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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
8 AT SEATTLE  
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10 DAVID PALLIES,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 THE BOEING COMPANY, a Delaware  
14 corporation

15 Defendant.  
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Case No. C16-1437RSL

ORDER DENYING MOTION  
FOR RECONSIDERATION

17 This matter comes before the Court on plaintiff's motion for reconsideration. Dkt. # 52.  
18 The motion underlying the Court's order was plaintiff's motion to compel, Dkt. # 20, which  
19 primarily sought discovery of certain privileged conversations, but also raised a dispute with  
20 defendant over the availability of depositions, Dkt. # 20 at 10; Dkt. # 34 at 6. On September 6,  
21 2017, the Court denied plaintiff's motion, concluding the attorney-client privilege covered the  
22 conversations at issue. Dkt. # 49. Plaintiff does not move for reconsideration of that ruling, but  
23 instead reasserts his argument regarding the disputed depositions noted above.<sup>1</sup>

24 Motions for reconsideration are disfavored and will be granted only upon a "showing of  
25 manifest error in the prior ruling" or "new facts or legal authority which could not have been  
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28 <sup>1</sup> Plaintiff's motion for reconsideration raises a second issue from his original motion, but a recent filing  
by plaintiff indicates that issue has since been resolved. See Dkt. # 54.

1 brought to [the Court's] attention earlier with reasonable diligence." LCR 7(h)(1). Plaintiff has  
2 failed to meet that standard, but because he preserved the aforementioned argument before the  
3 discovery cutoff, the Court will allow him to reassert it in a subsequent motion.

4 The Court will DENY plaintiff's motion for reconsideration, but grant plaintiff leave to  
5 file one additional motion limited to the deposition dispute referenced in his motion for  
6 reconsideration. Plaintiff is directed to file that motion on or before Thursday, October 5, 2017.

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8 DATED this 2nd day of October, 2017.

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11 Robert S. Lasnik  
12 United States District Judge  
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