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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MARSHALL DIVISION

MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS )  
TECHNOLOGIES, LLC )  
Plaintiff, )  
vs. ) No. 2:12-cv-832  
SPRINT NEXTEL CORPORATION ) JRG-RSP  
Defendant. )

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MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS )  
TECHNOLOGIES, LLC, )  
Plaintiff )  
vs. ) No. 2:13-cv-259

SAMSUNG TELECOMMUNICATIONS ) JRG-RSP  
AMERICA, LLC, )  
Defendant. )

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MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS )  
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vs. ) No. 2:13-cv-258  
APPLE INC., ) JRG-RSP  
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 3 Wednesday, April 23, 2014  
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1 VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF GREGORY PINTER,  
 2 taken on behalf of the Defendant - Apple Inc. at  
 3 807 Main Street, Pleasanton, California, commencing  
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1 Pleasanton, California, Wednesday, April 23, 2013 08:50:57  
2 9:21 a.m.  
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4 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Good morning. We are  
5 on the record at 9:21 a.m. on April 23rd, 2014. 09:21:53  
6 This is the video-recorded deposition of Gregory  
7 Pinter.  
8 My name is Cassia Leet, here with our  
9 court reporter, Rebecca Romano. We are here from  
10 Veritext Legal Solutions at the request of counsel 09:22:08  
11 for defendant.  
12 This deposition is being held at the  
13 Rose Hotel, 807 Main Street in Pleasanton,  
14 California 94566. The caption of this case is  
15 Mobile Telecommunications Technologies, LLC, versus 09:22:22  
16 Sprint Nextel Corporation, Lead Case  
17 No. 2:12-cv-832 JRG-RSP and related cases.  
18 Please note that the audio and video  
19 recording will take place unless all parties agree  
20 to go off the record. Microphones are sensitive 09:22:42  
21 and they pick up whispers, private conversations,  
22 and cell phone interference.  
23 I am not related to any party in this  
24 action, nor am I financially interested in the  
25 outcome in any way. 09:22:55

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1 If there any objections to the 09:22:57  
2 proceeding, please state them at the time of your  
3 appearance, beginning with the noticing attorney.  
4 MR. DESAI: Anish Desai, here on behalf  
5 of Apple. 09:23:07  
6 MR. TACHE: Rick Tache and Erik Squier on  
7 behalf of Samsung.  
8 MR. WYSS: My name is Nicholas Wyss. I'm  
9 here on behalf of MTel.  
10 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Thank you. 09:23:17  
11 The witness will be sworn in and counsel  
12 may begin the examination.  
13 THE REPORTER: If you could raise your  
14 right hand for me, please.  
15 THE DEPONENT: (Complies.) 12:22:22  
16 THE REPORTER: You do solemnly state,  
17 under penalty of perjury, that the testimony you're  
18 about to give in this deposition shall be the  
19 truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth?  
20 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Please begin. 12:22:22  
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1 GREGORY PINTER, 09:23:21  
2 having been administered an oath, was examined and  
3 testified as follows:  
4 EXAMINATION  
5 BY MR. DESAI: 08:50:58  
6 Q. Good morning, Mr. Pinter.  
7 A. Good morning.  
8 Q. Could you please state your full name and  
9 address for the record.  
10 A. Gregory John Pinter, 1288 Lakeland Drive, 09:23:37  
11 Livermore, California 94551.  
12 Q. Mr. Pinter, have you ever been deposed  
13 before?  
14 A. Yes.  
15 Q. Okay. So you are somewhat familiar with 09:23:48  
16 the process?  
17 A. Uh-huh.  
18 Q. If you need a break while we are going  
19 today, just let me know and we will obviously take  
20 a break. 09:23:58  
21 A. Okay.  
22 Q. If you don't understand a question of  
23 mine, please let me know and I'll do my best to  
24 rephrase the question.  
25 A. Okay. 09:24:06

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1 Q. I'm going to hand you what's been marked 09:24:06  
2 as Exhibit 38. And this is the subpoena to you in  
3 this case.  
4 (Exhibit 38 was marked for identification  
5 by the court reporter and is attached hereto.) 09:24:29  
6 Q. (By Mr. Desai) I just have one question  
7 about this subpoena, and it's, what did you do, if  
8 anything, to search for documents in your  
9 possession that were requested in the subpoena?  
10 A. Actually, not much. I -- I looked up on 09:24:44  
11 the Web the -- the specific patents that were  
12 called out here. That's it, just to refresh my  
13 memory what they were.  
14 Q. Okay. Do you have any documents relating  
15 to your work at MTel in your possession? 09:25:05  
16 A. I don't believe so.  
17 Q. Would you mind just giving me a brief  
18 rundown of your education.  
19 A. Sure. I went to University of California  
20 at Irvine. I graduated in 1977. 09:25:25  
21 Q. And after that, were you employed  
22 immediately after obtaining your --  
23 A. I was --  
24 Q. -- degree?  
25 A. Right. Employed by McDonald Douglas for 09:25:37

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1 eight years, Honeywell for eight years, and then 09:25:39  
2 MTel at that point.  
3 Q. And what -- when did you join MTel?  
4 A. It should have been 1993.  
5 Q. All right. And how long were you at 09:25:52  
6 MTel?  
7 A. About three years, I believe. Somewhere  
8 in that ballpark.  
9 Q. Why did you leave?  
10 A. We had worked on two-way pagers and I was 09:26:03  
11 offered a position out here with the -- with the  
12 company, Wireless Access, that was making the  
13 pagers. So after we finished development of the  
14 pagers, I went -- I went to that company and joined  
15 them. 09:26:23  
16 Q. Okay. And since leaving MTel, could you  
17 just give me a brief description of your employment  
18 activities.  
19 A. So I went to work for Wireless Access for  
20 another -- about three years or so. Then I went to 09:26:29  
21 work for a company called JP Systems out of Dallas.  
22 I was their representative here in the Bay --  
23 representative here in the Bay Area in the -- in  
24 the context of business development, VP of business  
25 development. 09:26:51

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<p>1 And then I went to -- to work for a 09:26:51  2 company -- actually, SAP bought them. What's the  3 name of that company? It escapes me. But they  4 were doing text messaging delivery work, and I was  5 the VP of business development and general manager 09:27:05  6 for that company. And it was subsequently bought  7 by SAP.  8 From there, in 2001, I left, and in  9 200-- later in 2001, I started a company with a  10 couple other fellows called Net Informer that 09:27:22  11 lasted for eight years.  12 That was, again, starting with the text  13 messaging, and we developed mobile couponing,  14 mobile systems for newspapers and such. And in  15 2008 that was purchased by a newspaper company out 09:27:44  16 of the East Coast.  17 I worked for them for a couple more  18 years. And then since then I have gone to work for  19 a company called JLOOP. And then now I'm currently  20 employed as VP of technology for Virgin's 09:27:57  21 Entertainment.  22 Q. Thank you.  23 Going back to your three years at MTel --  24 A. Uh-huh.  25 Q. -- what was your role? 09:28:08</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 14</p>	<p>1 today. 09:29:41  2 Q. How about Dennis Cameron and William  3 Hays; did they report to you?  4 A. No.  5 Q. What was their relationship with you at 09:29:49  6 MTel?  7 A. They were senior to me. They had offices  8 down the hall. Bill Hays was sort of -- I don't  9 know what his real role was, but kind of chief of  10 technology or something like that, I would say. I 09:30:05  11 wouldn't say chief, but director of technology,  12 let's say. And Dennis was more in the RF side,  13 head of the RF side.  14 Q. Okay. Did you ever work with Rade  15 Petrovic while you were at MTel? 09:30:21  16 A. The name is sort of familiar, but I don't  17 remember.  18 Q. Okay. When did you first learn about  19 this lawsuit that was filed by MTel, LLC, against  20 Samsung and Apple? 09:30:44  21 A. When I received this deposition.  22 Q. When you received the subpoena?  23 A. The subpoena. I'm sorry. Yeah.  24 Q. Okay. Have you had any relationship with  25 the plaintiff in this case, MTel, LLC, prior to 09:30:57</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 16</p>
<p>1 A. I was starting off as a -- I don't 09:28:10  2 remember my titles exactly, but something akin to  3 an engineer, engineering manager, and then rose up  4 to director of engineering, if I remember right.  5 Q. Were there any specific aspects of what 09:28:31  6 MTel was doing that you were working on?  7 A. The two-way -- the two-way messaging  8 network is what I was working on.  9 Q. Were you working on the network or on the  10 devices, the handheld devices, or both? 09:28:44  11 A. Both. Both. So I had different  12 responsibilities. I worked directly for the --  13 the -- I guess he was a VP of technology,  14 Masood Garahi.  15 Q. So Mr. Garahi was your superior? 09:28:58  16 A. Correct.  17 Q. Okay. And as the engineering manager and  18 director of engineering, did you have engineers who  19 reported to you?  20 A. Yes. 09:29:10  21 Q. And who were they? To the extent you can  22 remember.  23 A. Yeah.  24 John Mayes was one. There's another  25 fellow, too. It will probably come to me later 09:29:34</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 15</p>	<p>1 receiving your deposition notice? 09:31:03  2 A. They had called me a year, year and a  3 half ago, asking me if I would help them out. And  4 I basically really just had a one- or two-minute  5 conversation; said sure, whenever something comes 09:31:18  6 up, I would be more than happy to help them, so...  7 Q. Aside from that conversation, did you  8 have any other follow-up conversations with  9 MTel, LLC, prior to receiving the subpoena?  10 A. No. 09:31:37  11 Q. Okay. So did you have any involvement in  12 assisting MTel, LLC, with preparing its case  13 against Apple and Samsung?  14 A. No.  15 Q. Do you know either Andrew Fitton or 09:31:50  16 Michael Karper?  17 A. No.  18 Q. Who did you speak to when you -- when you  19 had that conversation? Do you remember?  20 A. I don't remember. I'm sure you can tell 09:32:06  21 me, but I don't remember his name. It's in my  22 phone, but I can't remember his name.  23 Q. Was it an attorney?  24 A. Yes.  25 Q. Was it an attorney at Reed &amp; Scardino? 09:32:16</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Page 17</p>

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