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#### Introduction

Plaintiff XimpleWare, Inc. has sued Versata Software, Inc. and its affiliated companies, as well as an also infringing customer, Ameriprise Financial, for copyright infringement and related claims. This case arises from Versata's wholesale appropriation of XimpleWare's copyrighted VTD-XML software into Versata's own DCM product—without authorization from XimpleWare and in clear violation of the limited GPL license under which XimpleWare makes its software available—and Versata's multi-million dollar sales (and Amerirprise's multi-million dollar use) of its DCM product, which includes XimpleWare's unlicensed VTD-XML software.

A temporary restraining order and preliminary injunction are warranted because, to date, Versata has denied and concealed its infringement from both XimpleWare and Ameriprise, its major distributor to tens if not hundreds of thousands of independent contractors, all continuing even after repeated notices to each Defendant. The VTD-XML software that Versata has misappropriated is XimpleWare's principal asset. Absent injunctive relief, XimpleWare will continue to be irreparably harmed by loss of control over its sole asset.

### STATEMENT OF FACTS

XimpleWare is a California corporation that develops and licenses software for extremely efficient data processing. XimpleWare holds all the rights—including copyrights and patents—in its software and its source code, including for its main product, which it calls VTD-XML.

Versata is an enterprise software company that sells several products, one of which is a complex system for insurance companies called Distribution Channel Management, or DCM, which it licenses for millions of dollars per customer. Ameriprise, a national financial services company, has been a DCM customer for many years.

Recently, XimpleWare learned through Ameriprise that Versata had incorporated XimpleWare's VTD-XML source code into DCM—but without obtaining a commercial license from XimpleWare. Based on XimpleWare's discussions with Ameriprise, and according to filings in Texas state court litigation between Versata and Ameriprise (but not XimpleWare), during



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