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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL AND U.S. MAIL

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Re:

ConnectU, et al. v. Facebook, Inc., et al. Case No. 07-cv-10593 DPW

Dear Rick:

I write in response to your letter dated October 10, 2007, regarding Judge Collings' Order related to the location of relevant code. On September 24, 2007, the Facebook Defendants filed a response they believe fully responded to the Court's Order.

The answers to the two questions you pose can be found in that September 24th Response. Specifically, the Facebook Defendants have performed a search and have not identified any Harvard Connection, facemash or coursematch code in the code the Facebook Defendants produced. That does not mean it is not there. It simply means that we have not found such code in our searches. In addition, the Facebook Defendants produced facebook.com code in the locations identified in the September 24th Response (as well as in numerous other communications). As mentioned in the Response, it would take numerous hours to attempt to identify various versions of the code, with no certainty that such a determination can be made at all.

ConnectU also is now enabled to search for any code it wants. As you know, Parmet and Associates recently imaged the identical devices from which the Facebook Defendants produced code to ConnectU. As a result, Plaintiffs now have the ability to search for code themselves. Indeed, that is precisely why Parmet and Associates was engaged.

The Facebook Defendants will not produce the "code comparison" you requested, as it constitutes work product. Moreover, Plaintiffs are now in possession of all code that the Facebook Defendants have and can perform their own comparisons.

Sincerely,

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