UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

CISCO SYSTEMS, INC.)	Civil Action No. 2:15-cv-10817-AC-RSW
Plaintiff,)	Honorable Avern Cohn
V.)	
CHRIMAR SYSTEMS INC. d/b/a CMS TECHNOLOGIES,)	
Defendant.)	

JOINT STATUS REPORT

In accordance with Paragraph 4 of the Court's April 24, 2015 Order temporarily staying this action in view of a patent litigation currently pending between the parties in California (Dkt. No. 10), Plaintiff Cisco Systems, Inc. ("Cisco") and Defendant ChriMar Systems Inc. d/b/a CMS Technologies ("ChriMar") submit this Joint Status Report¹ to update the Court on the current status of Civil Action No. 4:13-cv-01300-JSW pending between the parties in the United States District Court for the Northern District of California ("California Action"). The parties respectfully submit that the current status of the California Action, described below, should not impact the stay ordered in this case on April

¹ The parties are filing their first Joint Status Report in this action in accordance with Paragraph 4 of the Court's Stipulated Order Temporarily Staying Case (*see* Dkt. No. 10) because the parties are also concurrently filing their Joint Status Report due in Civil Action No. 2:14-cv-10290-AC-RSW, which involves Cisco and ChriMar and is also stayed pursuant to a stay order that was entered in that action (*see* Dkt. No. 16 in Civil Action No. 2:14-cv-10290-AC-RSW).



24, 2015, and that a continuing stay of this action is warranted.

The parties respectfully bring the following events in the California Action to the Court's attention:

- The court in the California Action issued its Claim Construction Order on March 18, 2015. *See* Dkt. No. 254.
- The parties to the California Action subsequently met and conferred and then submitted a Joint Case Management Report Pursuant To Patent Standing Order ¶ 13 on April 3, 2015. *See* Dkt. No. 256.
- The parties are awaiting further direction from the court with respect to their Joint Case Management Report, including whether the court will schedule a case management conference and/or issue an order regarding the parties' positions presented in the Joint Case Management Report (*see* Dkt. No. 256).
- On April 15, 2015, ChriMar filed a Motion For Leave To Amend Its Infringement Contentions To Cisco and HP Pursuant To Patent L.R. 3-6. See Dkt. No. 257. On May 14, 2015, the Magistrate Judge granted ChriMar's motion in a Report & Recommendation Re: Motion For Leave To Amend Infringement Contentions. See Dkt. No. 261.

The parties will continue to update the Court regarding developments in the California Action in accordance with Paragraph 4 of this Court's April 24, 2015 Order (Dkt. No. 10).



Respectfully submitted on June 2, 2015 by:

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