# **EXHIBIT 5**



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Pursuant to Rules 26 and 33 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Rule 26, Defendants Bank of America Corporation and Bank of America, N.A. (collectively, "Defendants"), by their undersigned attorneys, request that Plaintiffs NantWorks, LLC and Nant Holdings IP, LLC (collectively, "NantWorks" or "Plaintiffs") answer the following interrogatories within thirty (30) days of service.

GENERAL DEFINITIONS AND RULES OF CONSTRUCTION

Notwithstanding any definition below, each word, term, or phrase used in these Requests is intended to have the broadest meaning permitted under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

- 1. "Plaintiffs," "NantWorks," "You," or "Your" shall mean any or all of NantWorks, LLC; Nant Holdings IP, LLC; and/or any of its or their representatives, all past and present predecessors, successors, subsidiaries, affiliates, and parent companies, and all past and present directors, officers, partners, employees, agents, representatives, or persons acting on behalf of the forgoing entities.
- 2. "Defendant(s)" or "Bank of America" shall refer to Defendants Bank of America Corporation and/or Bank of America, N. A.
- 3. "NantWorks Patent(s)-in-Suit" shall refer, individually and collectively, to U.S. Patent No. 7,881,529, U.S. Patent No. 7,899,252, U.S. Patent No. 8,326,038, U.S. Patent No. 8,463,030, U.S. Patent No. 8,478,036, U.S. Patent No. 8,520,897, U.S. Patent No. 9,031,278, and U.S. Patent No. 9,324,004, as well as any patents asserted in this lawsuit at a later date.
  - 4. Related Patent(s)" means:
    - a. Any patent or patent application in the genealogical chain through which a Patent-in-Suit claims priority:
    - b. Any patent or patent application which claims priority through genealogical chain that includes a Patent-in-Suit
    - c. Any foreign counterpart of a Patent-in-Suit or otherwise Related Patent.



- 6. "Accused Instrumentality(ies)" shall mean and refer to those accused instrumentalities NantWorks identifies in accordance with C.D. Cal. S.P.R. 2.1.
- 7. "Advanced Mobile Deposit Software" shall refer to the "source code, object code, and libraries for the mobile check deposit software" NantWorks refers in paragraph 179 of its Complaint.
- 8. "And" and "or" shall be construed conjunctively or disjunctively as necessary to bring within the scope of the discovery request all responses that might otherwise be construed to be outside of its scope, and the use of the singular form of any word includes the plural and vice versa.
- 9. "Asserted Claim" means and includes each and every claim of the Patents-in-Suit that NantWorks contends is infringed in accordance with C.D. Cal. S.P.R. 2.1.
- 10. "Communication(s)" means any transmission of information, including drafts.
- 11. "Complaint" shall refer to Plaintiffs' live complaint, which as of January 25, 2021, was Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint filed on or about November 11, 2020, in the above-captioned matter.
- 12. "Constituting" or "relating to" is used in its broadest sense to include any connection, relation, or relevance.
- 13. "Date" means the exact day, month and year, if ascertainable; and if not ascertainable, the closest approximation that can be made by means of relationship to other events, locations or matters.
- 14. "Document(s)" shall include all writings, recordings, photographs, or other documents within the scope of Rule 1001 of the Federal Rules of Evidence or Rule 34 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, including without limitation written, printed, typed, electronically stored, magnetically stored, optically stored, and visually or aurally reproduced material of any kind. The term "document" shall include both the original of a document and all distinct copies thereof, including, without limitation,



- 15. "Including" shall mean without limitation.
- 16. "Person" or "Entity" and their plural forms include, without limitation, natural persons, law firms, partnerships, corporations, associations, and other legal entities and divisions, departments, or other units thereof.
- 17. "Present Litigation," "this lawsuit," "this litigation," and "this case" refers to the above-referenced action, NantWorks, LLC v. Bank of America Corp., Case No. 2:20-CV-7872-GW-PVC (C.D. Cal).
- 18. "Prior Art" means anything that constitutes prior art under any subsection of 35 U.S.C. § 102 or § 103, including without limitation any publication, patent, use, sale, offer for sale, prior invention, knowledge, or other activity.
- 19. "Reflecting," "referring," "relating to," "concerning" or any derivation thereof shall mean, without limitation, consisting of, constituting, containing, mentioning, describing, summarizing, evidencing, listing, indicating, analyzing, explaining, supporting, undermining, contradicting, concerning, pertaining to, prepared in connection with, used in preparation for, or being in any way legally, logically, or factually connected with the matter discussed.
- 20. "Related Patent(s)" means any patent or patent application related to the Asserted Patents genealogically and/or by common subject matter or inventorship, including but not limited to, any U.S. patent applications, such as continuation applications, continuation-in-part applications, and divisional applications, and all foreign counterpart applications, whether pending, allowed, issued, expired, or abandoned.
- 21. "Thing" shall include all tangible objects of any type, composition, construction, or nature.
- 22. "Writings," "recordings," and "photographs" are defined to be synonymous in meaning and equal in scope to the usage of those terms in Fed. R. Evid. 1001..



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