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## Re: <u>I/P Engine, Inc. v. AOL, Inc. et al.</u>

Dear Charles:

I write in response to your letter of May 22, 2012 regarding Plaintiff's Notice of Deposition to Derek Cook. You state that the parties previously discussed "fourteen aggregate 30(b)(1) depositions of Defendants." As noted in my letter of May 16, the parties had agreed to "the right to depose each fact witness affiliated with a defendant and who has been disclosed pursuant to Rule 26(a)." It was those specific, previously disclosed, fourteen witnesses that Defendants agreed to have deposed in their individual capacity.

While we are willing to consider individual depositions of different employees of the Defendants, including your requested deposition of Mr. Cook, we need to discuss Plaintiff's intentions with respect to future depositions. For example, does Plaintiff no longer intend to take fact depositions of some or all of the witnesses listed in Google's initial disclosures (or that of other defendants)? Is Plaintiff at this time aware of other employees of Defendants that Plaintiff intends to notice for deposition? As I'm sure you can understand, we want to be sure that if we agree to the deposition of Mr. Cook we are not opening a Pandora's Box regarding depositions of the defendants beyond what was agreed.

We are not available to meet and confer on May 24 at 4 PM ET, but would be available at 4 PM ET on Friday, May 25. Please let us know if this date and time would work for you.

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