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     ORACLE AMERICA, INC., )
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     GOOGLE, INC.,
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          Videotaped Deposition of TIM LINDHOLM, taken
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          at 333 Twin Dolphin Drive, Redwood Shores,
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          California, commencing at 9:56 a.m., Wednesday,
          September 7, 2011, before Ashley Soevyn,
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- 1 has a personal counsel as well.
- 2 THE WITNESS: Should I repeat that?
- 3 MR. NORTON: I would like the witness to
- 4 answer the questions.
- 5 THE WITNESS: Okay, yes, Ms. Anderson is
- 6 my -- is my -- is counsel for Google, and Michael is
- 7 my personal lawyer.
- 8 MR. NORTON: Thank you.
- Q. And is Google paying for your personal 10 lawyer?
- 11 MS. ANDERSON: Objection to the extent
- 12 responding to this question would require you to
- 13 reveal information you only know through
- 14 communications with counsel, I instruct you not to
- 15 answer on the grounds of privilege. Otherwise, you
- 16 may answer.
- 17 THE WITNESS: I only know anything about
- 18 that through communication with my attorneys.
- MR. NORTON: I don't think that's a proper 19
- 20 instruction objection, and I'm not going to take up
- 21 limited time with that today.
- 22 Q. Mr. Lindholm, you began working at Sun
- 23 Microsystems in March 2004; is that right?
- 24 A. March 200- at Sun Microsystems? No, I
- 25 think it was 1994.

- 1 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. 2
 - THE WITNESS: It's a fairly long list. But
- 3 to start with, I initially worked on -- in the
- 4 original Java team, which was involving the original
- 5 creation of the Java platform. I continued working
- 6 on that for a number of years, and then at some
- 7 point, switched over as Java -- as the Java plat-
- 8 -- the original technology was broken up into various
- 9 subplatforms that are today known as the editions,
- 10 typically. I began to work more on the edition
- 11 being used for mobile and embedded software.
- 12 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. And is there a name for the edition for 13
- 14 mobile embedded software?
- A. Yes, typically, Sun would have -- Sun and
- 16 Oracle and the public would know this as Java Micro
- 17 Edition.
- 18 O. It was called Java ME, or Java 2 ME?
- 19 A. Yeah, it's gone through various -- it went
- 20 through various abbreviations over time and the "2"
- 21 was eventually removed. So I think today, as far as
- 22 I know, it's Java -- or JME.
- 23 Q. One of the aspects of Java that you worked
- 24 on was the Java Virtual Machine; is that correct?
- 25 A. That's correct.

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- Q. I beg your pardon, 1994. Thank you. 1
- A. And March sounds approximately correct. It
- 3 was a long time ago, but I'm not sure that I'm
- 4 accurate about that.
- Q. But the year was 1994; is that right?
- A. I think that's correct. 6
- Q. And you continued to work at Sun until what 7
- 8 year?
- 9 A. I believe I went from Sun to Google in
- 10 2005.
- Q. Around July of 2005; is that correct? 11
- A. That's my recollection yes. 12
- 13 Q. And during the time that you were at Sun,
- 14 did you work on Java?
- MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. 15
- 16 MR. LISI: Join.
- 17 THE WITNESS: During the time I was --
- 18 well, so Java consisted of many things. There were
- 19 parts of Java -- parts of the Java technologies that
- 20 I did work on during that time. I did not work on
- 21 all aspects of Java, just selected ones.
- 22 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. Can you briefly summarize for me the
- 24 aspects of Java on which you worked during ten years
- 25 you were employed at Sun Microsystems?
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- Q. What is the Java Virtual Machine?
- 2 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- THE WITNESS: Well, so, first off, it's a
- 4 virtual machine, you wouldn't be surprised by. It's
- 5 the virtual machine that was used by Sun to run the
- 6 Java programming language on. I'm not sure how
- 7 deeply you would like me to go into this.
- 8 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. Well, can you describe for me, in brief
- 10 form, in two sentences, what, in essence, does the
- 11 Java Virtual Machine do?
- 12 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 13 THE WITNESS: Well, I would rather say I
- 14 would rather start with saying what a virtual
- 15 machine does.
- 16 BY MR. NORTON:
- 17 Q. That's fine. Why don't you do that
- 18 first?
- 19 A. Okay. A virtual machine is is a general
- 20 concept in computer science in many virtual machines
- 21 that existed over time. It's typically I don't
- 22 know if there is a crisp, formal definition that
- 23 people in the field would uniformly agree is the 24 valid one, but in a general sense, a virtual machine
- 25 is typically described as an abstract computing

- 1 you tell me what you meant when wrote that?
- A. No, I'm not sure what I meant by that.
- 3 Q. And you went on to say, "They are only
- 4 somewhat aware of new licensing, and JCP
- 5 implications are still somewhat worried about
- 6 tainting and such stuff." Can you tell me what you
- 7 meant when you wrote, "They are still somewhat
- 8 worried about tainting and such stuff"?
- 9 A. I would have to speculate. I don't recall
- 10 writing that.
- 11 Q. Now, you concluded this e-mail by writing
- 12 to yourself, "I'm going to get in all possible loops
- 13 around this project."
- 14 A. Yes, I see that there.
- 15 Q. Now, subsequent to July 15th, 2005 --
- 16 THE REPORTER: Fred, can we take a quick
- 17 break, my battery is frozen.
- 18 MR. NORTON: Sure.
- 19 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is now
- 20 a.m., and we are going off the record.
- 21 (Recess taken.)
- 22 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is now
- 23 a.m. We are back on the record. This marks the end
- 24 of Disk 1 to the deposition of Tim Lindholm. The
- 25 time is now 10:52 a.m., and we are going back off
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- 1 some.
- 2 BY MR. NORTON:
- 3 Q. And you attended Google Product Strategy
- 4 meetings concerning Android, correct?
- 5 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 6 MR. LISI: Join.
- A. I attended meetings. Google Product
- 8 Strategy meeting, I'm not -- I don't re- -- I don't
- 9 remember what exactly that purpose is. Google's
- 10 meetings -- meeting names change over time pretty
- 11 frequently, and I don't remember exactly what that
- 12 meeting was about.
- 13 BY MR. NORTON:
- 14 Q. Well, you attended at least one meeting
- 15 with Sergei Brenn (phonetic), Larry Page, and Mr.
- 16 Rubin, about Android, correct?
- 17 MR. LISI: Object to the form.
- 18 THE WITNESS: I -- well, I believe I
- 19 attended a meeting -- I believe I attended a meeting
- 20 in roughly this timeframe, 2000 -- late 2005, that
- 21 Larry and Sergei were present at, and if I remember
- 22 correctly, Android was discussed.
- 23 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. And you made suggestions to Mr. Rubin of
- 25 some employees that you thought would be good

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- 1 the record.
- 2 (Recess taken.)
- 3 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: This marks the beginning
- 4 of Disk 2 to the deposition of Tim Lindholm. The
- 5 time is 11:12 a.m. We are on the record.
- 6 BY MR. NORTON:
- 7 Q. So after July 15, 2005, where you had
- 8 written in Exhibit 526, you were going to get in all
- 9 possible loops on this project. You said that in
- 10 that exhibit?
- 11 A. I'm looking at that now, yes.
- 12 Q. And then that's what you wrote at the end
- 13 of the e mail to yourself, Exhibit 526?
- 14 A. Well, this is this is an e mail that I
- 15 don't recall writing, but it's in this e mail which
- 16 I don't dispute.
- 17 Q. All right. Subsequent to July 15, 2005,
- 18 you engaged in brainstorming with Mr. Rubin about
- 19 Android, correct?
- 20 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 21 MR. LISI: Join.
- 22 THE WITNESS: After after July 15, I
- 23 think I did have some discussions with with
- 24 Mr. Rubin. I don't remember details about them or
- 25 how many, for instance, but I think there were

- 1 recruits to join the Android team, correct?
- A. I don't remember doing that.
- 3 Q. Did you not suggest to Mr. Rubin that he
- 4 should interview Nedim Fresco (phonetic)?
- 5 A. If I remember correctly, Nedim came -- came
- 6 to us. Thinking that maybe -- you know, maybe he
- 7 should come to Google. And I think I -- I think I
- 8 recall passing that on to Andy as -- as somebody he
- 9 might want to talk to.
- MR. NORTON: Let's look at what was
- 11 previously marked as Exhibit 16. I'm sorry,
- 12 Exhibit 308.
- 13 THE REPORTER: Okay.
- 14 (Exhibit 308 previously marked for
- 15 identification.)
- 16 MS. ANDERSON: Thank you.
- 17 BY MR. NORTON:
 - 8 Q. Exhibit 308, at the top, is an e-mail from
- 19 yourself to Mr. Rubin; is that correct?
- 20 A. I haven't -- I haven't read this yet. Just
- 21 from looking at the addressing, it would appear to
- 22 be so.
- Q. All right. And it's a somewhat long
- 24 e-mail, but I just want to look at the last
- 25 paragraph of the portion from you to Mr. Rubin,

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- 1 begins "On this same line"? 2 A. Yes. A. I see those words, yes.
 - Q. And the e-mail there states, "On this same
- 4 line, yesterday or the day before, I had lunch with
- 5 the guy at Sun, who was the brain behind Sun's
- 6 little JVM on Linux effort, on the efficient use of
- 7 multiple processes on Linux". Do you see that?
- Q. He goes on to say, "He wants to get out of
- 10 Sun and is extremely interested in Google, even
- 11 while not knowing anything about Android". Do you
- 12 see that?
- 13 A. I do see that.
- 14 Q. All right. And then I won't read the
- 15 entire paragraph, but --
- 16 A. Okay.
- 17 Q. -- is it correct that you went on in your
- 18 e-mail to Mr. Rubin on August 5th, 2005, to suggest
- 19 that this particular person would be someone that
- 20 could be a key hire for Android?
- 21 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 22 MR. LISI: Join.
- 23 THE WITNESS: I think I -- before I can
- 24 answer that, I need to read the rest of the
- 25 paragraph because up to the point we discussed, I Page 50

1 correct?

20 correct?

2 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.

1 So, I think it and I don't I don't recall

A. Are you referring to the third

Q. I'm not referring to the exhibit at all.

13 I'm just asking you a question. You can set aside

17 recommendations to Mr. Rubin about other Sun

19 and you thought would be helpful on Android,

A. I believe that I I believe that I

Q. My question to you was, and you also made

18 employees that you knew, who were already at Google,

22 identified to Andy, people who had experience doing

23 Java stuff. Some of them were well, some of them

Q. And you were a project advisor for Android,

4 I'm not 100 percent sure.

5 BY MR. NORTON:

9 on Android, correct?

11 paragraph?

14 that exhibit.

A. Okay.

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2 any any such conversations with anyone

Q. Then you also made recommendations to

7 Mr. Rubin about former Sun employees who had already

8 joined Google who you thought could be of assistance

3 else. So I think it is likely this is Nedim, but

3 MR. LISI: Join.

24 were ex Sun employees, I'm sure.

- THE WITNESS: I believe -- I believe that
- 5 Andy, at one point, called -- wrote something that
- 6 said he has -- Android has advisors. I don't think
- 7 that meant anything formal. I think it just meant
- 8 that there was some people who were -- who were
- 9 occasionally giving him advice. But it wasn't any
- 10 sort of formal responsibility, formal ongoing role.
- 11 I didn't have any such role with Android at this
- 12 time or any other time.
- 13 MR. NORTON: Mark Exhibit 527.
- 14 (Exhibit 527 was marked for identification.)
- 15 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. Exhibit 527 is an e-mail exchange between
- 17 you and Mr. Rubin; is that correct?
- A. I have got to scan over this. Well, so not
- 19 having read this, this does appear to be an e-mail
- 20 exchange between Andy and I.
- Q. And reading from the bottom --21
- 22 A. Uh-huh.
- Q. -- the first of the three e-mails in this
- 24 string is from Andy Rubin, correct?
- 25 A. That appears to be so.

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1 can't draw the conclusion --

- 2 MR. NORTON: Let me ask the question --
- 3 THE WITNESS: Okay.
- 4 MR. NORTON: -- a little differently.
- THE WITNESS: Okay.
- 6 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. If you go to the second to the last 7
- 8 sentence of that paragraph --
- 9 A. Uh-huh.
- 10 Q. -- you wrote, "This guy could be a key
- 11 hire".
- A. I see that line, yes. 12
- 13 Q. And you wrote that, correct?
- A. I don't specifically remember writing it,
- 15 but it's in this e-mail that I don't dispute I
- 16 must have written.
- Q. And the person that you're talking about 17
- 18 here was Nedim Fresco, correct?
- 19 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 20 MR. LISI: Join.
- 21 THE WITNESS: I do recall that I -- that I
- 22 did discuss, in very roughly this timeframe, the
- 23 possibility that Nedim -- I mean, Nedim was -- Nedim
- 24 came to me, as I recall, and said he was unhappy
- 25 with Sun and was interested in coming to Google.

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2 statement.

3 BY MR. NORTON:

18 went anywhere.

20 question.

- Q. And he writes, "Tim, I'm instituting an
- 2 idea called Project Advisors for Android". Do you
- 3 see that?
- 4 A. I do.
- Q. And after some further explanation, he
- 6 writes, "I was wondering if I could add your name to
- 7 the Java advisor team. You're the first I'm
- 8 asking." Do you see that?
- A. I do see that.
- 10 Q. And he goes on; there's some more detail.
- 11 But you responded to his e-mail on August 9th; is
- A. Yes, I think I responded on August 9th. 13
- Q. And you wrote, "Sure. Sign me up." Is 14
- 15 that what you wrote?
- A. That seems to be what I -- that seems to be
- 17 what's in here. I don't recall writing it, but
- 18 that's -- that's what's in -- what seems to be in
- 19 that e-mail.
- 20 Q. Those are the words on the page?
- 21 A. And those are the words on this page, yes.
- 22 Q. And you went on and wrote, "I think that
- 23 this only puts a name on what I've already been
- 24 doing and hope to keep doing." You wrote that?
- 25 A. Those are the words on this page. I don't
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MR. NORTON: You can set aside Exhibit 527.

1 reality was cannot be extrapolated from that

6 run time generalist, an interpreter of the

7 engineering business legal ecosystem?

Q. Did you believe in August 2005 that your

5 main value as an Android advisor would be as a J2ME

A. That that seems that's what's written

10 notion of what a project advisor was going to be was

9 on this page. At this point, all I knew about this

11 the little bit that Andy had written previously. 12 And, in fact, my recollection is that this

13 this this idea went nowhere. I don't recall

14 ever ever getting together with the project

16 think I think this idea pretty much died on the

Q. Again, I ask you to try to focus on my

MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.

A. Yes, I -- I recall that in the 2005ish

6 timeframe there were some discussions with Sun, and

Q. And you also gave Mr. Rubin advice about

17 vine. At least my participation, as such, never

Q. You you also participated in 23 negotiations with Sun concerning a Java license,

THE WITNESS: Okay.

I sat in on at least one meeting of that.

9 how he should negotiate with Sun, correct?

15 advisors or ever doing anything official. I

A. Okay. Okay. Sorry.

- Q. And then you go on in the next paragraph.
- 3 And I want to draw your attention to the second to
- 4 the last sentence in that paragraph, where you
- 5 wrote, "I think my main value would be as a J2ME
- 6 run-time generalist, an interpreter of the
- 7 engineering business legal ecosystem."
- A. Uh-huh.
- 9 Q. You wrote that?

1 specifically recall writing it.

- 10 A. Again, I don't recall writing it, but it's
- Q. And is that a fair characterization of what 12
- 13 your main value would be to Android, as of August
- 14 2005?
- MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. 15
- 16 MR. LISI: Join.
- 17 THE WITNESS: I think -- I think what --
- 18 what, if anything, this reflects is -- is me
- 19 brainstorming a role at Google, at a time when that
- 20 was sort of -- when -- when what -- sorry, when what
- 21 my role in Google was to be was sort of in flux.
- 22 And I could explain that in more detail, if you'd
- 23 like. But I think this was a proposal for -- for a
- 24 way I might -- I might be able to contribute. I do
- 25 not think this is actually what happened. The

10 Negotiate with Sun concerning a Java license? MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.

3 BY MR. NORTON:

Q. I'm sorry.

- 12 MR. LISI: Join.
- 13 THE WITNESS: At that point, there wasn't a
- 14 specific discussion of a Java license. There was
- 15 discussion of a very broad co-marketing or
- 16 co-development, co-ownership agreement with Sun
- 17 that -- that was something that was being
- 18 brainstormed at the time. It was a -- but it was a
- 19 very broad and new thing that would have created a
- 20 kind of a new -- a new entity that was -- that was
- 21 the joint -- joint creation of Google and Sun.
- 22 BY MR. NORTON:
- 23 Q. There were discussions of a collaboration,
- 24 correct?
- 25 A. Correct.

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- 1 Mollert, not Allen".
- 2 A. Oh, yes, I see that.
- 3 Q. Seeing that, does that cause you to believe
- 4 that Vineet Gupta was, in fact, involved in
- 5 negotiations on behalf of Sun over an agreement
- 6 concerning Android and Java?
- 7 A. Again, I still don't remember the -- I
- 8 don't remember Vineet specifically being involved in
- 9 this particular meeting, but -- but that seems to
- 10 be -- I'm not -- I'm not -- I don't mean to dispute
- 11 that Vineet was present; I'm just saying I don't
- 12 remember specifically the details of these
- 13 meetings.
- 14 Q. All right. And these are your notes; is
- 15 that correct?
- 16 A. I don't recall writing them. Given that
- 17 it's an e-mail from me to me, it seems likely that
- 18 these are my notes.
- 19 Q. You can put that one aside for the moment.
- 20 A. Is it likely to come up again?
- 21 Q. It is.
- 22 A. So I should -- okay. I'll set it aside, so
- 23 we'll have it.
- 24 Q. In 2005-2006 --
- 25 A. Uh-huh.

- 1 identification.)
- 2 THE WITNESS: Okay.
- 3 BY MR. NORTON:
- 4 Q. Exhibit 312 is a February 10, 2006, e-mail
- 5 exchange between yourself and Bill Coughran; is that
- 6 correct? Am I saying that correctly?
- 7 A. Coughran.
- 8 Q. Coughran. Thank you.
- 9 A. It's a tough one, too. Okay. Bill -- so I
- 10 think this is Bill -- as I read this document, I
- 11 think this is Bill's response to something I'd sent 12 him.
- 13 Q. And what appears immediately beneath his
- 14 response is the thing that you sent to him,
- 15 correct?
- 16 A. That appears -- it appears to be true, what
- 17 I'm reading on this page.
- 18 Q. And what you sent him was an e-mail on
- 19 Friday, February 10th, with a subject line, "Travel
- 20 for Android requested", correct?
- 21 A. That is -- that's what the subject says,
- 22 yes.

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- 23 Q. And was Mr. Coughran your boss in February
- 24 2006?
- 25 A. February 2006? I think he was, yes. I

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- Q. I want to get some agreement on
- 2 terminology. There was a period of time when you
- 3 were involved in discussions of an agreement between
- 4 Sun and Google, concerning Java and Android; is that
- 5 not correct?
- 6 A. I think that in the period 2005 2006, kind
- 7 of July to July, there there was there was a
- 8 discussion going on about this joint development
- 9 agreement that I'd mentioned earlier. I was
- 10 involved to some degree in that.
- 11 Q. You understood during the that timeframe
- 12 that it was critical that Google obtain a license
- 13 from Sun, correct?
- 14 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 15 MR. LISI: Join.
- 16 THE WITNESS: Yeah. No, I don't I don't
- 17 think I don't think it was critical. I think
- 18 I think that Google was looking at one of,
- 19 potentially, multiple alternatives that it could
- 20 have used to build what ultimately became Android,
- 21 but critical implies that it would well, it would
- 22 seem to suggest that there's no other choice, and I
- 23 don't think that is true.
- MR. NORTON: Let's look at Exhibit 312.
- 25 (Exhibit 312 previously marked for

- 1 think he was.
- Q. Is that why you were asking him for
- 3 permission to travel?
- 4 A. I believe so. It would be appropriate to
- 5 do that, I think.
- 6 Q. And why don't you read out loud for me the
- 7 first paragraph of your e-mail to Mr. Coughran after
- 8 you wrote, "Hi, Bill".
- 9 A. "As you might be vaguely aware, I've been
- 10 helping Andy Rubin with some issues associated with
- 11 his Android platform. This is mostly taking the
- 12 form of helping to negotiate with my old team at Sun
- 13 for a critical license."
- 14 Q. And "critical" was the word that you used
- 15 in your e-mail in February 2006, correct?
- 16 A. That is the -- that is the word that's on
- 17 this page.
- 18 Q. And are -- is it your testimony that the
- 19 license that you were negotiating for February 2006
- 20 was not a critical license?
- 21 MR. LISI: Objection, form.
- THE WITNESS: What -- what I would say is,
- 23 if you take -- if you take this statement out of
- 24 context, you get a different meaning from the actual
- 25 context that was intended.

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18 (Pages 66 - 69)

1 BY MR. NORTON: 1 alternatives that could have been used, too. Q. -- in February 2006. In February 2006, let 2 BY MR. NORTON: 3 me put this on that, how knowledgeable were you, Q. On open source alternatives, it was your opinion, in fall of 2005, that most of the open 4 personally, about Android technology? source Java virtual machines, at least, were MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. "complete crap"; that was your term, correct? 6 MR. LISI: Join. 7 THE WITNESS: I had had no exposure to it A. I don't know. Do you have something that 8 whatsoever. 8 says that? 9 9 MR. NORTON: Well, that's not true, was it, Q. Actually, you have Exhibit 308. 10 sir? 10 MS. ANDERSON: 308. 11 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. 11 THE WITNESS: Is that this one? THE WITNESS: Well, I can't -- what might 12 12 13 you mean? I had -- I had never looked at the source 13 14 code. At this point, I'm not even sure what 15 technology was brought in to Google by the Android 16 acquisition. I'm not sure what they had. I hadn't 17 had those discussions. I hadn't been exposed to 17 you see that? 18 source code or whatever it was that they had at that A. Yes. 19 19 time. 20 BY MR. NORTON: 20 Ryan wrote --21 Q. Do you recall in December of 2005 that you 22 got a run-through of the Android technology from the 22 23 page --23 Android team? 24 A. No. 24 25 Q. You don't recall that? 25 Page 74 A. No. 1 2 Q. Is it your testimony it didn't happen? 3 A. No, I just don't recall it. Q. So in February 2006, how knowledgeable were 5 you about alternatives to Android for Google? MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. 7 MR. LISI: Join. 7 the page. 8 THE WITNESS: Was that a correct question? 9 BY MR. NORTON: Q. It probably it probably was not a 11 correct question. In February 2006, how 12 knowledgeable were you to alternatives to a Sun Java 13 license for Android?

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MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.

17 my past occupation at Sun, I was aware of, for 18 instance, other other Java technology, such as

19 IBM's J9, I believe they called it. It was another

20 Java implementation. There were various open source

21 Java implementations out there. There were even

22 if we look at Android as some implementation that

24 alternatives to what to what Sun had out there.

25 And then there were also, potentially, non Java

23 relates to any Java technology, there were

THE WITNESS: I had I had by my by

MR. LISI: Join.

MS. ANDERSON: Yes. THE WITNESS: Okay. Okay. 14 BY MR. NORTON: Q. All right. If you look at the top of the 16 e-mail string, which was from you to Mr. Rubin; do Q. And you're responding to something that A. Uh-huh. Q. -- which I think you'll see on the second A. Uh-huh. Q. -- which, in turn, he was commenting on Page 76 1 what was still yet another Google employee had 2 written through the course of the other pages. A. Okay. So this is a four page e mail with 4 lots of inclusions. Do you want me to read it? Q. Well, all I want you to do is tell me 6 whether or not you wrote the e mail at the top of A. It would appear that I did. I don't 9 specifically remember doing it. Q. And in the second paragraph of Exhibit 308, 11 what you wrote was, "FWIW", which is "for what it's worth"; is that right? A. Yes, if I wrote that today, that's what it 14 would mean. Q. "For what it's worth, I largely agree with 16 Ryan. I think that the guy pointing to the various 17 open source efforts out there is largely clueless. 18 Okay. Maybe there might be a few odds and ends that 19 would be worth picking up, or would have no value to 20 add, and the license is onerous. But most of that 21 stuff is complete crap. The first 30 percent of a 22 Java run time is not nearly as valuable or costly as 23 the last 30 percent or 5 percent of a commercial

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24 quality one." Did you write that?

A. I don't specifically remember writing that.

- 1 It's on this page.
- O. So you can set aside Exhibit 308.
- 3 A. Okay.
- 4 Q. On February 2006 --
- 5 A. Okay.
- 6 Q. -- that document in front of you now. The
- 7 question is, in February 2006 --
- 8 A. Uh-huh.
- 9 Q. -- what did you believe to be the best
- 10 technical alternative to using Java in Android?
- 11 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 12 MR. LISI: Join.
- 13 THE WITNESS: I'm not -- I'm not sure I can
- 14 put my head back at that time and understand what I
- 15 would have said then. I mean, there were
- 16 alternatives -- there were alternatives. That --
- 17 that there is no question. You're asking me to rank
- 18 them. And I in -- and I just don't think I can say,
- 19 back at that time, what the value of each of these
- 20 alternatives were, whether they even existed back
- 21 then, as I remember them today.
- 22 BY MR. NORTON:
- 23 Q. Did you have any discussions with Mr. Rubin
- 24 about what the alternatives were to obtaining a Java
- 25 license from Sun for Android?
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- 1 Android, as you understood it in February 2006, what
- 2 were the three best alternatives to a Sun license
- 3 for Java to be used with Android?
- 4 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 5 MR. LISI: Join.
- 6 THE WITNESS: I just don't think I can put
- 7 myself back in the mindset, nor do I frankly think I
- 8 was thinking about that at the time.
- 9 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. You -- you did testify a few minutes ago
- 11 that there were alternatives to a Sun license in
- 12 February 2006; is that correct?
- 13 A. I think that -- that was my general
- 14 knowledge. There were other products on the market
- 15 that were, at least, if you read the marketing
- 16 literature, they were -- they were alternatives.
- 17 That was just a simple fact of the state of the
- 18 market, at that point.
- 19 Q. Can you tell me -- can you tell me any one
- 20 of the five best alternatives that existed in
- 21 February of 2006, given what Google wanted to do
- 22 with Android, at that time?
- 23 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 24 MR. LISI: Join.
 - THE WITNESS: I have trouble with --

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- 1 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 2 MR. NORTON: Prior to February 2006.
- 3 THE WITNESS: I don't -- I don't remember
- 4 specifically any such thing. In fact, it's perhaps
- 5 somewhat unlikely. I think I was -- I was brought
- 6 in on request by Andy to talk about the specific Sun
- 7 Google thing. I wasn't making the strategy. I
- 8 wasn't proposing what Andy ought to do. I was just
- 9 more -- more commenting on things that he was
- 10 driving, he was doing.
- 11 Q. Can you tell me what -- without saying
- 12 which is the best -- tell me which are the three
- 13 best alternatives for the Sun license for Android in
- 14 February 2006?
- 15 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 16 THE WITNESS: I don't think that's a
- 17 reasonable question because it depends on what
- 18 you're trying to do, how far afield you're trying to
- 19 do it. If you're looking for a Java
- 20 language-oriented solution versus another one, you
- 21 know, is C# an alternative, at that point. You have
- 22 to decide whether -- whether a non-Java language
- 23 alternative is in the ballpark or not. I don't
- 24 think that's a question I could reasonably answer.
- 25 Q. Given what Google was trying to do with Page 79

- 1 with with speaking for Google about what Google 2 wanted to do with Android. As I testified a minute
- 3 ago, I was brought in to comment on things. Andy
- 4 and people around him were were the ones who were
- 5 the repository of what Google was trying to do, and
- 6 they were having a meeting on what the strategy for
- 7 Android should be. I was brought in, at sort of
- 8 point point times to comment on things that were
- 9 happening, but I wasn't making the strategy and I
- 10 wasn't even necessarily aware of the strategy. I
- 11 wasn't in the loop on that sort of thing.
- 12 BY MR. NORTON:
- 13 Q. I'm just trying to understand your
- 14 testimony that there were
- 15 A. Okay.
- Q. alternatives to a Sun license for Java,
- 17 for Android, in February of 2006. And can you tell
- 18 me what one of the identify the one specific
- 19 alternative that Google had in February 2006 that
- 20 you're thinking of when you tell me there were
- 21 alternatives.
- 22 A. Yeah, because it was the best
- 23 Q. I've given up on that. All right. Tell me
- 24 just one.
- 25 A. So, so, one so, so again, I can't

- Highly Confidential Attorneys' Eyes Only 1 speak to whether this would -- whether, you know, I 1 identification.) 2 don't know with the licensing, I don't -- there are 2 BY MR. NORTON: 3 all sorts of things I don't know about these Q. All right. So let's look at what was 4 technologies. But, for instance, if I was going to 4 previously marked as Exhibit 307. 5 go out -- if I was, at that point, going to go out A. Should I have that already? 6 and look for alternatives, I might look at IBM's J9, Q. No, that one you don't have yet. And the 7 which was, in my general understanding, a Java 7 first page is an e-mail from Mr. Rubin to you; is 8 run-time environment that was targeted for small --8 that correct? 9 small devices or embedded systems. It might have A. That appears to be correct. 10 been an appropriate -- it was -- it was a 10 Q. Dated July 29, 2005? 11 commercially available, relatively mature thing that 11 A. That appears to be correct, too. 12 had been used in commercial products, that would be 12 Q. And Mr. Rubin writes, "Tim, the enclosed 13 my general understanding. 13 document starts to memorialize our thinking that was 14 And so if we were going to say, no -- no, 14 brainstormed in the meeting earlier this week"; do 15 we're not going to -- we're not going to use --15 you see that? 16 we're not going to talk -- talk with Sun about their A. I see that. 17 stuff, we might have gone to IBM and talked about 17 Q. And then if you look at the rest of the 18 J9. There -- there -- there are other things that 18 exhibit, there is an attached document? 19 we might have tried as well. But I'm not -- I'm not 19 A. Okay. 20 saying I have any real deep knowledge of these 20 Q. Now, do you recall a meeting in which there 21 things or whether -- we could have just -- I -- I 21 was brainstorming prior to July 29, 2005? 22 -- I don't -- I don't know enough about most of these A. No, I think this was the point of my 23 things to say what the conclusion would be, should 23 earlier statement that I was surprised -- I didn't 24 we have gone down some of these paths. But at least 24 recall meetings this early upon my joining. Again, 25 on the surface of it, there were these 25 I'd only been at Google for two, three weeks at the Page 82 Page 84 1 most. 1 alternatives. Q. Are you aware of any conversation between O. Now, in this document that Mr. Rubin sent 3 to you --3 anybody on behalf of Google approaching Strike A. Uh-huh. 4 that. Are you aware of any efforts by Google in the 5 February in the 2005 2006 timeframe to approach Q. -- did you review the document? 6 IBM to discuss licensing J9, as opposed to obtaining A. I don't -- I don't recall seeing this 7 document. I haven't read it, no. 7 a license from Sun? Q. Do you have any reason to think that if A. I'm not aware of any such conversations. 9 Q. Did you ever discuss that as an alternative 9 Mr. Rubin sent you a document and asked you to take 10 a look and give any thoughts --10 with Mr. Rubin? 11 A. Uh-huh. A. I don't recall discussing it, but I don't 12 Q. -- do you think you would have done so? 12 recall having I don't recall most of these 13 discussions. 13 A. I think it's most likely that I would have 14 done so. I would have at least looked at it. 14 Is it okay if I went and got a refill? 15 whether I had any thoughts to give to him, whether I 15 Just right here. 16 (Off record discussion). 16 had any thoughts on it. MR. NORTON: Go off the record for a Q. And if you go to the third page of the 17 18 exhibit, Exhibit 307. 18 second. 19 A. I think I'm there.
- THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Time is now 11:55 a.m.,

20 and we are going off the record.

- 21 (Recess taken).
- 22 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Time is now 11:57 a.m.,
- 23 and we are back on the record.
- 24 MS. ANDERSON: That's good.
- 25 (Exhibit 307 previously marked for

- Q. And you see that there's a section under
- 21 the heading "Requirements"?
- A. Yes, I see that.
- Q. And it says, "Google needs a TCK license",
- 24 in the first bullet?
 - A. I do see that.

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16 correct?

24 accurate?

- Q. Did you disagree with that statement in 2 July 2005?
- A. I don't remember even seeing this document,
- 4 so I can't say whether I disagreed with it.
- Q. Did you have any reason to disagree with
- 6 this statement in July 2005?
- A. I can't I think I would need to I
- 8 think I would need to read this document in order to
- 9 put that put that statement in context.
- but, again, I don't recall even receiving this
- 11 document. And I'm not sure what I would have
- 12 thought of that statement back at that time. It's,
- 13 you know, six years ago.
- 14 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Excuse me, Chris, do you
- 15 mind being careful?
- 16 MS. ANDERSON: Oh, my microphone. Sorry
- 17 about that.
- 18 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: That's okay.
- 19 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. You don't recall this document?
- A. No, I don't.
- 22 Q. Do you know what Mr. Rubin meant when he

THE WITNESS: I -- I -- you need to ask him

MR. NORTON: Let's mark Exhibit 530.

Q. This is an e-mail exchange between you and

Q. In the first of the e-mail, chronologically

Q. The question was, in that e-mail you are

A. Yes, I don't remember doing this, but it is

14 you are explaining to Mr. Rubin different J2ME

(Witness peruses document).

21 explaining to Mr. Rubin different J2ME

24 true that what is being discussed there are

25 different J2ME implementations.

Okay. I've read that. Is there a

(Exhibit 530 marked for identification.)

A. I am looking at that now. Is there a

THE WITNESS: Thank you.

Q. Do you have Exhibit 530?

A. That appears to be correct.

11 Mr. Rubin, November 9th, 2005?

15 implementations; is that correct?

A. I need to read this.

- 23 wrote, "Google needs a TCK license"?
- MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. 24
- 25 MR. LISI: Join.

6 BY MR. NORTON:

9 question or --

2 about that.

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19 question?

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23 your characterization of the Monty CLDC is

THE WITNESS: So my recollection of the 2 Monty CLDC is that it was a single-process model.

MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.

Q. And then in response, Mr. Rubin asked you,

Q. And then you responded again, Mr. Lindholm,

"What is the MVM based on?" Do you see that?

5 on November 9th, at 2:10 p.m.; is that correct?

Q. And in that e-mail you also made a

10 of their "CDC implementation", do you see that?

14 Java state". When you said the "former" you were

15 referring to the Monty CLDC implementation; is that

A. Well, I don't remember writing this. Just 18 looking at it grammatically, that appears to be --

Q. And you wrote, "The former, is a 13 single-process model and only provides isolation of

19 the former seems to refer to the Monty CLDC.

Q. And then the latter -- well, not just 21 relying on your grammar, but relying on your

22 expertise on Java, does it appear to you that that's

8 distinction between a "Monty CLDC implementation" 9 and then what you described as another that is part

A. I do see that.

A. I do see that.

A. Yes, I see that.

- 3 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. All right. And then the following sentence
- 5 says, quote, "The latter is a multi-process model
- 6 that gives isolation of native state". And the
- 7 latter there refers to the CDC implementation; is
- 8 that correct?
- 9 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- THE WITNESS: I can -- I can only say
- 11 grammatically, which is not very satisfying, but
- 12 it is true the CDC -- the CDC was a multi-process
- 13 model.
- 14 BY MR. NORTON:
 - Q. So it's not just the grammar; it's also
- 16 your knowledge of what the CDC is, right?
- A. Yes, it's not -- it's not what I wrote at
- 18 this time, just my knowledge of what these things
- 19 were.
- Q. And then Mr. Rubin wrote back to you, of
- 21 course, "Our guys are implementing that later for
- 22 the isolation and resource management arguments".
- 23 Do you conclude that Mr. Rubin intended to write
- 24 "latter" instead of "later"?
- 25 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.

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- THE WITNESS: Yeah, I'm not sure. I think
- 2 both of them are kind of grammatically correct, but
- 3 confusing.
- 4 Q. But he says, "Our guys are implementing
- 5 that later for the isolation and resource management
- 6 arguments", right?
- 7 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 8 MR. NORTON: That's what he writes?
- 9 THE WITNESS: That's what he writes.
- 10 BY MR. NORTON:
- Q. And then you responded to that e-mail, and
- 12 you wrote, quote, "We need to make sure that
- 13 whatever license Sun proposes still allows you to do
- 14 that". Did you write that?
- 15 A. Well, apparently, it being on this page.
- 16 Q. All right. And what you expressed to
- 17 Mr. Rubin was that what Google was doing would
- 18 require that -- a license from Sun, correct?
- 19 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 20 MR. LISI: Objection, form.
- THE WITNESS: The fact is that I can't even
- 22 see how that -- my apparent response -- I don't even
- 23 see how that's responsive to what Andy had written.
- 24 It doesn't make sense to me.
- 25 BY MR. NORTON:

1 BY MR. NORTON:

- 2 Q. Sure. That's not my question.
- 3 A. Okay.
- 4 Q. My question is just, you understood, when
- 5 Mr. Rubin uses the words "our guys are
- 6 implementing", that those words signify that people
- 7 at Google are doing something?
- 8 A. If I were given this statement today, I
- 9 would I would make that inference.
- 0 Q. All right. I've given you the statement
- 11 today. I'm asking you, is that a fair inference of
- 12 the document?
- 13 A. I think I think I would have to conclude
- 14 from reading this that Andy's guys were implementing
- 15 something.
- 16 Q. All right, good. And then your response on
- 17 that same day is that, "We need to make sure that
- 18 whatever license Sun proposes still allows you to do
- 19 that, correct?
- 20 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 21 BY MR. NORTON:
- 22 Q. That's what you wrote, right?
- 23 A. That's what the word
- 24 Q. Actually, it says
- 25 A. What

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- Q. Well, Mr. Rubin is describing in his the
- 2 last e mail before yours, he's describing what
- 3 Google is doing, correct?
- 4 MS. ANDERSON: Objection to form.
- 5 MR. NORTON: Can we agree on that much?
- 6 MS. ANDERSON: Objection to form.
- 7 THE WITNESS: Andy is Andy makes a
- 8 statement that he makes here, as far as I can tell.
- 9 I mean, I believe this is Andy making a statement 10 that it is.
- 11 BY MR. NORTON:
- 12 Q. And the statement that he's making, these
- 13 are all words you're familiar with, right?
- 14 A. Yes, but it's not the words, but the
- 15 construction that I'm having trouble with.
- 16 Q. So when he says, "Our guys are
- 17 implementing," you understood that to be something
- 18 that Google was doing, correct?
- 19 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 20 MR. LISI: Join.
- 21 THE WITNESS: At this at this point, I
- 22 wasn't I wasn't in the loop on anything that was
- 23 being implemented by the Android team, so, you know,
- 24 I'm I would take his word for it, but I had no
- 25 awareness what his guys were implementing.

- Q. "We need" -- I'll read it. "We need to
- 2 make sure that whatever license Sun proposes, still
- 3 allows you to that."
- A. Oh, okay.
- 5 Q. Your counsel's pointed out there is a
- 6 missing word.
- 7 A. Missing word, yes.
- 8 O. And what you were expressing to Mr. Rubin
- 9 was that Google needed to make sure that the license
- 10 from Sun allowed Google to do the thing, whatever it
- 11 was, that Mr. Rubin was describing in the e-mail
- 12 immediately below, correct?
- 13 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 14 MR. LISI: Join.
- 15 THE WITNESS: So, again -- again, I --
- 16 looking at this today, I don't see what sense it
- 17 makes. This strikes me, with my understanding of
- 18 these technologies, as being -- as being a vacuous
- 19 statement, so I'm not sure what I meant
- 20 at this point. I don't see why a license would
- 21 prevent what's being discussed here.
- 22 BY MR. NORTON:
- 23 Q. Sitting here today, you don't know what you
- 24 meant by that statement at the top of the exhibit?
- 25 A. Right, I find that statement confusing.

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- 1 preserve TCK implementation revenue" --
- 2 A. Uh-huh.
- Q. -- "defend franchise against fragmentation,
- 4 which is the main threat for long-term erosion."
- 5 Did you write that?
- 6 A. I don't remember writing it, but it
- 7 sounds -- it's in this e-mail.
- 8 Q. So that was what you understood to be one
- 9 of Allen's motivations in the negotiation,
- 10 correct?
- 11 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 12 THE WITNESS: So I don't remember writing
- 13 this. And I will point out that I'm saying, "Allen
- 14 presumably wants", so I think I was speculating
- 15 even -- even -- even back then, as to what Allen --
- 16 what Allen's considerations were.
- 17 BY MR. NORTON:
- 18 Q. But when you wrote an e-mail to Mr. Rubin
- 19 and Mr. Minor, talking about Sun and things to keep
- 20 in mind, you would have given your best
- 21 understanding of Sun's perspective, wouldn't you?
- MR. LISI: Objection, form.
- 23 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 24 THE WITNESS: I think what I would write
- 25 depends on the context on which it was written. If Page 98
- 1 I dashed something off or if I -- and I don't recall
- 2 the context in which this was written at all, so I
- 3 can't really vouch for the quality of the opinions.
- 4 BY MR. NORTON:
- 5 Q. But these are the opinions you expressed to
- 6 Mr. Rubin at the time?
- 7 A. This is the e-mail that I apparently
- 8 wrote.
- 9 Q. All right. And in the e-mail that you
- 10 wrote, you also wrote in the same paragraph, but
- 11 towards the end, last sentence reads, "We do not
- 12 want to turn this into a negotiation for buying the
- 13 Java franchise itself with Sun, even compensating
- 14 for the risk of its loss". While Sun probably --
- 15 A. Which paragraph are we?
- 16 Q. It's in the same paragraph the way it
- 17 begins, "Allen, presumably". But I'm now reading
- 18 the last two sentences to you.
- 19 A. Okay, I'm going to get something to be able
- 20 to track that. I write long sentences. Okay.
- 21 Okay. I see that now. I see --
- Q. And you wrote, "We do not want to turn this
- 23 into a negotiation for buying the Java franchise
- 24 itself from Sun, even compensating for the risk of
- 25 loss. While Sun probably will contemplate that, the Page 99

- 1 price would be high." Did you write that?
- 2 A. Again, it's in this e-mail.
- Q. Was that your view at the time?
- 4 A. I don't -- I don't actually remember what
- 5 my -- I don't remember the details of my view at the
- 7 Q. Did you try to figure out what the price
- 8 would be?
- 9 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form.
- 10 THE WITNESS: Definitely not. I -- I -- I
- 11 don't have any background in doing that sort of
- 12 thing. This is an engineer's speculating, if
- 13 anything.
- MR. NORTON: Let's mark Exhibit 532.
- 15 (Exhibit 532 marked for identification.)
- MS. ANDERSON: State on the record that
- 17 Exhibit 532 is a document with respect to which
- 18 Google has objected as being privileged on
- 19 attorney-client, work product grounds. Objected to
- 20 its production, but was compelled under court order
- 21 to produce this document because the Court had
- 22 concluded that an order of the document was not
- 23 subject to privilege. This is an issue that is --
- 24 that Google continues to object to and reserves all
- 25 rights on appeal with respect to that ruling. And,

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- 1 therefore, we understand it's being marked in this
- 2 deposition pursuant to the fact that the Court had
- 3 issued that order, but we want to restate our
- 4 objections here, given the importance of this issue 5 to Google.
- THE WITNESS: Do I get that note back?
- 7 MS. ANDERSON: And while I'm I also want
- 8 to say, I just want to make sure, this transcript
- 9 needs to be designated highly confidential under the
- 10 terms of the protective order, until we've had a
- 11 chance to do other designations, that's it.
- MR. NORTON: Okay.
- 13 MS. ANDERSON: Okay. That's it.
- 14 BY MR. NORTON:
- 15 O. Mr. Lindholm
- 16 A. Yes.
- 17 Q. you've seen Exhibit 532 before?
- 18 A. Yes, I have.
- 19 Q. It's an e mail from you to Mr. Rubin,
- 20 Mr. Grove, Mr. Lee, and Mr. and yourself,
- 21 correct?
- 22 A. Well, specifically, it's to Andy and Ben
- 23 Lee, cc'd to Dan and myself.
- Q. And you see the body of the e mail?
- 25 A. I do see the body of the e mail.

- 1 Q. You sent this e-mail on August 6, 2010; is 2 that right?
- 3 A. I believe that to be true.
- 4 Q. Would you please begin reading at, "Hi,
- 5 Andy." And read the entire e-mail out loud for the 6 record.
- 7 MS. ANDERSON: Objection. We state all of 8 our objections and preserve our right on appeal.
- 9 You may read the face of this e-mail.
- 10 THE WITNESS: Okay. Well, can I begin with
- 11 "Attorney work product, Google confidential", which
- 12 is also in the e-mail. And it goes, "Hi, Andy, this
- 13 is a short pre-read for the call at 12:30. In Dan's
- 14 earlier e-mail, he didn't give you a lot of context
- 15 for the visceral reaction that we got. What we have
- 16 actually been asked to do by Larry and Sergei, is to
- 17 investigate what technical alternatives exist to
- 18 Java, or Android and Chrome. We've been over a
- 19 bunch of these and think that they all suck. Think
- 20 they all suck. We conclude that we need to
- 21 negotiate a license for Java under the terms we
- 22 need. That said, Allen Eustace said that the threat
- 23 of moving off Java hit Safra Katz hard. We think
- 23 of moving off Java nit Safra Katz nard. We thin
- 24 there's value in the negotiation to put forward a
- 25 most credible alternative, the goal being to get Page 102

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- 2 BY MR. NORTON:

1 were no

- 3 Q. For the record, my question was not so
- 4 limited. When you wrote, "We've been over a bunch

there were no investigations.

- 5 of these and think they all suck". Who thought
- 6 "they all sucked"?
- MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. And also
- 8 caution the witness and instruct him not to answer
- 9 to the extent responding to the question would
- 10 require you to reveal a separate communication with
- 11 Google counsel or require you to reveal work you did
- 12 at the direction of Google counsel, as part of the
- 13 investigation.
- 14 THE WITNESS: So so the we the going
- 15 over what we thought about them was entirely done on
- 16 the direction of Google counsel. There was no such
- 17 work being done independently, not being done under
- 18 the direction of counsel. So I don't think I can
- 19 answer anything there.
- 20 BY MR. NORTON:
- 21 Q. What were the specific alternatives that
- 22 you have investigated for Android?
- 23 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. And also
- 24 objection on the basis of attorney client,
- 25 work product privilege. To the extent responding to

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- 1 better terms and price for Java. It looks to us
- 2 that Obj C provides the most credible alternative in
- 3 this context, which should not be confused with us
- 4 thinking we should make the change. What we're
- 5 looking for from you are reasons why you hate this
- 6 idea, whether you think this is a nonstarter for
- 7 negotiation purposes and whether you think there is
- 8 anything we missed in our understanding of the
- 9 option. Tim and Dan".
- 10 Q. Thank you. So when you wrote, "We've been
- 11 asked to investigate what technical alternatives
- 12 exist for Java and Android and Chrome, can you tell
- 13 me what technical alternatives you looked at?
- MS. ANDERSON: Objection. Instruct the
- 15 witness not to answer on the grounds of
- 16 attorney client privilege or work product to the
- 17 extent responding to the question requires you to
- 18 reveal work that you did at the direction of counsel
- 19 or communications you had with counsel for Google in 20 confidence.
- 21 THE WITNESS: So the investigation and the
- 22 technical alternatives was strictly done on the
- 23 request of counsel, was done with the understanding
- 24 of the work product. So outside of outside of
- 25 those things covered by by that situation, there

- 1 this question would require you to reveal
- 2 communications with Google counsel in confidence or
- 3 work done under the direction of Google counsel, I
- 4 instruct you not to answer on the grounds of
- 5 privilege.
 - THE WITNESS: Once again, the work we
- 7 the work we did on this was entirely done under the
- 8 direction of counsel. There was no work done
- 9 outside of that or for any other purpose, so I
- 10 cannot answer that question either.
- 11 BY MR. NORTON:
- 12 Q. What were the technical alternatives you
- 13 investigated to Java for Chrome?
- 14 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. Also
- 15 object on the basis attorney client, work product
- 16 privilege. Instruct the witness not to answer to
- 17 the extent responding would require you to reveal
- 18 communications with Google's counsel in confidence
- 19 or work that you did at the direction of Google.
- 20 THE WITNESS: Again, the work that we did
- 21 relating to Chrome was entirely done under the
- 22 direction of counsel and was work product. We we
- 23 did no such work outside of direction of counsel on
- 24 alternatives to Chrome.
- 25 BY MR. NORTON:

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Highly Confidential -Attorneys' Eyes Only Q. What did you mean by "technical THE WITNESS: I don't think I can answer 2 alternatives"? 2 that. Everything we did that led up to this e-mail 3 was done under the direction of counsel. There was MS. ANDERSON: Objection. Caution the 4 witness to the extent responding to this question 4 no work done outside of that direction. 5 requires you to reveal attorney client MR. NORTON: I understand you want to 6 communications or work product under the direction 6 conclude the deposition now, Ms. Anderson? 7 of counsel, I instruct you not to answer. MS. ANDERSON: Deposition is concluded. THE WITNESS: What we were asked 8 Well, actually, before -- before I conclude it, I do 8 what we 9 were asked to do 9 need to take a brief break and ask the witness if 10 MS. ANDERSON: Objection. Caution the 10 there is anything he needs to clarify, before we go 11 witness. You can't respond to the extent it would 11 off the record. But your questioning and your two 12 require you to reveal a communication with Google 12 hours you are allowed under order is now over. MR. NORTON: Well, I'll just note for the 13 counsel. And if you can't answer the question 14 record that there have been instructions not to 14 THE WITNESS: I can't answer the question 15 in that case. 15 answer that were improper, so we don't agree the 16 MR. NORTON: When you wrote, "We conclude 16 deposition is concluded. 17 that we need to negotiate a license for Java under And further that, to the extent the witness 18 the material we need," what were terms you had in 18 offers any further testimony now, I have the right 19 to ask questions. 19 mind? 20 MS. ANDERSON: Objection. Caution the 20 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is now --21 MS. ANDERSON: We'll take a brief and then 21 witness that to the extent responding to this 22 question requires you to reveal conversations with we'll come right back. THE VIDEOGRAPHER: The time is now 23 Google counsel, I instructed you not to answer on 24 the grounds of privilege. p.m., and we are going off the record. 25 THE WITNESS: This was done by (Recess taken.) this was Page 106 Page 108 1 done on direction of counsel. We did do nothing THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Time is now 12:31 p.m. 2 outside of the direction of counsel that led up to 2 We are on the record. 3 that conclusion or any MS. ANDERSON: We don't have any further MS. ANDERSON: I've given I've given 4 questions. 5 your extra minute back for the minute I spent MR. NORTON: Do I understand then there's 6 explaining how face card gets you up to 532 and your 6 nothing Mr. Lindholm wants to clarify? 7 two hours are now over. MS. ANDERSON: Not at this point, of 8 MR. NORTON: Well, I think there was 8 course, he will review his transcript. We will make 9 these objections and the witness' answers in corrections, like all other witnesses do. 10 response to the objections have both consumed time. 10 MR. NORTON: Thank you, Mr. Lindholm. 11 Customarily, the witness doesn't so I would like THE VIDEOGRAPHER: This marks the end of 12 to ask one more question. 12 Disk 2 of 2 and concludes the deposition of MS. ANDERSON: Okay. You can ask one more 13 Tim Lindholm. The time is now 12:31 p.m., and we 13 are going off the record. Thank you, counsel. 14 question. 15 BY MR. NORTON: 15 (TIME NOTED: 12:31 P.M.) Q. Are any of the statements you made in 16 17 Exhibit 532 any statements of fact or opinion you 17 18 made on Exhibit 532 false? 18 19 19 MS. ANDERSON: Objection, form. Also, 20 20 objection, caution the witness to the extent it 21 requires you to respond to this question, it 21 22 requires you to reveal communications you had with 22 23 23 Google counsel in confidence, or work that you did 24 24 at the direction of counsel. I instruct you not to

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25 answer those for privilege.

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