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4 GOOGLE LLC,)
5 Petitioner,) Case No.
6 vs.) IPR2021-00054
7 ECOFACTOR, INC.,) Patent No.
8 Patent Owner,) 10,534,382 B2
9 Defendants.)
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14 REMOTE DEPOSITION OF JOHN A. PALMER, PH.D

15 TAKEN ON

16 FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2021
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23 Reported by:

24 BRENDA R. COUNTZ, RPR-CRR

25 CSR NO. 12563

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Remote deposition of JOHN A. PALMER, PH.D
taken via Zoom or teleconference in Los Angeles,
California, on Friday, October 29, 2021, before
Brenda R. Countz, CSR No. 12563.

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2 8:10 A.M.

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4 JOHN A. PALMER, PH.D,

5 having been first duly sworn, was

6 examined and testified as follows:

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8 EXAMINATION

9 BY MR. SMITH:

10 Q. Thank you. Good morning, Dr. Palmer.

11 Let me state for the record this is a deposition

12 in IPR2021-00054, Google versus EcoFactor, being

13 conducted by Zoom.

14 Your name is Dr. John Palmer, correct?

15 A. That is correct.

16 Q. And by now you must have been deposed

17 dozens of times, right?

18 A. I have.

19 Q. Okay, good. I will spare you the rules

20 of the deposition with which I'm sure you are

21 intimately familiar.

22 You understand you are under oath today

23 though?

24 A. Of course.

25 Q. Great. Is there any reason you can't

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