 Α. Do you have any certifications or --18 Q. 19 Α. Yes. 20 What are those? Q. It's a commercial investment 21 Α. CCIM. 22 member. And did you have to take a test in order 23 Q. to get that certification? 24

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Yes.

When did you receive that certification? 1 Q. 1981, I believe. In 1981 or 1982. 2 Α. And what kind of test did you have to Q. 3 take? 4 I -- the -- well, the test was a 5 culmination of a number of week-long courses, and 6 then it was a six-hour test. 7 And what was the subject matter of the 8 courses? 9 Commercial real estate. Α. 10 Do you have any other certification? 11 Q. Α. No. 12 Do you have a broker's license? 13 Q. Yes. Α. 14 When did you receive that? 15 Q. 1974. It was '74 or '75. I had my 16 Α. salesman's license in '74. It may have been 1975. 17 Q. Did you have to take a test in order to 18 receive your broker's license? 19 A test and some schooling. 20 Q. And what was the -- how long was the 21 schooling? 22 It was a long time ago. There was 23 mandatory hours, so I can't recall what they were. 24

And what was the subject matter of the

schooling? 1 Real estate. 2 Α. Okay. Who are the owners of Q. 3 Klein & Heuchan? 4 5 Α. I am. Are there any other owners? Q. 6 Α. No. 7 And who are the other corporate officers Q. 8 of Klein & Heuchan? 9 Steve Klein. Α. 10 What is his position? 11 He's executive vice president and also a 12 Α. broker of record there. 13 Q. Does Klein & Heuchan have any 14 subsidiaries? 15 No. Well, you know, what. Let me change 16 Α. that. We have a -- basically, a management LLC. 17 That's a subsidiary. 18 What's the name of that? 19 Q. K&H Management Services, I believe. 20 Α. And who are the corporate officers of that Q. 21 entity? 22 Oh, it's an LLC, so I -- I'm the managing 23 Α. 24 member.

Q. Are there any other managing members?

- I can't recall. 1 Α. Does that LLC have any employees? 2 Q. No. Α. 3 What is the function or purpose of Q. 4 that LLC? 5 As part of our practice, we manage 6 properties for -- for clients. 7 0. Um-hum. 8 And that would be the entity that we use 9 Α. to do the management. 10 Does Klein & Heuchan have any subsidiary 11 affiliations or companies other than K&H Management 12 Services? 13 14 Α. No. Who are the employees of K&H -- or of 15 Klein & Heuchan? 16 Myself and Steve Klein, Diane Sorrentino 17 who is the bookkeeper, Carol Sue Duncan, who is my 18 assistant, and Mary Wolf, who is another assistant 19 20 of ours. Do you receive a salary from 21 Klein & Heuchan? 22 Α. No, I do not. 23
 - Q. How are you compensated?

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A. Just like our independent contractors, on

the same commission schedule.

- O. How is Mr. Steven Klein compensated?
- A. The same way.
- Q. How does the commission structure work? -
 I'm sorry -- commission schedule work?
- A. There is a -- I believe you have access to our company manual, and it's in there. It's a benchmark of percentages of commission received on an annual basis, starting with 50/50, going up to 90.
 - Q. How did you first come to know Scott Bell?
- A. Scott Bell actually was the younger brother of someone who lived -- was a friend of Steve's that lived in our neighborhood when Steve was growing up. Steve is my son.

And we found that he was working for Coldwell Banker as a realtor associate. And he arrived at our office with another sales associate from Coldwell Banker talking about one of our listings, I guess, and that's when I first met him.

- Q. Do you remember approximately what year and month that was?
- A. I would assume that was about a year before -- somewheres within the year before he brought his license to us.

Q. And what was the purpose of his visit that day?

- A. Realtors co-broke all the time on different listings. And he and this other associate were working on one of our listings, and they came to our office to pick up some information.
- Q. How did Scott Bell come to work for Klein & Heuchan?
- A. I believe he was unhappy with what he was doing at Coldwell Banker, and he contacted us and see if we would be interested in him joining us. And we met with him, interviewed with him, and decided that he might be a good candidate for us.
- Q. And, approximately, when did he start working for you -- or for Klein & Heuchan?
- A. The dates are there someplace, but it's -- what? -- December '06 or something like that.
 - Q. Is he still working for Klein & Heuchan?
- A. He is kind of a suspended leave. His license is with us. He's a stay-at-home dad. He had two children and decided to do that and make a decision whether he would want to come back to work for us when that -- when the kids were old enough, I guess, or he has a nanny. So he asked if we would hold his license for that period of time and we

agreed to.

- Q. And the suspended leave was his choice?
- A. Yes.
 - Q. And you agreed to that?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. And what does it mean when you say you're holding his license?
 - A. All the independent contractors work under my broker's license and Steve's, I believe, also.

 So his -- excuse me -- I have to have a drink.

 Although Klein & Heuchan is the entity, there is a broker of record, and we are the brokers of record and those associates work under our brokerage.
 - Q. And he -- if he wanted to come back and work for you, then he could do that easily.
 - A. Um-hum.
 - Q. Holding his license facilitates that, I'm assuming?
 - A. Yes, if we decided we wanted to have him back.
 - Q. Um-hum. Is there any cost to K&H associated with holding his license?
 - A. Very minimal. Most of the costs are paid by him. He must be a member of the Florida Gulfcoast Association of Realtors to be a member and

- he pays for that himself, and that's -- that is part and parcel of what he has do if he wants to keep his license active with us.
- Q. Does Klein & Heuchan pay any cost associated with holding his license?
- A. The City of -- City of Clearwater charges us a fee for every licensed associate, and it's about \$30 a year or something like that.
 - Q. And Klein & Heuchan pays that?
- A. Yes. We -- it's mandated that we have to pay that.
- Q. What were Scott Bell's responsibilities at Klein & Heuchan while he worked there?
- A. Well, he's an independent contractor and we hope that he would bring in money for himself and the company.
 - Q. What exactly did he do day-to-day?
- A. He contacted -- I assume that he contacted people to list their properties and prospects to sell properties to.
 - Q. Who oversaw his work there?
 - A. I did.

- Q. What types of interactions did you have with him?
 - A. Well, we have meetings twice a week.

They're sales meetings. So he's always at those sales meetings. And we talked to him about what he's doing, how he's progressing and working on getting listings and making sales.

- Q. Did you ever assign listings to him?
- A. Yes.

- Q. About how often?
- A. I gave him one listing.
- Q. And, otherwise, how were listings assigned to him?
- A. He would -- he would be able to get -they were not assigned to him. He would either have
 another agent in the office who might want to work
 with him on a listing and share a listing or he
 would develop those listings by himself. He would
 go out and find people that wanted to sell or lease
 property.
- Q. What else was discussed at your weekly meetings?
- A. We discussed -- on our Monday morning meetings, we discussed all our deals that are in progress, the calls that come into the company, anything new that affects our industry. We discuss what's happening in the marketplace so that we have a better idea together, all of the associates, as

- to, is the market getting better? Are rates going 1 up, down, values going up and down? General stuff 2 like that. 3 Who else attended the meetings? 4 All the associates attend most of the 5 meetings. 6 Were associates required to attend those 7 Q. meetings? 8 We make it a provision that they -- when 9 Α. we hire them, that they have to be -- we require 10 that they be at the meetings. It's not mandatory 11 that they're there. But if they don't participate, 12 then we'll sever the relationship. 13 Did you provide -- what kind of office 14 Q. space -- what kind of office space did you provide 15 for Scott Bell? 16 Our company has private offices and it has 17 cubicles, and he had a cubicle in one of the areas 18 that we have three cubicles in, I believe. 19 Did you provide him with internet access? Q. 20 Α. Yes. 21 Did you provide him with an e-mail 22 Q.
 - A. Yes, we did.

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Q. So, in terms of Scott Bell's -- the

- properties that he was listing -- that he was working on, how did Klein & Heuchan keep track of what he was working on?
 - A. The listings that he obtained had to be accepted by me or Steve, and we signed the listing agreements, and then we discussed with him how he's going to market them.
 - Q. Did you keep any records of the particular listings that he was working on?
 - A. All -- we keep all our listings -- all the company listing in a master file, and we require that the associates put any of the germane information into that file.
 - Q. And do -- does that file associate particular listings with particular -- the particular associates that are working on them?
 - A. Yes.

- Q. Can there be more than one associate that is associated with a listing?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. When you go through that file, are you able to search -- are you able to search by associate to obtain a list of all the listings that they're assigned to?
 - A. I'm not sure I understand the question.

So would you please repeat it?

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- Q. Certainly. If you -- if you wanted to know at any particular point in time which listings Mark -- Scott Bell was working on how, would you go about figuring that out based on your file system?
- A. We have a list. We have a list that details -- each listing -- listing has a listing number and an address and the associate that's involved. So I can go to that master list and pull the file.
- Q. And do you keep historical records of that list? In other words, if you wanted to know in, you know, May of 2007 which listings Scott Bell was working on, would you be able to find those records today?
- A. Yes, I would. It's mandatory that we keep all listing files for five years by the Florida Real Estate Commission.
 - Q. Have you ever used CoStar?
 - A. No.
 - Q. Do you know --
- A. Well, let me rephrase that answer. Okay?

 I was given a license to use CoStar by CCIM and I

 accessed it one time.
 - Q. Okay. And what did you do when you

accessed it that one time?

- A. I found it so frustrating that I never even bothered working through it.
- Q. What -- do you remember approximately what year that was?
- A. What's this? This is '09. I don't know.
 '06, '07, something like that.
 - Q. A couple years ago?
 - A. Yeah.
- Q. And what kind of license did you obtain from CCIM?
- A. I don't -- I don't understand that question.
 - Q. Well, was it --
- A. Well, the -- CCIM is a designation given by the institute -- an institute, which is a division of the Florida -- of the National Association of Realtors.
- CCIM -- all the CCIM members are -- are designees, and there are -- there are candidates for designations.
- CCIM cut a deal, as I understand it -that's what they told us -- with CoStar, so that
 every CCIM member and candidate could access CoStar.
 - Q. Were there any limitations on the access?

A. I have no idea. 1 Was it a temporary access or an indefinite 2 Q. access? 3 A. When it was -- when they sent us notice 4 of it, they indicated -- I thought that it was, you 5 know, on forever, but I have no idea. I wasn't 6 interested in it. 7 MS. KERKSIEK: Could we go off the record 8 for a second? 9 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 9:54 a.m. 10 We're now off the record. 11 (Discussion off the record.) 12 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 9:55 a.m. 13 We're now back on the record. 14 MS. KERKSIEK: Was there a question 15 pending? 16 THE WITNESS: Are you asking me? 17 MS. KERKSIEK: No. I'm asking the court 18 reporter. 19 THE COURT REPORTER: She's asking me. 20 "I wasn't interested in it." 21 22 There is no question pending. MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. Thank you. Just 23 making sure. 24 THE WITNESS: I'm the one with the gray 25

hair, you know.

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

Q. When y

- Q. When you used the CCIM license, did you need a password in order to access CoStar?
 - A. I can't remember.
- Q. Do you remember seeing or reading any terms of use?
- A. No.
 - Q. Is it something that you logged on with the -- that you used a computer to access?
 - A. Yeah.
 - Q. Yeah. Do you remember anything more about logging on or what you saw once you logged on?
 - A. I don't believe I ever got into the system. I think that the log-on was frustrating.

 And I wasn't that interested in it, so I just didn't.
 - Q. Did -- so the part of it that was frustrating about it was not being able to access the database?
 - A. I guess. I mean, I was -- it was given to us, you know, I thought, "Well, I'll look at it."

 You must understand that I knew what CoStar was.

 We'd been -- your salespeople had been calling on me for years, so, you know, I really didn't think it

- 1 was something for us. Did you search the database? Q. 2 Α. No. 3 Did you see -- do you remember looking 4 at any photographs of any commercial real estate 5 properties? 6 I mean, I remember that I did not. 7 Α. You remember that you did not? Q. 8 That's correct. Α. 9 Did you use CoStar at any other time? 10 I was given access to CoStar but never 11 Α. opened it. 12 When were you given access? 13 A number of years before. The salesman 14 gave me about a three-month access and I never used 15 16 it.
 - (Cell phone rings.)

THE WITNESS: Excuse me. I'll just close it -- shut this off.

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

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- Q. You -- did they -- did CoStar provide you with a user name and password when they -- when they gave you the trial period?
 - A. I guess they did. I never opened it.
 - Q. Do you remember receiving a license or

1	terms of use from them?
2	A. No.
3	Q. How did CoStar go about providing you with
4	the trial?
5	A. The salesman, Tom Bible, stopped by and
6	said, "We're giving you the right to use CoStar."
7	I think it was for three months.
8	Q. Had you requested that?
9	A. No.
10	Q. Did that CoStar salesman or any other
11	CoStar salesman ever provide you with any written
12	materials regarding CoStar?
13	A. They showed them and demonstrated them to
14	us when they when they called on me.
15	Q. Did they leave you with any brochures or
16	any other write-ups?
17	A. I can't remember.
18	Q. Did they ever send you any e-mails
19	regarding CoStar and the services?
20	A. We're always bombarded with your
21	researchers. They drive us crazy asking us for
22	information.
23	Q. What type of information do you receive

A. From their researchers?

from them?

Well -- oh, okay. I think we're talking 1 Q. about two different things. There's the researchers 2 and then offers to provide service -- to provide the 3 CoStar service or offers to give a subscription. I'm talking about the latter. 5 What types of information do the 6 CoStar representatives give you when they are --7 They'll come in with a laptop and show us 8 -- try to show us what we can do. I believe they've 9 offered to give us a report, if we wanted a report 10 at any time, to show how good the system is, that 11 type of stuff. 12 Do you think you --13 Q. We get e-mails from them to buy their 14 service. We -- you know, I mean, they do a good job 15 of marketing. 16 Have you saved any of those marketing 17 materials? 18 No. I never saved any of them. Α. 19 Do you have an e-mail archive where some 20 of the e-mails might be saved? 21 22 Α. No. Are any K&H e-mails archived or saved? 23 Q. MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 24

THE WITNESS: We don't --

1	MR. GIBSON: On K&H?	
2	THE WITNESS: Yeah. Answer the	
3	question	
4	Q. You can answer the question.	
5	A. Answer the question or ask the ques	tion
6	again.	
7	Q. Okay. Does K&H have a server in its	
8	offices?	
9	A. We have a server and we do not archive	any
10	e-mails on the server.	
11	Q. Do you know whether do you know whe	ther
12	your e-mail is a web-based e-mail?	
13	A. Do I well, I know we use Road Runne	r
14	and we have a I guess it is web-based. I'm no	ot
15	sure.	
16	Q. Who is your internet service provider?	
17	A. Road Runner and Web Services. We have	
18	two of them.	
19	Q. And do you know sorry.	
20	Do you know whether either Road Runner	or
21	Web Services archives any of your e-mails?	
22	A. I do not.	
23	Q. Did you attempt to contact them to fin	.d
24	out?	

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No.

Does Klein & Heuchan have a document 1 Q. retention policy? 2 I'm not sure I understand what you mean by 3 that. 4 Do you have a policy in place where --. 5 Q. you know, you had mentioned earlier that certain --6 you're required to keep certain listings for five 7 8 years. (Witness nods head.) 9 Α. Do you have any other such policies in 10 11 place? Sure, contracts -- contracts, failed 12 contracts. Anything that has to do with that we 13 retain for at least five years. 14 And do you have any policies regarding 15 Q. retaining e-mails? 16 No. 17 Α. What is your practice regarding saving 18 Q. e-mails? 19 Mine? 20 Α. 21 Yes. Q. I save them on my -- my hard drive. 22 Α. And do you organize them into folders? 23 Q.

Sometimes.

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- I'm not really a great technocrat, so --1 Α. you know, I'm kind of old, so . . . 2 How long do you usually save e-mails for? Q. 3 Too long. 4 Do you know whether your system 5 automatically deletes e-mails after a certain period 6 of time? 7 It can ask me if I want to archive them or 8 delete them. 9 And then do you ever archive them? 10 Q. Sometimes. Α. 11 Q. So you do have an e-mail archive 12 somewhere? 13 No -- on my computer, yes. 14 Α. Okay. Did you search that archive for any 15 Q. documents related to CoStar? 16 17 Α. No. Did you or anyone at Klein & Heuchan ever 18 ask Mr. Bell to provide you with information from 19 CoStar? 20
- No. 21 Α.

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- Did you ever receive any CoStar-related information from Mr. Bell?
 - No, I did not. Α.
 - Did you ever talk about this lawsuit with Q.

Mr. Bell?

- A. Yes, I did.
- Q. How many occasions did you talk about this lawsuit with him?
- A. You know, I didn't file it. But, you know, we -- when we first were threatened with a lawsuit, I called him in and then we talked about it. We talked about it a number of times.
 - Q. What did you talk about?
- A. We talked about -- we reiterated how he had access. We reiterated what -- what CoStar was alleging in their lawsuit. We told him that he needed to get his own counsel if we got that far because we would probably be adversarial.
- Q. What did you mean -- what do you mean by you reiterated how he got access to CoStar?
- A. He told us that he was given a subscription to CoStar when he was at Coldwell Banker, and he still had access to that, even though he asked his previous company, Coldwell Banker, to take him off of all of their information. He still had the access. He believed he had the access and so I believed he had the access.
- Q. Did he tell you why he was unhappy at Coldwell Banker?

He wasn't learning. You know, he was 1 Α. fairly new to the business and they really didn't 2 bring him along and help him very much, and he 3 wasn't making any money. Did you ever investigate whether there was 5 Q. a way to create a log of the IP addresses visited by 6 7 Klein & Heuchan employees? You're over my head. Α. 8 So -- do you know what an IP address is? 9 Q. I think I do. 10 Okay. Do you know if there's a way to 11 Q. figure out what IP addresses Klein & Heuchan 12 employees were visiting? 13 14 Α. No. Did you contact your service providers in 15 order -- your internet service providers in order to 16 figure that out? 17 No. 18 Α. MS. KERKSIEK: Let's take a ten-minute 19 20 break. THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 10:07 a.m. 21 We're now off the record. 22 (There was a recess.) 23 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 10:19 a.m. 24

We're now back on the record.

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

Q. Okay. A couple of follow-up questions and then we'll get into the some documents.

You testified earlier about a list that you're required to keep for, I think, five years that documents which listings Scott Bell was responsible for or worked on. Is that right?

- A. Almost.
- Q. Almost.
- A. We're required to keep all listing files and contract files for five years, not necessarily a list.
 - Q. But you testified that you do have such a list?
- A. Yeah, because it's easier to find out where the file is.
- Q. Did you ever provide that list to your attorney?
 - A. I don't remember.
- Q. Did you ever file -- provide the files to the attorney -- to your attorney?
 - A. The listing files?
 - Q. Um-hum.
- A. I gave -- I gave him four files this morning.

You did. Which files were those? 1 Q. Files on 1250 Rogers Street. There were 2 Α. three files on 1250 Rogers Street and one file on 3 another transaction that Scott had completed. 4 Are those the files related to the 5 commissions that --6 7 Α. Yes. Yes. -- Scott earned while he was at K&H? 8 Yes. 9 Α. MR. GIBSON: They're being copied as we 10 11 speak. MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. 12 THE WITNESS: Yeah. I'm taking those 13 files back. 14 MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. Very good. 15 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 16 Now, you had also said that Scott had 17 called Coldwell to ask them to take him off of 18 everything that he was associated with over there. 19 Yes. 20 Α. Do you know whether Bell ever asked 21 Coldwell if he was still allowed to use CoStar --22 23 Α. No.

-- while he worked for K&H?

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No.

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- You also said that -- that you'd never 1 Q. received anything -- any CoStar information from 2 Bell. Do you know if anyone at K&H had ever 3 received any CoStar information or printouts from Bell? 5 At Bell's deposition he said that he Α. 6 sent a market report to Steve, Judi Healey and 7 I frankly never met -- the first time I myself. ever saw a CoStar market report, to my recollection, 9 was at that -- at his deposition. 10 But do you know whether Bell ever gave 11 -- do you know personally whether Bell ever gave 12 anybody at K&H something from CoStar? 13 I believe he did not. 14 Other than the e-mails that you saw on Q. 15 that day. You're not aware of anything else? 16 Which e-mails? 17 Α. I'm sorry. Other than the reports --18 Q. The market report. 19 -- the market reports that were referenced 20 Q. during the Bell deposition --21 Right. And I asked him --Α. 22
 - Q. -- you know of no other instances?

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A. And I asked him specifically if he did, and he told me no.

Q. And you're not aware of any other -- of 1 any other --2 Yes. I am not aware. Α. 3 You're not aware. Okay. Q. 4 You said you asked him specifically if he 5 ever -- who were you referring to? Who did you ask 6 specifically if Bell had ever provided --7 The question was, did I -- I assume the question was: Did I ask him if he ever provided 9 information to anybody else? And "he" is the --10 that's the pronoun for Bell. 11 Scott Bell? 12 Q. Α. Yeah. 13 Okay. And, last, did -- are you -- did Q. 14 you or anybody at K&H ever ask Scott Bell for any 15 CoStar materials? 16 No, we did not. 17 Α. MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. Let's mark as 18 Exhibit 3 or -- yeah, 3 -- this document. 19 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 20 Number 3 for identification.) 21 THE WITNESS: Okay. 22

Have you had a chance to review Exhibit 3?

Q. I'm sorry? Α.

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BY MS. KERKSIEK:

Have you had a chance to review Exhibit 3? Q. 1 Yes. Α. 2 Do you recognize this document? Q. 3 I do. 4 Α. What is it? Q. 5 It is the Klein & Heuchan Policy Manual Α. 6 and Commission Schedule. 7 And is there a signature on the front Q. 8 9 page? Yes, there is. 10 Α. And whose signature does that appear to Q. 11 12 be? Scott Bell. Α. 13 Was Scott Bell's affiliation with K&H 14 Q. pursuant to this policy? 15 This policy manual was -- was given to him 16 to be signed by him when we -- when we associated 17 with him --18 Was he --19 Q. -- when he became an associate. Α. 20 Was he required to sign this --21 Q. Yes. 22 Α. -- policy as a condition of his 23 Q. employment? 24

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Yes, he was.

Do all of the associates at K&H sign this 1 Q. manual? 2 Yes, they do. Α. 3 What happens when an -- when an employee 4 violates a provision of this policy manual? 5 I mean, if -- if it's a severe violation 6 of the manual, we'll sever our relationship with 7 them. 8 Are there any other less severe Q. 9 consequences that could occur? 10 I can't remember really having, you know, 11 any severe violations. 12 All right. Q. 13 MS. KERKSIEK: This is Number 4. 14 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 15 Number 4 for identification.) 16 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 17 Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 4 18 Q. before? 19 20 Α. Yes. When did you see this? 21 Q. At Scott Bell's deposition. 22 Α. Did you ever see this before that day? 23 Q. I never -- I never recall ever seeing 24 Α.

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this.

- Do you recognize what this is? 1 Q. 2 Α. Yes. What is it? Q. 3 It's an office report for the Tampa Bay 4 Α. market, very similar to the ones that we get from 5 Cushman & Wakefield, the Maddux Report, and a host 6 of other service providers in the Tampa Bay area. 7 And what do you use these types of reports 8 for? 9 Well, I've never used this report. I've Α. 10 never seen this report before the --11 But reports -- office reports similar to 12 Q. 13

 - this one, what are they used for?

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- It clarifies what we think we found out about the market, what the vacancy factor is, what the occupancy factor is, and whether they're trending up and trending down.
- Do you use it -- so you use it to verify Q. research you've already done?
- No. You asked me if I use this report. I've never -- I never use this report.
- I understand. But reports like --Q. No. I'm just trying to understand what this -- what these types of reports -- what their purpose is and function is.

It helps me understand the marketplace and 1 make sure that what I understand has -- has actually 2 been quantified, you know, by -- by other 3 researchers. You use it, in other words -- you use 5 **Q**. reports like this to verify research that you've 6 7 already conducted? Α. That's correct. 8 What sources of information do you use for 9 Q. your initial research? 10 We're in the marketplace constantly, so we 11 know what's happening on a one-to-one basis. 12 reports are provided by researchers who talk to 13 people like us and many brokers to get an idea ---14 and properties owners -- to gather their research. 15 Many times their research is flawed. 16 Do you know if anyone at K&H has ever seen 17 this report, Exhibit 4? 18 I have no idea. 19 Do you know if anyone at K&H ever asked 20 Scott Bell for -- to provide them with this report? 21 Α. No. 22 MS. KERKSIEK: This is Number 5. 23 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 24

Number 5 for identification.)

THE WITNESS: Okay. 1 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 2 Have you had a chance to review it? 3 Yes. Α. 4 Do you recognize this document? 5 Q. Α. No. 6 Do you know generally what it is? 7 Q. Yes. Α. 8 What is it? 9 Q. It's -- as it says, this is Year-End 2007 10 Α. The other one was a First Quarter Office 11 report. 12 Report. Can you tell me which Bell exhibit number 13 Q. that is? 14 MR. GIBSON: Let me swap -- there. 15 MS. KERKSIEK: Oh, there we go. 16 17 BY MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. Now you're looking at Exhibit --18 your Exhibit 5 --19 MR. GIBSON: 5. Right. 20 -- Klein Exhibit 5? 21 Q. I'm looking at -- okay. 22 Α. Is that right? You're looking at 23 Klein Exhibit 5? 24

Yes.

Do you see the court reporter's marking? 1 Q. Α. Yes. 2 Okay. What is that? Q. 3 First Quarter 2007. Α. 4 And have you ever seen this before? 5 Q. Α. No. 6 Do you know whether anyone at K&H has ever 7 Q. seen this before? 8 Α. No. 9 Did you or anyone at K&H ever ask Bell for 10 11 this report? 12 Α. No. (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 13 Number 6 for identification.) 14 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 15 Okay. Same questions. Have you ever seen 16 Q. this before? 17 Α. No. 18 Do you know what this is? 19 It says it's The CoStar Industrial Report, 20 Α. Year-End 2007. 21 Do you know if --22 Q. I'll qualify that answer and say that I 23 saw it at the deposition. 24

Okay.

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Is that the same answer for --

1 Α. Yes. -- Exhibit Number 5? Q. 2 Right. Yes. Α. 3 But before the deposition, you've --Q. 4 I've never seen it. 5 Α. -- you've never seen these? 6 Q. MR. GIBSON: And just so we're clear, 7 what deposition? I mean --8 THE WITNESS: Scott Bell's deposition. 9 MS. KERKSIEK: Scott Bell's deposition. 10 THE WITNESS: On the 20th. 11 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 12 Do you know if anyone at K&H ever used 13 this report? 14 Α. No. 15 Do you know if anyone at -- you or anyone 16 at K&H asked Scott Bell to provide them with this 17 report? 18 No. Α. 19 Do you know whether Scott Bell used either 20 Exhibit 4, Exhibit 5 or Exhibit 6? 21 No. Α. 22 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 23 Number 7 for identification.) 24

THE WITNESS: Okay.

51 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 1 Have you ever seen this document before? 2 No. Α. 3 Did you see it at Scott Bell's deposition? I don't recall seeing it. 5 Α. Do you know what this is? 6 Q. It says that it's a comp report on a mini 7 Α. storage facility in Pasco County. 8 Do you know if Scott Bell ever used this 9 Q. while he was at Klein & Heuchan? 10 11 Α. No. Do you know if anyone at Klein & Heuchan 12 ever used this information? 13 Α. No. 14 Do you know if anyone at Klein & Heuchan 15 ever asked Scott Bell for this information? 16 Α. No. 17 18 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit Number 8 for identification.) 19

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BY MS. KERKSIEK:

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- Q. What does this appear to be?
 - A. It appears to be an e-mail to somebody.
 - Q. And who is the e-mail from?
 - A. Scott Bell.
 - Q. And do you see where at the top it says "scott@kh.com"?
 - A. Um-hum.

- Q. Is that a Klein & Heuchan e-mail address?
- A. It may be an abbreviated address.
- Q. What makes you say that?
- A. Because we don't have a "kh.com" address.
- Q. What is K&H -- Klein & Heuchan's e-mail address?
- A. I don't know what -- I can't remember what Scott's would be, but it would have been "scottbell@kleinand" -- no ampersand -- "heuchan.com."
- Q. Okay. Do you know who "bmistak@gmail.com" is?
 - A. No. I have no idea.
 - Q. When you go down and there is -- it says, about a quarter of the way down the page, "Original Message," it says from "printer@kh.com."
 - A. Um-hum.
 - Q. Is that K&H's printer -- Klein & Heuchan's

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                Can you look at the attachment to the
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     e-mail?
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                Sure.
                Have you ever seen this before?
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                At Scott's deposition.
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           Α.
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                And before that?
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                No.
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           Α.
                Did you or anyone at K&H ask Scott Bell to
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           Q.
     provide this information?
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                No.
                Did you or anyone at K&H ever receive this
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     printout from Scott Bell?
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                I don't believe we did.
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     Number 9 for identification.)
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                  THE WITNESS: Okay.
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     BY MS. KERKSIEK:
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                What does this appear to be?
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           Q.
                It's an e-mail from Scott Bell.
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                And do you see his e-mail address as
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      scottbell@kleinandheuchan.com?
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- 1 Α. Yes. Is that the e-mail address that you were 2 Q. referring to earlier? 3 That's correct. Yes. Α. And that is Klein & Heuchan's e-mail --Q. 5 That's correct. 6 Α. -- provided account? 7 Q. That's correct. Α. 8 Who is MSK? 9 Q. That's my -- the -- that's the e-mail 10 Α. I use, which msk@tampabay.rr.com. 11 I don't use the -- I use the Klein & 12 Heuchan e-mail address, but I prefer to use the 13 Road Runner e-mail that I use. Easier to spell. 14 And what is tampabay.rr.com? 15 Q. That's a Road Runner e-mail address. 16 Α. And is the Klein & Heuchan e-mail account 17 Q. provided by Road Runner or by a different ISP? 18 Α. A different ISP. 19 Which one? 20 Q. Web Services. 21 Α. Why do you prefer to use the Road Runner 22 Q.
 - A. If I ask you to spell "Heuchan," how would

MR. GIBSON: Object to form.

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account?

- you spell it, without looking? That's why. 1 Okay. 2 Q. It's too -- it's too easy to make a Α. 3 mistake. 4 Is that why you -- Klein & Heuchan 5 Q. obtained this e-mail account, Tampa Bay, for --6 because it's easier to spell? 7 I can't recall which came first. 8 Okay. Is tampabay.rr, is that a separate 9 Q. What does that refer to? company? 10 A. Road Runner -- Road Runner is a company, 11 and we get them through Bright Star, which is Bright 12 House Network. 13 And is Bright House Network the ISP? Q. 14 Α. Got me. 15 Q. It's the company? 16 Is -- what is Tampa Bay? What does that 17 refer to? 18 It's a name. It's -- we're in the Tampa A. 19
 - Bay area.
 - Q. Okay.

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- And that is the address that Road Runner uses for our area, so it's one word. There's no space.
 - Q. And do you see the text of the first

e-mail says, "You probably have already seen this"? 1 Yes. 2 Α. Do you recall seeing this e-mail? Q. 3 I don't know. I get a lot of e-mails. Α. 4 MR. GIBSON: Prior to the depo? 5 Prior to the deposition, do you recall Q. 6 seeing this? 7 I don't recall it. 8 Do you see that the forwarded 9 Q. message comes from CoStar Group 10 [mailto:announcements@costar.com]? 11 Yes. Α. 12 Were you at any -- or anyone at 13 Klein & Heuchan aware that Scott Bell received 14 e-mails like this from CoStar? 15 Everybody -- everybody at Klein & Heuchan Α. 16 receives these offers from CoStar. 17 What kind of offer is this? Q. 18 I don't know. I didn't look at it. 19 Will you take a look and then let me know 20 what it is? 21 Sure. 22 Α. "NEW: Free Property Search." 23 "Looking for commercial properties to buy 24

or lease? Visit CoStar."

"Coverage. Listings to all 50 states. 1 All property types including office, industrial, 2 retail, land and multifamily. Convenience. 3 Unlimited searches. No cost. No registration 4 5 required. "Confidence. Researched, verified, 6 continuously updated listings." 7 I guess I received this also and I had no 8 interest. 9 So this is something that one -- that you 10 would have received without having a CoStar account? 11 I believe it's a marketing tool of CoStar. 12 Α. Um-hum. And it's not something that you 13 Q. would have required a password to look at? 14 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 15 Α. No. 16 So when Scott Bell says you probably have 17 already seen this, you believe that what he means is 18 that you had -- you had already received this 19 identical e-mail? 20 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 21 I don't know what he had. 22 Α. 23 Q. Okay. (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 24

Number 10 for identification.)

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

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- Can you tell me what Exhibit 10 is?
- Α. It looks like an Excel spreadsheet. 3
- Well, that's the attachment. It's an e-mail from 4 Scott Bell. 5
 - And who is the e-mail to? Q.
 - It's to me.
 - And the subject -- and do you recall having received this e-mail on August 16, 2007?
 - No. I really don't.
- Do you recall seeing the Excel spreadsheets similar to the one attached to the e-mail? 13
 - No, I don't.
- Do you have any reason to believe that you 15 did not receive this e-mail? 16
- Α. No, I don't. 17
 - Or any e-mails addressed to MSK? Q.
- No. 19 Α.
 - Are you -- did you or anyone at K&H ask Q. Scott Bell to provide you with the Excel spreadsheet that's attached to Exhibit 10?
 - Absolutely not.
 - Do you know if anybody else at K&H ever Q. saw the attachment that's attached -- other than

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               No.
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                -- that's attached?
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                 MR. GIBSON: Object to form.
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                 THE WITNESS: We're killing a lot of
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     trees here, aren't we?
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                 MS. KERKSIEK: No. That's what lawyers
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     do, unfortunately. We've got to create the record.
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                 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit
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     Number 11 for identification.)
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                 THE WITNESS: Okay.
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     BY MS. KERKSIEK:
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                It is another copy of an office --
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     CoStar Office Report.
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                And what is the first page of Exhibit
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     Number 11?
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                The first page of the exhibit? The
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     CoStar Office Report, Year-End 2006.
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                No. I'm referring to the e-mail.
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                Oh, the e-mail? Okay, Scott -- it's
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     from Scott Bell to Steve Klein. Attachment is
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     "officeReport.pdf."
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"Steve, Office report document."

1 Q. And are you -- is that "stevenklein@kleinandheuchan.com," that is 2 Steven Klein, the Executive Vice President of K&H? 3 That's correct. Α. Did you or Steve Klein or anyone Q. 5 at K&H ask Scott Bell to provide this report? 6 I don't know. I mean, I didn't. 7 Do you -- are you -- do you know whether 8 Steve Klein asked him to provide --9 I doubt -- I doubt that he did. 10 But you don't know for sure? 11 Q. 12 Α. No. Do you know if anyone at K&H ever --13 including Steve Klein -- ever read or used this 14 15 report? No. 16 Α. So, again, Number -- Exhibit Number 11, 17 did you see this document at Scott Bell's 18 deposition? 19 I believe I did. 20 And since that time did you ask anybody at 21 K&H or did ask you Steven Klein whether they asked 22 Scott Bell to provide this document to them? 23 No. I mean, I know that Steve did not 24 Α.

ask for it. We had no reason to ask for it, but I

didn't ask him if he did that.

- Q. And how do you know, then, that Steve Klein didn't ask for it?
- A. We have four or five office reports

 from -- from Marcus & Millichap, from Cushman &

 Wakefield, from the Maddux report, from Advantis

 Real Estate. They all provide them. C.B. Richard

 Ellis. We have them all. There's nothing

 proprietary about this.
- Q. Those other reports, do you have to pay for them?
 - A. No.
- Q. Those other companies provide office reports free of charge?
 - A. Yes. Yes.
- Q. Do you know whether CoStar provides office reports free of charge?
 - A. I have no idea. I have no idea.
- Q. And just to be clear on Exhibit Number 11, you never did ask Mr. Steven Klein whether he asked Scott Bell for this report?
- MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Asked and answered.
 - THE WITNESS: I'm sorry? Oh, okay.
- MR. GIBSON: Go ahead.

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THE WITNESS: No, I did not.
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                MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. We're on -- where
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     is 12? Okay.
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                 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit
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     Number 12 for identification.)
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                 THE WITNESS: Okay.
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     BY MS. KERKSIEK:
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                Can you tell me what Exhibit 12 is?
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                I'm looking at 11.
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                The yellow one.
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          Q.
                Oh, I'm sorry.
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                I know. They're a number off, so it makes
          Q.
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     it confusing.
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                          It's an e-mail from Scott Bell
                Right.
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     to somebody named Tracy McMurray.
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                Do you know who Tracy McMurray is?
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                No, I do not.
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                Will you take a look at the attachment?
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                Okay.
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                And will you take a look at the last four
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     pages of the attachment?
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                Can you tell me what those pages look
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     like?
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                The pages are property listings. One of
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them that I see here is a -- these are CoStar 1 property listings. And the one in the front is -the first exhibit is a Colliers Arnold listing, which is the same as page number -- I don't know -one of the pages here on CoStar. It's one of the 5 four pages. 6 Did you or anyone at K&H ask Scott Bell to 7 provide them with this information? 8 No, I did not. 9 Α. Did you or anyone at K&H ever receive this 10 information from Scott Bell? 11 No, we did not. Α. 12 MS. KERKSIEK: We're going to go off the 13 record for two minutes and take a quick break. 14 MR. GIBSON: Sure. 15 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 10:53 a.m. 16 We're now off the record. 17 (Discussion off the record.) 18 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 10:58 a.m. 19 We're now back on the record. 20 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 21 Number 13 for identification.) 22 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 23 Can you tell me what Exhibit Number 13 is?

It's an e-mail from Scott Bell to

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Carol Duncan in my office. 1 Q. Carol Duncan is the --2 Administrative assistant. 3 Administrative assistant, okay. Have you Q. ever seen this before? 5 I think I may have seen this at the 6 Α. deposition, at Scott's deposition. 7 Did you ask Ms. Duncan whether she asked 8 Mr. Bell to provide her with this link? 9 10 Α. No. Do you know whether Ms. Duncan asked to --11 Scott Bell to provide her with this link? 12 13 She wouldn't have any reason to, but I don't know. 14 Do you know if Ms. Duncan or anyone at K&H 15 16 used this link for any purpose? 17 Α. No. MS. KERKSIEK: Number 14. 18 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 19 Number 14 for identification.) 20 THE WITNESS: Okay. 21 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 22 Can you tell me what Exhibit 14 is? 23 It's an e-mail from Scott Bell to 24

Steve Klein.

Do you know whether Steve Klein asked 1 Q. Scott Bell to provide him with this information? 2 No, I do not. Α. 3 Did you ever ask Mr. Klein if -- well, 4 Steven Klein -- if he asked Scott Bell to provide 5 him with this information? 6 A. No, I did not. 7 Q. And do you know if --8 14. Α. 9 Did you or anyone at K&H ask Mr. Bell 10 Q. to provide Steven Klein with this information? 11 12 Α. No. (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 13 Number 15 for identification.) 14 THE WITNESS: Okay. 15 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 16 Do you know what this -- what Exhibit 17 Number 15 is? 18 I have no idea. 19 Have you ever seen it before? 20 Q. At Scott Bell's deposition. 21 Are you aware that this is something 22 Q. that was obtained from CoStar by Scott Bell? 23 No. Α. 24

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     Number 16 for identification.)
                THE WITNESS: Okay.
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     BY MS. KERKSIEK:
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                Do you know what Exhibit Number 16 is?
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           A.
                It's an Excel spreadsheet.
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                Do you know whether this is something that
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           Q.
     was obtained from CoStar's database?
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                I have no idea.
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                Have you ever seen this before?
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                At Scott Bell's deposition.
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           Α.
                Did you ever see it before that?
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           Q.
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                No.
                Do you know if anyone at K&H had ever seen
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     this before that?
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           Α.
                No.
                Did you ask anyone at K&H whether they had
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           Q.
     ever seen this document?
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                MS. KERKSIEK: 17.
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     Number 17 for identification.)
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     BY MS. KERKSIEK:
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                Do you recognize Exhibit Number 17?
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                Have you ever seen it before?
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- A. At Scott Bell's deposition.
- Q. Are you aware that this is something that Scott Bell obtained from CoStar's databases?
 - A. No, I am not.
- Q. Did you ask anyone at K&H whether they had ever seen this?
 - A. No.

- Q. Did you ask K&H -- anyone at K&H whether they had asked Scott Bell to provide them with this information?
 - A. No, I did not.
- Q. No -- Mr. Klein, the court reporter -it's hard for her to take down when we talk over
 each other. So if you could wait until I finish my
 question and then answer, I would appreciate it.
 - A. Are you finished? I'll try.
 - Q. Thank you. I appreciate it.
- A. But this court reporter is pretty good. She can do that.
- Q. But she's supposed to take everything down exactly as she hears it, so --
 - A. Okay.
- Q. If she hears that we're talking over each other, then she tries to do that, too.
 - A. I understand. I'll try and comply.

1	Q. Thank you. Thanks.
2	THE COURT REPORTER: 18?
3	MS. KERKSIEK: 18, yes.
4	(The document was marked as Klein Exhibit
5	Number 18 for identification.)
6	BY MS. KERKSIEK:
7	Q. Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 18
8	before?
9	A. At Scott Bell's deposition.
10	Q. And do you recognize this document?
L 1	A. No.
12	Q. Are you aware that this is a document that
13	Scott Bell received from CoStar's databases?
14	A. No, I am not.
15	Q. Do you know if anyone at K&H asked
16	Scott Bell to provide them with this information?
17	A. No, I do not.
18	Q. Do you know if anyone at K&H had ever seen
19	this the information contained in here or,
20	really, had ever seen Exhibit Number 18?
21	A. No.
22	Q. Did you ask anyone at K&H whether they
23	had seen or asked Bell to provide them with the
24	information in Exhibit 18?

No.

MS. KERKSIEK: 19. 1 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 2 Number 19 for identification.) 3 BY MS. KERKSIEK: Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 19 5 Q. before? 6 At Scott Bell's deposition. 7 Α. Had you ever seen it before that? Q. 8 No, I did not. Α. 9 Do you know what Exhibit Number 19 is? 10 Q. No. 11 Α. I'm sorry? 12 Q. No. Α. 13 Are you aware that Exhibit Number 19 was 14 Q. obtained from CoStar's databases? 15 No, I am not. 16 Α. Did you -- or do you know whether anyone 17 at K&H asked Scott Bell to provide them with this 18 information? 19 No, I do not. 20 Α. Do you know whether anyone at K&H ever saw 21 or used this information? 22 No, I do not. 23 Did you ever ask anyone at K&H whether 24 they had seen or used this information? 25

Exhibit 19? 1 Α. 2 Q. Yes. Α. No. 3 The second one's "Ted Kennedy." You might as well cross that off. 5 MS. KERKSIEK: Oh. 6 MR. STEVEN KLEIN: That's interesting. 7 MS. KERKSIEK: That says "Ted Kennedy," 8 the second entry. 9 MR. GIBSON: Yours is just the line. 10 MS. KERKSIEK: I think there probably are. 11 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 12 Number 20 for identification.) 13 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 14 Do you recognize this document? 15 From Scott's -- Scott Bell's deposition, 16 I've seen it. That's where I recognize it from. 17 Are you aware that Exhibit Number 20 is --18 Q. was obtained from CoStar's databases? 19 No, I am not. 20 Do you know if anyone at Klein & Heuchan 21 asked Scott Bell to provide them with the 22 information in Exhibit 20? 23 No, I do not. 24 Α.

Do you know whether anyone at K&H ever

saw or used the information contained in Exhibit 20? 1 2 No, I do not. And did you ever ask anyone whether 3 they used or asked Bell for the information in Exhibit 20? 5 No, I did not. Α. 6 MS. KERKSIEK: 21. 7 MR. GIBSON: Is this Exhibit 21? 8 MS. KERKSIEK: 21. 9 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 10 Number 21 for identification.) 11 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 12 Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 21 13 Q. before? 14 At the deposition -- at Scott Bell's 15 deposition. 16 Had you ever seen it before that? 17 Q. 18 Α. No, I have not. Do you know what Exhibit 21 is? 19 Q. Α. No. 20 Do you know whether anyone at K&H 21 ever asked Scott Bell to provide them with this 22 information? 23

No, I do not.

THE WITNESS: I'm sorry. I talked over

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1 you. BY MS. KERKSIEK: 2 Are you aware that the information in 3 Exhibit Number 21 is information obtained from CoStar? 5 No, I'm not. Α. 6 Do you know whether anyone at K&H ever 7 saw or used the information in Exhibit Number 21? 8 No, I do not. Α. 9 Did you ever ask anyone at K&H whether 10 they ever saw or used this -- the information in 11 Exhibit Number 21? 12 No, I did not. Α. 13 (The document was marked as Klein 14 Exhibit Number 22 for identification.) 15 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 16 Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 22 17 18 before? I don't think I saw it at Scott Bell's 19 deposition either. I may have. 20 Q. Okay. Can you tell me what this is? 21 It's an e-mail from Scott Bell to 22 FMALK175@aol.com. 23 Do you know whose e-mail address that is? 24 Q.

No.

Can you turn to the attachment? 1 Q. 2 Α. Yes. Can you tell me what the attachment is? 3 Q. It is a marketing flier on a town home Α. apartment complex. 5 Is this a Klein & Heuchan flier? Q. 6 Yes, it is. 7 How does Klein & Heuchan create these 0. 8 fliers? 9 We created them -- we create them Α. 10 11 in-house. What are the sources of information that Q. 12 you use to create these fliers? 13 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 14 We -- we -- let's go to the back of the 15 Α. flier, the overview. We get the zoning and the land 16 use from the municipality. We get the floodplain 17 from the -- usually the municipality or wherever 18 it's available from. The utilities -- we check the 19 utilities and then --20 With the utility companies? 21 With the utility companies to make sure 22 that we have the right one. And then we get the 23

Q. What about things like improvements,

appraiser's -- the tax assessor's information.

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land area, year built? 1 We get them from the tax assessor, but we 2 Α. -- we request that our associates go out and check 3 them themselves because they're frequently wrong. And when you say "we get this Q. 5 information," do you mean the associates are 6 responsible for filling in this information. 7 That is correct. 8 THE COURT REPORTER: 23. 9 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 10 Number 23 for identification.) 11 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 12 Do you recognize Exhibit Number 23? 13 I sure do. 14 Α. What is it? Q. 15 It's a threatening letter from your 16 Α. client, CoStar. 17 Do you remember receiving this letter? 18 I do. 19 Α. What did you do when you received it? 20 I got PO'd and I called CoStar, according 21 Α. to the -- according to the instructions on the back. 22

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What did you say to CoStar when you called

If I recall correctly, I did not

get Mr. Ricketts, but I got Steve Williams, who 1 informed me that he -- his question was: "Do you 2 have anybody that ever worked for Coldwell Banker 3 working for you or, you know, as an associate?" I said, "Yes, I have three of them." 5 And he said, "Do" -- does Scott Bell --6 is Scott Bell one of them?" 7 I said, "Yes." 8 And he said, "He's using our information 9 10 us what they're going to do, that they want to 11

illegally, so we're" -- you know, this letter tells extort a license from me, and it really -- extortion -- it really pissed me off.

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- What did Steve Williams say in response to you?
- The conversation was, "Well, you know, we can -- we can -- you owe us \$69,000. But we'll make a deal from you if you take a license from us." And I said, you know, "I'm not interested."

And he said, "Well, if you -- we might treat you as a two-member association and do this for \$10,000."

And then the very next day -- I ended the conversation because I still was not interested. And the very next day somebody else called -- and I

- don't know if it was Ricketts or somebody else -to say, "He wasn't authorized to make that deal for
 you."
 - Q. Hmm.

- A. And said, "I don't care. You're not going to use extortion and hold me hostage to buy a license from CoStar."
- Q. Did you have any other conversations with CoStar after that?
- A. I don't think I did. I think I received

 -- the next thing I received was the other letter

 that said, "If you -- you haven't worked with us on

 this. So if you -- if you don't do that by Tuesday,

 we're going to file a suit against you."
- Q. Did the second -- was -- you -- so you received a -- you received a second letter from CoStar?
 - A. Yes.
- Q. And it was dated several days after the letter --
 - A. No. It was dated about a month later.
 - Q. A month later?
 - A. Yeah.
- Q. Okay. And what did you do after you received that letter?

A. Called my attorney and told him to file 1 2 suit. Is your attorney Mr. Gibson? 3 Yes. Α. Who else did you -- no. Let's come back 5 **Q**. to the first letter, Exhibit Number 23. 6 Did you have any conversations with 7 anybody at Klein & Heuchan about this letter? 8 Scott Bell and Steve Klein. 9 Did you -- did you speak with them at 10 once, in one conversation, or were there several 11 conversations? 12 I can't recall. 13 Do you remember what you talked about? 14 Yeah. I -- we talked about the letter and 15 Α. I discussed it with Scott Bell. 16 What did you tell or ask Scott? What did 17 Q. you say to Scott Bell? 18 "Tell me again how you happen to have this 19 CoStar information." 20 What did he say? 21 Q. He said, "They gave it to me. It was a 22 subscription. They called us all into a room and 23 said, "We are giving you a subscription to CoStar." 24

And what else did he say?

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That was it. I mean, I --Α. 1 2 Q. What did --Α. I can't recall. 3 What did you say to him? Q. I said, "Fine. Come here. We're going to Α. 5 call them." So he was in the room when I called. 6 Q. Okay. 7 But he was not in the room when they 8 returned the call. 9 Okay. What did you -- and you said you Q. 10 discussed this letter with Steven Klein as well? 11 12 Α. Um-hum. Yes. What did you talk about with him? 13 Q. The letter, the extortion attempt. 14 Α. And it is an extortion attempt. You know that. 15 Would you admit that CoStar is a pretty 16 17 highly technical company? I'm the one asking the questions here. 18 Oh. All right. 19 Α. Just so that you know, when this subject 20 comes up, I still get excited, and not in a good 21

(The document was marked as Klein Exhibit Number 24 for identification.) BY MS. KERKSIEK:

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Do you recognize Exhibit Number 24? Q. 1 Yes, I do. Α. 2 What is it? 3 Q. I'm sorry. 4 Α. Q. That's okay. 5 Yes, I do. Α. 6 7 Q. What is it? It is a commission spreadsheet that we Α. 8 give out to the associates when we give them a 9 commission. 10 And are these Scott Bell's commissions? 11 Q. All of them, yes. 12 Α. He had no other commissions other than the 13 -- other than the ones reflected in these two pages? 14 That's correct. Α. 15 And do you know whether these are -- these 16 Q. numbers are an accurate record of the commissions 17 that he received? 18 Yes, they are. 19 Α. And if you go to the column that says, 20 "Gross commissions" --21 Um-hum. Α. 22 -- and then at the bottom it says, 23 "\$1,749.56." 24

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Um-hum.

Is that the total commissions earned on Q. 1 this -- on these sales? 2 That's correct. Α. 3 And then the two columns that says 4 "Commission Earned" and "Commission Paid," what 5 are those? 6 Okay. The commission earned is the 7 associate's split of the commission that we 8 received, which is the gross commission. 9 Commission paid is all of the money he received. 10 Because if you read our policy manual, we do give a 11 bonus at the end of the year based on the percentage 12 that they put into the fund, and he got this \$43.74. 13 And what is the column that says 14 "K&H Net"? 15 That shows what we have net after paying 16 out the salesman's portion of the commission. 17 In other words, the --18 So it -- so that would be, column one, 19 Gross Commission, 1749; Commission Earned, 874.78; 20 K&H Net, 874.78. 21 (The document was marked as Klein 22 Exhibit Number 25 for identification.) 23 THE WITNESS: Yes, Sanya. 24

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

Do you recognize Exhibit Number 25? Q. 1 I guess I do, yes. Α. 2 Have you ever seen this before? Q. 3 Yes. 4 Α. Can you tell me what it is? Q. 5 It's a First Set of Interrogatories. Α. 6 Is it Klein & Heuchan's Response? 7 Q. It's Klein & Heuchan's Response to Α. 8 Defendant's First Set of Interrogatories. 9 Can you turn to the last page? Q. 10 Α. Okay. 11 Do you see that's a certification? 12 Q. Yes. 13 And it's signed Klein & Heuchan, Inc., 14 Q. by President? 15 Yes. Α. 16 And there's a signature there? Q. 17 Yes. Α. 18 Is that your signature? 19 Q. Yes, it is. Α. 20 Do you remember reading these responses --21 Q. Yes, I do. Α. 22 -- when you signed them? 23 Q. Yes. 24 Α.

Were they true and accurate, to the best

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- of your knowledge, at the time? 1 Yes. Okay. This -- yeah. This includes Α. 2 the commissions not only in this year. It's total 3 commissions earned. 4 For 2007 and 2008? 5 Q. Yes. Yes. Α. 6 7 Q. Yes. Yes. That's correct. Α. 8 Okay. Can you read, just to yourself, 9 Q. Interrogatory Number 5? 10 Α. Okay. 11 Q. Now, earlier you had testified that you 12 oversaw Scott Bell's work. Is that right? 13 Yes. 14 Α. So in response to this interrogatory --15 Q. I'm answering corporately. 16 Α. -- your name could be included? 17 It could be, but I'm answering 18 Α. corporately. 19 What do you mean by that? 20 Klein & Heuchan. Remember, we talked 21
 - Klein & Heuchan or my answers individually?

 Q. Um-hum. So you -- Klein & Heuchan

 supervised and oversaw?

about -- we're talking about my answers as

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A. That's correct.

- Q. Did you ever review Scott Bell's work personally?
- A. I'm going to have to answer "no" because I'm not sure what you mean by "review his work."
- Q. Well, what did you -- in your capacity as the President and CEO of Klein & Heuchan, what were your interactions with Scott Klein (sic) regarding the work that he did for you?
- A. I wanted to know what he was doing and what progress he was making on getting listings, what -- who he was calling on to -- or what he was doing to find buyers. We talked about different mailings he was doing to get listings or to find buyers.
- Q. What would you do if he wasn't making satisfactory progress in finding buyers?
- A. Well, you know, that's -- that's kind of a question that has a time frame involved in it. When we hire a new associate, we figure it takes them at least about a year to get up to speed, even if they had some prior experience, as Scott had.

But after a few years if they don't make it, depending on market conditions, we'd probably sever our relationships.

And did you provide him with constructive 1 Q. feedback regarding the jobs he was working on? 2 Yes. Α. 3 What kind of feedback would you give him? 4 I would tell him to get his nose out of 5 the computer and get out on the street and start 6 talking to people. 7 Did he take your advice? 0. 8 Α. Not really. 9 Back to Interrogatory Number 5, other than 10 yourself, was there anybody else at Klein & Heuchan 11 who supervised, oversaw, reviewed or provided any 12 kind of feedback to Scott Bell regarding his work? 13 Steve Klein. 14 What kind of oversight did Steve Klein 15 16 provide? MR. GIBSON: Object to the form. 17 18 Α. I guess the same. MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 19 You mean the same -- the same type of 20 Q. oversight that you provide? 21 Sales management oversight. 22 Α. Can you turn to the next page to 23 Interrogatory Number 6? 24

Okay.

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And the question states, "Identify all 1 Q. persons affiliated with Klein & Heuchan who have 2 used CoStar's products or services." 3 Chris Howell, CCIM. Α. 4 Is that -- that's Chris Howell --5 Q. That's a designation. 6 Α. That's a designation? 7 Q. Right. Α. 8 Okay. And would Scott Bell be included in 9 Q. that response as well? 10 11 Α. Yes. 12 Q. Anyone else? No. Α. 13 Who is Scott Howell -- or Chris Howell? 14 Q. 15 Sorry. Chris Howell is an associate, an 16 independent contractor; previously worked at 17 Coldwell Banker; told me that he had used CoStar 18 at Coldwell Banker. 19 Did he use CoStar while he was at 20 Q. Klein & Heuchan? 21 No, he did not. 22 Α. Q. Why not? 23

Because he didn't have any need for it and

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he wasn't licensed.

- Q. How do you know he wasn't licensed?
- A. He didn't have an access and he didn't want one. He didn't use it when CCIM gave it to him either. He didn't see the value in it.
- Q. Did you ever ask him whether he would have been allowed to use the access provided to him at Coldwell?
 - A. No.

- Q. How did you know that Chris Howell did not have access to CoStar?
 - A. He told me.
- Q. Did he tell you he didn't have access or did he tell you that he wasn't allowed -- he wasn't licensed to use it?
- A. He told me that he used it when he was at Coldwell Banker. He didn't see the value in it. He gave them the opinion that they shouldn't buy the system. And he didn't use it at Klein & Heuchan because he used another service.
 - Q. Which service did he use?
 - A. Microbase. He liked Microbase.
- Q. Could he have used CoStar if he had wanted to --
 - A. I guess so.
 - Q. -- at Klein & Heuchan?

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- A. I have had no idea.
- Q. Did you ever ask him?
- A. I mean, could he have -- could he have bought a license for CoStar? I guess he could have.
- Q. Could he have used the access -- the user name and password that he obtained through Coldwell Banker at CoStar?
 - A. How would I know?
- Q. Let's move on to Interrogatory Number 8.

 Identify all persons affiliated with Klein & Heuchan who, during their affiliation with Klein & Heuchan, have observed or received information or products derived from CoStar's services, such as CoStar market reports, printouts of search results, property details, or other such information.
 - A. Scott Bell.
- Q. Did the marketing e-mails that you and other associates at Klein & Heuchan received contain any information like property details or more substantive information about properties?
- A. No. I think they -- they indicated that one could that find that -- or could get that from CoStar.
- Q. When did Chris Howell start working for Klein & Heuchan?

Oh, I believe it was 2004 or 2005. 1 Α. not sure exactly when. 2 Does he still work for Klein & Heuchan? Ο. 3 Yes. Α. 4 What's his position there? 5 Q. He is a licensed associate, sales 6 Α. associate, independent contractor. 7 And the service that he uses that he 8 prefers, does he need to use a user name and 9 password to access that? 10 I have no idea. 11 Did you ever ask him whether was required Q. 12 to use a user name and password? 13 No, I did not. Α. 14 Do you or anyone at Klein & Heuchan 15 subscribe to any paid service where a user name and 16 password is necessary? 17 Yes. Α. 18 What are those services? 19 IMAP. Α. 20 What else? 21 Q. Some of the associates purchase the 22 premium membership to LoopNet. 23 Does Klein & Heuchan pay the IMAP

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Q.

subscription fee?

A. I'm going to answer "no" but explain.

IMAP is a company that provides two services.

One of them is their previous, called IRIS service, which is a mapping and database service that comes from the Property Appraiser's Office, Property Assessor's Office -- Appraiser's Office, actually. That's provided by Klein & Heuchan for them.

The IMAP service, which is much more detailed, is they buy through their membership with the Florida Gulfcoast Commercial Association of Realtors. They can opt to buy that or not buy that.

- Q. And who is "they"?
- A. The associates.

- Q. And the associates pay that -- for that service out of their own pocket?
 - A. They pay out of their own pocket.
 - Q. Do you pay for that service?
 - A. Yes, I do.
- Q. And do you use a user name and password to gain access to it?
 - A. Yes, I do. Yeah.
- Q. What about the premium LoopNet service; who pays for that?
 - A. An associate if they feel they want it.

1 Q. Do you pay for that? Α. No. 2 Does Klein & Heuchan pay for any portion 3 Q. of the LoopNet subscription? 4 Α. No. 5 So regarding Number 8, the question 6 is, "Identify all persons affiliated with 7 Klein & Heuchan who have observed or received 8 information or products from CoStar's." 9 Based on the e-mails that we reviewed 10 11 earlier today, would you include your -- that were addressed to you and Steven Klein, would you include 12 your names in the response -- in that response? 13 I would include Steven's. I don't recall 14 ever getting it. 15 Why would you include Steven's and not 16 Q. 17 yours? Because you -- Scott said that he gave 18 Α. it to him, and I think there was an e-mail to him 19 saying that. There may have been one to me also, 20 but I don't ever remember seeing it. 21 Did you ask Steve Klein whether he ever 22 Q.

MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Asked and

remembered receiving . . .

No.

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answered.

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

Q. Moving on to Number 9, "Identify all persons affiliated with Klein & Heuchan who were in a position to physically observe Scott Bell's actions during his affiliation with Klein & Heuchan"
-- I'm sorry -- "Klein & Heuchan."

I'm going to just ask a narrower question --

- A. Thank you.
- Q. -- which is: Who were the associates who sat next to or near Scott Bell in your office?
- A. Judi Healey sat next to him. She was the only one sitting in that room that he was in.
- Q. Did you ever ask Judi Healey whether she talked to Scott Bell about his CoStar subscription?
 - A. Yes.
 - Q. What did she say?
- A. No.
- Q. Going to Interrogatory Number 11,
 "Identify all persons who you believe have evidence supporting the allegations made in your declaratory judgment complaint." And there are a number of names listed there.

Chris Howell's name is listed there.

What information would he have that supports the 1 allegations in your declaratory judgment complaint? 2 What are my allegations? Α. 3 Do you know what your allegations are? 4 Well, I'm -- you know, this thing has been 5 Α. going on for a long time, so I'm not sure exactly 6 what you're asking for here. 7 Well -- let's go back to -- I think it 8 was Exhibit Number 2. 9 As we had discussed before, Exhibit 10 Number 2 is the deposition notice to Klein & 11 12 Heuchan. Um-hum. Α. 13 Did you review this notice before --14 well, have you ever reviewed this notice? 15 Yeah. I think I have. Α. 16 Is that a yes or a no? 17 Q. The answer would be yes. Α. 18 You have reviewed it? 19 Q. Α. Yes. 20 When did you review this? Q. 21 I can't tell you. I don't remember. Α. 22

Q. So when you -- earlier when you were talking about how you prepared for this deposition, you went through a file. This notice was not

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contained in that file?

- A. It may have been, but I didn't read it.
- Q. Can you turn to Topic Number 27? It's on the last page.
 - A. Okay.
- Q. So are you aware that these are the topics about which Klein & Heuchan was noticed to testify today?
 - A. Okay. Yes.
- Q. And what is the basis of Klein & Heuchan's allegation in paragraph 11 of its declaratory judgment complaint that Scott Bell is a licensed agent and independent contractor of K&H?
 - A. Repeat that question, please.
- MS. KERKSIEK: Will the court reporter read the question back?

(Discussion off the record.)

MS. KERKSIEK: I'll read the topic back.
BY MS. KERKSIEK:

- Q. What is Klein -- what is the basis of -what is Klein & Heuchan's basis for its allegation
 in paragraph 11 of its declaratory judgment
 complaint that Scott Bell is a licensed agent
 and independent contractor of K&H?
 - A. What is the basis of that?

Q. Yes.

- A. All right. He had his license with us and we're -- he was part of our chain.
- Q. And what is the basis of Klein & Heuchan's position that he's an independent contractor of K&H?
- A. Because he signed an independent contractor agreement and -- which was part of our company policy, policy manual.
- Q. What is the basis -- turning to Topic Number 28, so you can read along as I read.

What is the basis for Klein & Heuchan's allegation in paragraph 12 of its declaratory judgment complaint that 'At all times material, Scott Bell was an authorized user of the CoStar database"?

- A. He told us he was and he had access to your database -- or your client's database.
- Q. And what about his having access to the database made Klein & Heuchan believe that he was an authorized user?
- A. If he wasn't, why wouldn't you cut him off? You're a highly technical company. 13 months, you knew that he was using it, in your allegation.
- Q. Did you ever ask Scott Bell whether he contacted Coldwell Banker regarding his access?

MR. GIBSON: Object to the form. 1 and answered. 2 Α. No. 3 Topic Number 29. What is the basis for 4 Klein & Heuchan's allegation in paragraph 14 of its 5 declaratory judgment complaint that K&H did not 6 obtain access to the CoStar database by obtaining 7 authorized user names and passwords and did not 8 access the CoStar database for its own commercial 9 purpose without a valid license or any other 10 11 authorization from CoStar? I'm going to have to ask you to repeat 12 Α. that question because you're saying Topic Number 14? 13 MR. GIBSON: 29. 14 It's topic -- oh, I -- it's Topic Number 15 Q. 29 referring to paragraph 14 --16 17 Α. Okay. -- of the complaint and -- which quotes 18 directly from the complaint -- your complaint or 19 Klein & Heuchan's complaint. 20 21 Α. Okay. MR. GIBSON: Do you mind if I show him the 22 23 complaint? I mean, it should be --MS. KERKSIEK: 24

MR. SAUERS: He should have, in

preparation for the deposition -- I mean, this is a 1 topic that's been noticed. 2 MR. GIBSON: So you don't -- you don't 3 want me to show him the complaint? I think it gives 4 context of the allegations, both before and after 5 it. It's up to you. 6 THE WITNESS: Yeah. I'm having a problem 7 understanding your question, but we can get to it. 8 MR. SAUERS: That's fine. 9 MS. KERKSIEK: That's fine. Yeah. That's 10 11 okay. THE WITNESS: Okay. Ask the question 12 again, please. 13 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 14 You were just reviewing the complaint 15 Q. filed this action. 16 Right. Yeah. 17 Α. Did you review that in preparation for 18 your deposition today? 19 You know what, I don't think I did. 20 MR. GIBSON: Just so we're clear, one of 21 the complaints that's part of this action. 22 MS. KERKSIEK: Well, K&H's declaratory 23 judgment complaint. That's the one I'm referring to 24

THE WITNESS: Okay. I did not.

MR. GIBSON: But there is two complaints 1 in this consolidated action, though. 2 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 3 Did you review the other complaint that's 4 filed --5 I did not. Α. 6 -- in preparation for your deposition 7 today? 8 I did not. 9 Α. So back to the pending question 10 from a few moments ago. What is the basis for 11 Klein & Heuchan's allegations in paragraph 14 as 12 quoted in Topic Number 29 of the deposition notice 13 to K&H? 14 The answer is, we didn't. We didn't have 15 access to it. Mr. Bell had access to it, but we 16 didn't. And we were told that he had access, legal 17 access to it. And it was prima facie evidence that 18 he did because you didn't shut him off -- or your 19 client didn't shut him off. 20 Topic Number 30, what is the basis for 21 Q.

- Q. Topic Number 30, what is the basis for Klein & Heuchan's allegation in paragraph -- oh, sorry. I'll let you find it.
 - A. Thank you.

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Q. Did you find it?

A. Yeah.

- Q. Okay. Topic Number 30. What is the basis for Klein & Heuchan's allegation in paragraph 18 of its declaratory judgment complaint that Plaintiff K&H is in doubt as to his rights and obligations?
- A. CoStar's allegation is that we were part of a phantom agreement. We were not. And I was unsure about that, and I wanted the Court to decide since you were threatening to sue me -- your client was threatening to sue me.
- Q. Topic Number 31. What is the basis for Klein & Heuchan's allegation in paragraph 19 of its declaratory judgment complaint that Plaintiff K&H is in further doubt as to the existence or nonexistence of any legal relationship between CoStar and K&H?

MR. GIBSON: I'm just going to object to the question, as it -- to as much as it calls for a legal conclusion as an element of the claim for a declaratory judgment. But he certainly can answer as to the factual basis.

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

- Q. You can answer.
- A. All right. I'm going to answer and tell you that I wanted -- you were -- I was threatened with a lawsuit by CoStar; threatened. And it was my

way of getting -- I knew we couldn't make you say 1 that I was not a licensed user. So I asked the 2 Court to decide. 3 I mean, in your allegations you talk about 4 agreements I had with CoStar. I had no agreements 5 with CoStar. Never did. 6 MS. KERKSIEK: Why don't we take a lunch 7 break? Is now a good time? I think it's around 8 9 noon. MR. GIBSON: Well, how much longer do 10 you have? Because if there isn't much longer, I'd 11 prefer that we take a break and finish up. And I 12 13 think Mr. Klein would --MR. SAUERS: Do you have questions? 14 MR. GIBSON: Of Mr. Klein? No. I have 15 16 one question. MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. Well, why don't we 17 take a five- to ten-minute break and then decide? 18 THE WITNESS: Sure. 19 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 11:55 a.m. 20 We're now off the record. 21 (There was a recess.) 22 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 12:14 p.m. 23 We're now back on the record. 24

BY MS. KERKSIEK:

Before the break we were talking about the 1 Q. deposition notice to Klein & Heuchan. I want to 2 back up and go back over how you prepared for this 3 deposition. When did -- when did you prepare for this 5 deposition? 6 Last night. 7 Α. MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 8 Did you prepare -- did you do any other 9 Q. preparation other than the preparation you did last 10 11 night? I read through Scott Bell's deposition. 12 Other than last night, no. 13 And what did you read? 14 Q. I read his deposition. Α. 15 What else? 16 Q. I read the Rickett's letter. 17 Α. Um-hum. Q. 18 I should have read it this morning instead 19 of last night because I had a hard time sleeping. 20 I was so angry. 21 So you read the Ricketts letter --22 Right. Α. 23 -- which is one of the exhibits here, 24

Exhibit Number 23. Right?

- A. Do you want me to check?
 - Q. If you -- yeah, if you would like to.
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Q. Okay. What else did you read?

MR. GIBSON: That wasn't drafted by an attorney or communicated by an attorney. Correct?

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MR. GIBSON: I don't want him to answer that if it includes communications that came from me.

- A. No. I didn't -- I didn't review any of those.
- Q. How long did you spend reading those -- the materials that you referred to?
 - A. Half hour, hour.
- Q. Did you read Exhibit Number 2, the deposition notice to Klein & Heuchan?
- A. I don't know. Let me take a look at it and see if I did.

MR. GIBSON: It's the one we've --

- A. No, I did not.
- Q. Have you ever read this?
- 23 A. Yes.
- Q. When?
- 25 A. You know, whenever it was drafted. I

- mean, I can't recall how long that was -- ago that 1 2 was. Did your attorney provide this to you? ο. 3 He provided -- let me see what we're Α. 4 looking at here. Are these the interrogatories 5 or --6 This is the deposition notice. Ιf 7 Q. No. you look, actually, at the second page, it says it's 8 dated July 22nd, 2009. 9 Yes. 10 Α. Does that jog your memory as to when you 11 might have read this before? 12 I guess July 23rd or July 22nd. I can't 13 -- you know, I can't recall. 14 Do you remember reading these? 15 Q. MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Asked and 16 answered several times. 17 18 Q. Go ahead. I said yes. 19 Α. And other than the hour or half hour 20 Q. that you spent last night, did you do any other 21 preparation for the deposition today? 22
- Q. Did you discuss this deposition with your attorney at all?

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No.

1 Α. Yes. Asked and MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 2 answered. 3 When did you discuss it with him? Q. 4 I can't recall. Α. 5 Did you discuss it with him yesterday? Q. 6 I did. I did. We had a brief 7 Α. conversation yesterday. 8 On the telephone or in person? 9 Q. On the phone. 10 Α. How long was the conversation? Q. 11 About three minutes. 12 Did you discuss the deposition with him 13 Q. this morning --14 No. 15 Α. -- before the deposition began? 16 Q. 17 Α. No. Did you discuss the deposition with him 18 Q. at any time other than yesterday during your 19 three-minute phone call? 20 I can't remember. 21 Last night on the phone -- well, never 22 23 mind. Strike that. Did Klein & Heuchan ever have a contract 24

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with CoStar?

- 1 Α. No. Did Klein & Heuchan ever have a 2 Q. subscription to any CoStar service? 3 Α. No. Did Klein & Heuchan ever pay for any 5 Q. CoStar service? 6 No. 7 Α. When Scott Bell started working for 8 Klein & Heuchan, did you have a conversation -- did 9 you ever have a conversation with him regarding his 10 position and his responsibilities and the 11 expectations that you had for him? 12 Yes. I guess so. Α. 13 Do you recall that conversation? Q. 14 Not really. 15 Α. Do you recall what was -- what you told 16 Q. him during that conversation? 17 Α. No. 18 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 19 I'll rephrase the question. 20 Q. Do you recall what you told Scott Bell 21
 - A. I really can't recall specifically what I told him.

at any point in time about what you expected from

him as a sales associate?

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Q. Do you recall generally?

- A. Generally, we expected him to work diligently, to interface with our people, to be out in the marketplace, to find listings and find people to buy properties. I mean, it wasn't like he was naive.
- Q. What kind of records does Klein & Heuchan keep regarding the revenues -- regarding the revenues it earns?
- A. Well, we have a partner called Uncle Sam, so we keep -- we have an outside CPA firm that -- that does our -- all our monthly bookkeeping and prepares all our returns, our corporate returns.
- Q. Do you -- you mentioned a bookkeeper earlier.
 - A. We have a bookkeeper in-house.
- Q. And does she maintain any financial or accounting records internally in your office?
- A. Which she passes on to our CPA. But, yes, she's in charge of what we have. She is the one who pays out the commissions and prepares the commission spreadsheet that you saw.
- Q. Okay. What are her other job responsibilities?
 - A. She pays sales tax for properties. In

- Florida, all leases are subject to sales tax. So
 she does all the sales tax. She does reports on,
 you know, what the salesman's revenue is and what
 our desk costs are, and she does any report I will
 ask her to do.
 - Q. What is the name of your CPA firm?
 - A. Crown & Company.
 - Q. And are they located here in Clearwater?
 - A. Yes, they are.
 - Q. Would you also provide them with records regarding Klein & Heuchan's expenses?
 - A. Yes.

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- Q. Backing up again to a number of the exhibits that we looked at earlier, Exhibit Numbers 4, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 18 --
 - A. You're going too fast. 4, 5, 6 --
- Q. 4, 5, 6. And then I believe it's all the way from 15 through 19.
 - A. Did you say 15?
 - Q. Correct.
 - A. 15. And I'm going by the yellow numbers.

 Correct?
 - Q. Yes.
- 24 A. So you want 15, 16 -- I don't think I
 25 have a 16. Yeah, I do. 16, 17, 18 -- did you say

- through 19? Did you say through 19?
- Q. Yes. Um-hum.

- A. Okay. Do you want them in any particular order?
- Q. And 21 as well. No. They don't need to be.
 - A. Okay. Good.
- Q. Earlier we went through these sort of one by one. And the follow-up question is: Have -- did you ever -- I'm sorry. Strike that.

You saw some or all of these for the first time at Scott Bell's deposition. Correct?

- A. That's correct.
- Q. Since that time -- before this deposition, did you ask anyone at K&H whether they had seen or used any of these reports?

MR. GIBSON: Object to form.

- A. I believe that when the lawsuit was started, I walked around to the associates and asked them if they ever got anything from -- from Scott Bell on -- from CoStar or if they've ever seen any CoStar reports and --
- Q. Do you remember who you asked specifically?
 - A. Yeah. I asked Linda Gardiner. I

asked Chris Howell. I asked Bud Lytle. I asked 1 Joe Santolucito and Sherri Strazz, Marty Slavney and 2 Larry Gilbert. 3 And what did they say? Q. Α. No. 5 That they had never asked --Q. 6 They'd never asked, never knew, never ever 7 Α. 8 had any . . . Never saw these reports? 9 Q. No. 10 Α. And that was when the lawsuit was filed. 11 Q. Now, what about these reports in particular, 12 Exhibits, as we had discussed --13 Α. Okay. 14 Q. -- Exhibits 4, 5, 6, 15 through 19, and 21 15 -- did you ask anyone at K&H whether they had ever 16 seen these or used these or asked Scott Bell to 17 provide them with them? 18 Α. No. 19 By the way, some of those reports, those 20 spreadsheets --21 Uh-huh. 22 Q. -- are available from any one of the 23 services we have, including Black's Guide. 24

Which ones?

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All of those Excel spreadsheets you have. 1 Α. Can you refer me to a specific exhibit? Q. 2 Sure. 19. 3 Α. And where would this -- where else would 4 this be available? 5 Black's Guide, IMAP, Microbase. Α. 6 And how do you know that? 7 Well, because we use IMAP. We get 8 Α. Black's Guide and --9 10 11

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- Q. Well, I guess, just so I can understand, you know, what is this? What is Exhibit Number 19 and how do you know that it would be available from IMAP? Is it based on the information that's contained here or on the format or on something else?
- A. 19 is a compilation of office buildings in the Tampa Bay market. It's a free publication that comes from Black's Guide because it's the very, very same information.
- Q. The same information but not necessarily the same format?
- A. No. I mean, it comes in a nice book with pictures. It's much better than that.
- Q. Okay. Is it -- is it the same exact information?

1	A. Oh, come on. I mean, I can't tell you if
2	it's exactly the same. The information about the
3	buildings and their occupancies are the same.
4	They're published quarterly.
5	Q. Well so on the first page it says
6	"Building Address," "Building Name," "Building
7	Park."
8	And then because this is an Excel
9	spreadsheet, you have to kind of turn several pages
10	in to get to the next column or columns?
11	And at the top, about maybe seven pages
12	in it says "Building Status, Building Class,
13	Submarket Cluster." Do you see that page?
14	A. Yes.
15	Q. "Building Status, Building Class,
16	Submarket Cluster, Submarket Name"
17	A. Um-hum.
18	Q are those things that can be found in
19	these other databases?
20	A. Yes.
21	How do you know that this is a CoStar
22	MR. GIBSON: Just wait for a question.
23	MS. KERKSIEK: Okay.
24	THE COURT REPORTER: 26.
25	THE WITNESS: Can I put these back in my

2	MS. KERKSIEK: Yes.
3	MR. GIBSON: This is Exhibit 26?
4	THE COURT REPORTER: Yes, it is.
5	(The document was marked as Klein Exhibit
6	Number 26 for identification.)
7	BY MS. KERKSIEK:
8	Q. Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 26
9	before?
10	A. Yes.
11	Q. When was that?
12	A. Let me see if we can find the date on here
13	and I might be able to be more specific.
14	I don't recall.
15	Q. Can you tell me what Exhibit Number 26 is?
16	A. It's Plaintiff's Response to Defendant,
17	CoStar Realty Information, Inc.'s First Request For
18	Production of Documents.
19	Q. What did you or Klein & Heuchan do to find
20	documents in response to CoStar's document requests?
21	A. Repeat the question, please.
22	Q. What type of search for documents did you
23	conduct in order to in order to prepare this
24	response or allow your attorney to prepare it?

A. Any documents I would have needed.

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stack now, Sanya, or --

- 1 don't know. Do you recall the steps that you've 2 ο. taken --3 I mean, I'm not reading this now. 4 I don't --5 No. I understand. I'm not talking in 6 Q. response to any specific request. 7 Α. Right. 8 I'm just talking in general. When the Q. 9 requests came in, what did -- what steps 10 did you or Klein & Heuchan take to look for 11 documents related to this lawsuit? 12 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Not related 13 to any specific request? That was your question? 14 MS. KERKSIEK: In response to all of 15 them. 16 MR. GIBSON: Okay. And don't answer the 17 question if it involves any communication with your 18 attorney. 19
 - I don't think I can answer the question. I'm just not sure I understand it.

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- Did you ask someone at Klein & Heuchan to search through your hard copy files that are kept in your office, for example?
 - If I had to research a hard copy, I got it

myself.

- Q. And did you look for hard copy documents yourself?
 - A. I can't remember.
- Q. Did you or anyone at Klein & Heuchan search through the -- actually, let me rephrase that.

Did you search through your personal -not personal e-mails but your Klein & Heuchan
e-mails for documents that were responsive to any
of these requests?

- A. I don't think so.
- Q. Did you ask anyone at Klein & Heuchan to search through their e-mail accounts?
 - A. I can't recall doing that.
 - Q. Is that a yes or a no?
- 17 A. That's a no.
 - Q. Did you or anyone at K&H contact your -either of your internet service providers in order
 to obtain e-mails or search for e-mails that were
 responsive to these requests?
 - A. No.
 - Q. And then regarding your e-mails, earlier

 we talked about this Road Runner and then the Web

 Service, I think it was called, and that -- the fact

- that Klein & Heuchan has two e-mail addresses.
 - One is kleinandheuchan.com. The other one is tampabay.rr.com.

How -- just so I understand, how do you decide which e-mail account to use? How do you decide which e-mail account to use?

- A. How do I, you said?
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- A. I made a decision to use MSK because there are less -- there are less mistakes in the spelling of kleinandheuchan.
 - Q. Did --
 - A. Yeah.
 - Q. Sorry. Were you -- are you done?
- A. That's good. That's fine.
 - Q. If you receive an e-mail that's addressed to your kleinandheuchan.com address, how do you -- how do you receive it?
 - A. It comes into my computer. They both come into my computer.
 - Q. Do they come into the -- like, do you have Outlook, for example?
 - A. We have Outlook.
- Q. Okay.
- 25 A. It comes in through Outlook and we send --

- we send -- now I send through MSK. 1 2 Q. You send through MSK? Α. Yeah. 3 Okay. And so --4 At one time I was sending through 5 kleinandheuchan. 6 Is there a function in your Outlook, then, 7 that allows you to choose --8 Yeah. Α. 9 -- which e-mail you send it from? 10 11 Α. Yeah. Does everybody at Klein & Heuchan have 12 Q. e-mail addresses at both of those addresses? 13 No. We give a Klein & Heuchan e-mail 14 address to all our associates. Many of the 15 associates use their own e-mails. They prefer them. 16 Their personal e-mail? 17 Yeah. They prefer them as I prefer using Α. 18 MSK. 19 Did you ask any of your associates to 20 Q. search through their personal e-mail accounts, their 21 22
 - non-kleinandheuchan e-mail accounts, for documents responsive to CoStar's requests?
- Α. No. 24

MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 25

- Do you assign tampabay e-mail addresses to 1 any of your associates? 2 I don't believe so. But I think my 3 employees may have a tampabay e-mail address. 4 The employees but not the sales 5 associates? 6 That's correct. 7 Do you know if Scott Bell has a tampabay 8 e-mail address? 9 I have no idea. 10 All right. So going to -- back to 11 Exhibit Number 26, Request Number 1 or Response 12 Number 1, "All employment records created or 13 maintained by Klein & Heuchan relating to 14 Scott Bell." 15 What did you do to search for Scott Bell's 16 employment records? 17 I went to his personnel file. 18 Did you personally or did you ask someone 19 at Klein & Heuchan to do it? 20 I went in to my bookkeeper who keeps them, 21 and she pulled it out of the rack while I was there. 22 And then -- and then did you take them and 23 ο. then provide them to your attorney?
 - I can't remember. Α. No.

Okay. And regarding Request Number 2, 1 Q. tax forms relating to Scott Bell, what did you do 2 to respond to that request? 3 MR. GIBSON: Just so that we're on 4 the same page, I'm going to assume that all the 5 questions regarding Exhibit 26 are being directed to 6 Mr. Klein individually -- not to Klein & Heuchan --7 as it's not a subject of the request that was made. 8 MS. KERKSIEK: What? 9 MR. GIBSON: It's not a topic on the 10 Notice of Deposition. The actual steps taken by 11 Klein & Heuchan in responding to CoStar's Request 12 For Production is not a topic upon which -- that 13 is listed on the deposition notice directed to 14 Klein & Heuchan. 15 So these questions you're asking -- are 16 you asking Mr. Klein individually what he did to 17 comply with the request? 18 MS. KERKSIEK: So I think there was a 19 pending question regarding Number 2, "All tax forms 20 created, issued or maintained by Klein & Heuchan 21 relating to Scott Bell." 22

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Q. What did you do to respond to that

MR. GIBSON: Yes.

1 request? Α. We got them out of our file. 2 Who is "we"? Q. 3 My bookkeeper and I. 4 Did she get them from the same place 5 Q. that she got the documents responsive to Number 1? 6 They're not in -- they're not in 7 No. his personnel file. They're in our corporate file. 8 I mean, we have a tax file and they would be in the 9 tax file. 10 Q. Are there any -- other than the corporate 11 file and the tax file, are there any other files 12 where you keep documents -- hard copy documents 13 related to Scott Bell? 14 Α. No. 15 MR. GIBSON: Object to the form. 16 Do you know of any other files that 17 Klein & Heuchan keeps relating to Scott Bell? 18 Α. No. 19 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 20 The answer should be there are none. 21 Α. MS. KERKSIEK: Okay. I'm missing a page. 22 23 BY MS. KERKSIEK: Getting to Number 3 --Q. 24

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Q. -- "Documents sufficient to identify 1 each and every client or potential client that 2 Scott Bell contacted during his affiliation with 3 Klein & Heuchan." I can't --5 MR. GIBSON: We -- we objected to that 6 interrogatory, and it was the subject of a 3.01(g) 7 conference with counsel. No documents were produced 8 pursuant to that request. 9 MR. SAUERS: We can ask if he looked. 10 MS. KERKSIEK: Yeah. I think that was 11 the question that's pending. 12 MR. GIBSON: That wasn't asked. 13 MS. KERKSIEK: Did you --14 MR. SAUERS: Well, nothing has been asked 15 yet. We just turned to it and you noted there was 16 an objection. 17 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 18 Did you look for documents responsive to 19 this request? 20 A. I wouldn't have any. 21 Did you look for any documents? 22 Q. Α. 23 No. MS. KERKSIEK: Can we go off the record 24 for two minutes? 25

THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 12:42. 1 We're now off the record. 2 (There was a recess.) 3 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 12:48 p.m. We're now back on the record. 5 BY MS. KERKSIEK: Regarding -- back to page 2 of Exhibit --7 26. Α. 8 -- 26. Request Number 3, "Documents 9 sufficient to identify each and every client or 10 potential client that Scott Bell contacted during 11 his affiliation with Klein & Heuchan." 12 Earlier you testified that there --13 that you keep a list of all the properties on which 14 Scott Bell was the listing agent. Is that right? 15 Yes. 16 Α. So documents responsive to this request 17 would include that list and also the files that you 18 referred to earlier? 19 That's correct. 20 Did your ever provide those files or that 21 Q. list to your attorney? 22 You know, I don't think so. You're asking 23 me -- this question is everything and every client 24

he. . . I wouldn't have any way of knowing that.

If it was in the file, then I would have given it to him.

- Q. But the -- but, you know, properties for which he's the listing agent are -- contain information regarding the clients or potential clients that Scott Bell contacted while he was at Klein & Heuchan. Correct?
 - A. That's correct.

Q. And, likewise, for Request Number 4, "Documents sufficient to identify each and every client or potential client that Klein & Heuchan had contact with during the period in which Scott Bell was affiliated with Klein & Heuchan."

That information regarding Klein &

Heuchan's contacts with clients would be contained

in the property files and in the lists of properties

on which the associates were listing agents. Right?

MR. GIBSON: Object to form.

- A. It might be.
- Q. But that information, just as with -- I mean, you responded that that information was in -- with respect to Scott Bell and clients that he contacted, it could be in those files.

Likewise, it would be for the other associates at Klein & Heuchan. Right?

They might be if they retain (sic) 1 Α. to that file. But if he or any other associate 2 received a call --3 Q. Um-hum. -- a floor call from one of our signs, 5 that might not be in there. 6 Would that be recorded anywhere? 7 Not -- the associate would be able --8 might record it on his -- you know, in his book of 9 information, but I'm not a document person. I mean, 10 I don't have to, you know, spread documents for 11 everybody I talk to. This is not the CIA. 12 So associates sometimes keep their own 13 Q. logs of contacts? 14 They always keep their own logs. 15 They always do. Do you know if Scott Bell 16 Q. 17 kept such a log? I don't know. 18 Do you know which associates at K&H keep 19 Q. such logs? 20 No. 21 A. But if they always do, you can generally 22 assume that they have such logs -- that most of them 23 have such logs and someone who doesn't is an 24

anomaly?

- No. That's not correct. 1 Α. What -- then what is correct? 2 Q. That some are very fastidious at what they Α. 3 do and some are not. 4 Did you ever ask any of the associates if 5 they kept -- if they kept such logs? 6 Α. No. 7 MR. GIBSON: Object to the form. 8 Regarding Request Number 6, "Copies of 9 Q. all documents, data, or other tangible or intangible 10 computer records that were printed, copied from, or 11 otherwise derived from CoStar." 12 Did you search for any such documents? 13 We don't have any. 14 Α. Did you search for any? 15 Q. I searched my computer for them, but I. 16 Α. 17 don't have any. Did you ask anyone else at Klein & Heuchan 18 to search for such documents? 19 Α. 20 No. And same question for Number 7, 21 Q. 22
 - "All documents comprising, reflecting or relating to communications between Klein & Heuchan and Scott Bell relating to this lawsuit or the lawsuit filed by CoStar against Klein & Heuchan in

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Maryland, including all internal Klein & Heuchan 1 communications concerning either lawsuit." 2 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 3 Did you search for documents responsive to Q. 4 Request Number 7? 5 I didn't have any. 6 Α. No. And when you said, in response to Question 7 6, that you had searched your own computer for 8 documents that were printed, copied, or derived from 9 CoStar, what steps did you take in that search? 10 Get a mouse and you click and you get 11 "find." 12 What did you -- what did you 13 Q. And you find CoStar. 14 Α. Q. Find CoStar? 15 Right. 16 Α. And you did a "find CoStar" using the 17 Q. interface? 18 19 Α. Right. And did you get any hits? 20 Q. None. 21 Α. And what did -- what directories did your 22 "find search" search? 23 What directories? 24 Α.

MR. GIBSON: Object to form.

- A. My Outlook directory.
- Q. Your find --

- A. My e-mails. My e-mails.
- Q. Your e-mails. Did you -- well, okay.

 You searched your e-mails for CoStar. You did a

 "control find" in Outlook to search your e-mails for

 CoStar-related documents --
 - A. That's right.
 - Q. -- and found nothing?
- A. Right.
- Q. Did you do a similar search of the -- of your hard drive for other user created documents such as Word?
 - A. That is my hard drive.
- Q. Did you search for MicroSoft -- actually -- well, what type of word processing software do you use?
 - A. Word.
- Q. Did you search your Word documents for CoStar-related materials?
 - A. I may have. Yeah.
- Q. You may have or you did?
- 23 A. I did.
 - Q. Was that the same search that you did from within Outlook?

1	A. Yes. We use MicroSoft Office.
2	Q. Okay.
3	A. So Word, and they're all together.
4	Q. They're all together. All right.
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6	Did you ask any other Klein & Heuchan
7	employees or associates to conduct a similar search?
8	A. No.
9	Q. Are you aware that any of them conducted
10	such a search?
11	A. No.
12	Q. And regarding your e-mails, how how old
13	how far back do your saved e-mails go in time?
14	A. I have no idea.
15	Q. Do they go back five years?
16	A. I don't know.
17	Q. Do they go back more than one year?
18	MR. GIBSON: Object to the form.
19	A. Let me see if I can answer the question.
20	I don't know.
21	Q. I understand. I'm just trying to get a
22	sense of if they go back a year. Do they go back
23	20 years? To get an estimate.
24	A. I don't know.

MR. GIBSON: And he's now answered the

question five times. 1 How many times do I have to answer it? 2 I asked a different question every time. 3 Thank you for your answer. 4 Who would know at Klein & Heuchan? 5 Α. No one. 6 No one would know how far back the e-mails 7 qo in time? 8 (Witness shakes head.) 9 No one would be able to find that out? 10 Q. MR. GIBSON: On his personal computer? 11 Is that what you're asking? 12 MS. KERKSIEK: On -- well, I'll ask --13 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 14 Q. On your personal computer, would anyone 15 know? 16 17 Α. No. On the Klein & Heuchan server, would 18 anyone know? 19 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. 20 of predicate. Assumes facts that have not been 21 testified to. 22 Q. You can answer the question. 23

I don't know.

And did anyone ever contact the service --

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your internet service provider to find out how far 1 2 back in time the e-mails go? MR. GIBSON: Where? 3 MR. SAUERS: Is that an objection? MR. GIBSON: It is an objection. 5 It's a vague question. 6 7 MR. SAUERS: Okay. You can answer it. THE WITNESS: No. 8 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 9 Turning to Page Number 4, Request Number 10 Q. 16, "All electronic records of the IP addresses or 11 web site addresses visited by persons affiliated 12 13 with Klein & Heuchan using computers or internet connectivity provided by Klein & Heuchan during 14 Scott Bell's affiliation with Klein & Heuchan." 15 What did you do to find -- or did you search 16 17 for such documents responsive to Number 16? 18 MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Α. I wouldn't know where to search for them. 19 Is that a no? 20 Q. That's a no. 21 Α. Did you ask -- did you or anyone at 22 Klein & Heuchan ask Klein & Heuchan's internet 23 service provider to -- whether they could --24 whether they would be able to obtain such IP address 25

records. 1 2 Α. No. Regarding Topic Number 17, "Copies 3 of any document retention policies in place." 4 Do you -- I know we had talked about this 5 briefly before, but does Klein & Heuchan have a 6 written document retention policy? 7 No. 8 Regarding Number 18, "All documents 9 relating to the destruction of documents by 10 Klein & Heuchan." 11 Do you -- are you aware of any such 12 documents? 13 14 Α. No. Did anyone at Klein & Heuchan contact the 15 internet service provider to determine whether there 16 is an automatic archiving or deletion process that 17 18 occurs --19 Α. No. -- with Klein & Heuchan's e-mails? 20 21 Α. No. And the last question about Number 26. 22 Did -- has Steve -- Steven Klein ever searched his 23

e-mail or hard drive for documents responsive to

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these requests?

MR. GIBSON: Object to form. Calls for 1 speculation. 2 I have no idea. No. I don't know. 3 Did you ever ask him to search for anything? 5 Α. No. 6 Did you ever ask him if he did search for 7 anything? 8 9 Α. No. (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 10 Number 27 for identification.) 11 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 12 Have you ever seen Exhibit Number 27 13 before? 14 A. I think I have, yes. 15 Do you remember when? Q. 16 No. 17 Α. Turning to page 7 of the Document Requests 18 or -- of Exhibit 27? 19 Regarding Request Number 26, "Documents 20 sufficient to show the revenues earned by Klein & 21 Heuchan during the time of Bell's affiliation with 22 Klein & Heuchan, " did you search for documents 23 responsive to that request? 24

Yes.

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And what did you do to conduct that 1 Ο. search? 2 I went with my bookkeeper and I got the --Α. 3 excuse me -- the revenue that he earned and what his 4 -- what the Klein & Heuchan share was and his, the 5 same document we talked about before, the same 6 thing. 7 The commissions document? 8 Q. Right. That's the only revenue he had. 9 And you're referring to revenue relating 10 to Scott Bell only. Correct? 11 That's correct. Α. 12 Did you search for documents relating to 13 the revenues of Klein & Heuchan? 14 I don't think so. Why would I? Α. 15 Did you -- regarding Request Number 27, 16 did you search for documents relating to 17 Klein & Heuchan's expenses? 18 Not specifically. Α. 19 But those records, I think, as you 20 Q. testified earlier, would be in the possession of 21 your outside CPA firm? 22 That's correct. Α. 23 (The document was marked as Klein Exhibit 24

Number 28 for identification.)

BY MS. KERKSIEK: 1 Do you recognize this document? 2 Α. Yes. 3 What is it? 4 It's a 2007 and 2008 compendium of the Α. 5 associates that -- the independent contractors that 6 work in our company. 7 Who prepared this document? 8 I have no idea. I mean, it probably came Α. 9 from -- my bookkeeper pulled it off of -- one of my 10 assistants. 11 Do you know why this document was created? Q. 12 No. I can't recall. 13 Was it created for this litigation? 14 I believe so, yes. 15 And is this an accurate list of the Q. 16 17

associates that were employed by Klein & Heuchan in 2007 and 2008?

MR. GIBSON: Object to form.

Yes. Α.

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- So earlier you testified that you never Q. received any CoStar information from Scott Bell. Correct?
 - A. Correct.
 - Later we looked at a number of e-mails

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     account, which were Exhibits 8 -- no, I'm sorry --
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     this one I didn't mark -- 9 -- 8, 9 and 10, I
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     believe.
               THE WITNESS: I mixed these up.
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               MR. GIBSON: Well, 8 is not correct.
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               THE WITNESS: Huh?
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               MS. KERKSIEK: 8 is not correct? Which --
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     oh. Yeah -- no. You're right. This is a different
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     -- okay.
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     BY MS. KERKSIEK:
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              8 -- oh, I'm sorry. 9 -- Exhibits 9
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               MR. GIBSON: And what's the question?
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               THE WITNESS: Well, let me find it.
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               MS. KERKSIEK: Just that we had looked at
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     these earlier.
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               MR. GIBSON: Okay.
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                THE WITNESS: Okay. I got 9. I got 12.
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     Bear with me. I got these mixed up, so. . .
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     We're looking for 9 and 10?
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               MS. KERKSIEK: Just 9 and 10. Um-hum.
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                THE WITNESS: All right. Well, I've
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     got 9, but I can't find 10.
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               MR. GIBSON: Here it is. Here it is.
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THE WITNESS: Oh. Why would I see it? 1 It's right in front of me. 2 MR. SAUERS: Right in plain sight. 3 MR. GIBSON: 9 and 10. 4 THE WITNESS: Yeah. Go ahead. 5 BY MS. KERKSIEK: 6 Okay. So earlier you testified that 7 you never received any CoStar information from 8 Scott Bell. 9 That's correct. 10 But you did -- you also testified that 11 you had no reason to believe that you didn't receive 12 these e-mails. Right? 13 That's correct. 14 Α. So, to clarify, your testimony is that you 15 don't recall receiving any CoStar material from 16 Scott Bell. 17 Exhibit Number 9 was a copy of an offer to 18 all associates. I don't consider that proprietary 19 information. 20 I do not -- oh, wait a minute. 21 Exhibit Number 10. I don't recall receiving it. 22 Okay. When you did your e-mail search of Q. 23 your Outlook, did you search for e-mails to or from 24 Scott Bell? 25

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- Q. And what did you find?
- A. Nothing. I mean, I don't -- you know,

 I don't recall finding any.
 - Q. Any what? Do you recall any -- do you recall finding --
 - A. Any e-mails from him.
 - Q. Any e-mails from him?
 - A. I don't recall finding any.
 - Q. And you -- neither you nor anyone at

 K&H ever contacted your internet service providers

 regarding your correspondence with Scott Bell -
 regarding your e-mail correspondence with

 Scott Bell?
 - A. That's correct.
 - Q. So there could have been e-mails from Scott Bell with CoStar information to you and others at K&H; you just don't know whether there are or not?
 - MR. GIBSON: Object to form.
 - A. That's correct.
 - Q. Are you aware that CoStar is a subscription-based service?
- 24 A. Yes.
- Q. Are you aware that CoStar is a service

1	that requires a user name and password?
2	A. Yes.
3	MS. KERKSIEK: No more questions.
4	MR. GIBSON: We'll read.
5	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is 1:10 p.m.
6	We're now off the record.
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