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TYPICAL COSTS OF LITIGATION

Survey participants were asked to provide cost estimates, *but only for the types of litigation they had personal knowledge of, either as a service provider (attorney in private practice) or as a purchaser (corporate counsel), and were engaged in recently.* "Total cost" was requested, including outside legal and paralegal services, local counsel, associates, paralegals, travel and living expenses, fees and costs for court reporters, photocopies, courier services, exhibit preparation, analytical testing, expert witnesses, translators, surveys, jury advisors, and similar expenses.

The following table reports median litigation costs for Patent Infringement, Trademark Infringement, Trademark Opposition/Cancellation, Copyright Infringement, Trade Secret Misappropriation, Two-Party Interference, and Inter Partes Reexamination.

| MEDIAN LITIGATION COSTS | \$000s | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 2003 | 2005 | 2007 | 2009 |
| PATENT INFRINGEMENT SUIT | | | | |
| LESS THAN \$1 MILLION AT RISK | | | | |
| End of discovery | \$290 | \$350 | \$350 | \$350 |
| Inclusive, all costs | 500 | 650 | 600 | 650 |
| \$1-\$25 MILLION AT RISK | | | | |
| End of discovery | \$1,001 | \$1,250 | \$1,250 | \$1,500 |
| Inclusive, all costs | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| MORE THAN \$25 MILLION AT RISK | | | | |
| End of discovery | \$2,508 | \$3,000 | \$3,000 | \$3,000 |
| Inclusive, all costs | 3,995 | 4,500 | 5,000 | 5,500 |