

EXHIBIT 9

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

APPLE INC. and NeXT SOFTWARE)	
INC. (f/k/a NeXT COMPUTER, INC.),)	
)	
<i>Plaintiffs,</i>)	No. 1:11-cv-08540
)	
v.)	
)	Judge Richard A. Posner.
MOTOROLA, INC. and MOTOROLA)	
MOBILITY, INC.,)	
)	
<i>Defendants.</i>)	

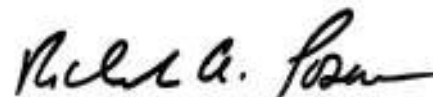
ORDER OF APRIL 16, 2012

In response to the motions by both Apple and Motorola for leave to file additional supplemental expert reports, I order:

1. Motorola's motion for leave to supplement its expert reports regarding patents '002, '263, and '647 is denied. Apple's motion for leave to supplement its expert report regarding patent '898 is also denied. The parties have not shown that such supplementation is necessary (or that it could be done in such a way as to avoid spawning further supplementation requests—a supplementation death spiral), and excessive supplementation at this late date in the litigation will disrupt the court-appointed experts' preparation of their expert reports on these patents.
2. Apple's unopposed motion for leave to supplement its expert report on '559 is granted. Both Apple and Motorola may no later than April 20 submit expert supplementation regarding the "single codeword" infringement argument relating to claim 5 of that patent.
3. Apple's motion for leave to supplement its expert report on damages is granted, limited to consideration of pertinent information disclosed between the March 20 filing date for its damages report and the April 15 date for close of discovery. The supplementary report must be filed by April 20.

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United States Circuit Judge

April 16, 2012