THE HONORABLE RICHARD A. JONES 2 3 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 8 AT SEATTLE 9 KEVIN MCCLINTIC, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, 10 No. 11-cv-00859-RAJ Plaintiff, 11 **DECLARATION OF THOMAS LEONARD** ٧. 12 LITHIA MOTORS, INC., 13 Defendant. 14 15 I, Thomas Leonard, hereby declare as follows: I am over the age of 18 years and am otherwise competent to testify in this 16 1. proceeding. I make this declaration based upon my personal knowledge and belief of the facts 17 18 asserted herein. I am the Chief Information Officer at DME Automotive, Inc. ("DME"). I have 19 2. been employed by DME for over six years. My duties and responsibilities include the 20 development and management of client database systems and applications. 21 I am familiar with the text messaging services that DME provided for Lithia. I 22 3. assisted in assembling a database containing the last-known names, addresses and cell phone 23 numbers of persons to whom notices of the class settlement in McClintic v. Lithia were sent. 24 This data was provided to Garden City Group, the settlement administrator. 25 26 27 LANE POWELL PC DECLARATION OF THOMAS LEONARD -1 1420 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 4100 SEATTLE, WASHINGTON 98101-2338 206.223,7000 FAX: 206.223,7107 No. 11-cv-00859-RAJ 075801.0145/5493433.1

4. Text delivery disposition was not maintained by DME. As such, and subsequent to the filing of this lawsuit, DME requested and ultimately received text disposition information from 3Cinteracitve ("3Ci"). 3Ci is a former text delivery vendor of DME, and it took an extended period of time to receive text disposition information from 3Ci. Following that, DME conducted an extensive reconciliation and analysis of 3Ci's data. DME was ultimately able to conclude that text messages sent on behalf of Lithia were successfully transmitted to 59,178 unique cellular telephone numbers. We sent the database of last known contact information associated with those 59,178 cellular telephone numbers to counsel for delivery to Garden City Group, the settlement administrator.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States and the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this 28th day of September 2012, at Jacksonville, Florida.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington, that on September 28, 2012, the document attached hereto was presented to the Clerk of the Court for filing and uploading to the CM/ECF system. In accordance with their ECF registration agreement and the Court's rules, the Clerk of the Court will send e-mail notification of such filing to all CM/ECF participants and any non-CM/ECF participants will be served in accordance with the Federal rules of Civil Procedure.

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