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Defendants.

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#### DEFENDANTS HTC CORPORATION AND HTC AMERICA, INC.'S NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION TO TRANSFER

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on April 16, 2018, or as soon thereafter as counsel may be heard, the undersigned attorneys for Defendants HTC Corp. and HTC America, Inc. (collectively, "HTC") shall move before the Honorable John M. Vazquez, United States District Judge, Martin Luther King Building & U.S. Courthouse, 50 Walnut Street, Newark, NJ 07102, for entry of an Order transferring this action, under 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a), to the United States District Court for the Northern District of California.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that in support of this Motion, HTC will rely upon the accompanying Memorandum of Law submitted herewith, the Declarations of Ericka J. Schulz, Lynn Yu, David Wiggins, Frank Wu, Brian Bannister, and Deborah Dwight, and any reply papers in support therefore.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that a proposed form of Order is also submitted herewith for the Court's consideration.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that oral argument is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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