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VIA CM/ECF

Hon. Paul G. Gardephe United States District Court Judge United States District Court for the Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square, Room 2204 New York, New York 10007

Re: Network-1 Technologies, Inc. v. Google LLC, et al. Case No. 1:14-cv-2396 (PGG)

("Case 1") (MHD), and Network-1 Technologies, Inc. v. Google LLC, et al., Case

No. 1:14-cv-9558 (PGG) ("Case 2")

Dear Judge Gardephe:

We write to update the Court in response to its memo endorsement (ECF No. 116), dated November 16, 2016, ordering the parties "to advise the Court every 90 days as to the status of the Federal Circuit appeals" pertinent to the above-captioned proceedings.

As noted in previous letters to the Court, the relevant Federal Circuit appeals are No. 17-1379 (the "CBM Appeal") and Nos. 16-2509, -2510, -2511, -2512 (the "Consolidated IPR Appeals"). In the CBM Appeal (relating to the sole patent at issue in Case 2), the Federal Circuit has issued a decision affirming the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's final decision with respect to the only patent at issue in that appeal. The parties have made a joint submission regarding the stay in connection with that case (Case No. 14-cv-9558, Dkt. #71).

In the Consolidated IPR Appeals (relating to the patents at issue in Case 1), the Federal Circuit has issued a decision vacating the Board's final decisions with respect to two patents, vacating in part the Board's final decisions with respect to the remaining two patents, and remanding all four decisions to the Board for further proceedings. Some claims in some of the asserted patents were upheld by the Board, but not challenged on appeal. Those claims were not the subject of the Federal Circuit's remand. On July 10, 2018, the Federal Circuit denied a petition for panel rehearing or rehearing en banc filed by Network-1 Technologies, Inc. The Federal Circuit's mandate issued on July 19, 2018, and the four decisions have now been remanded to the Board for further proceedings (except with respect to the claims that were upheld and not appealed).



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The parties are available for a telephone conference if the Court believes that would be helpful.

Sincerely,

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