## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS WACO DIVISION

VOIP-PAL.COM, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

AMAZON.COM, INC., AMAZON.COM SERVICES LLC, and AMAZON WEB SERVICES, INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 6:20-CV-00272-ADA

DECLARATION OF DANIEL T. SHVODIAN IN SUPPORT OF AMAZON'S OPPOSITION TO VOIP-PAL'S MOTION TO LIFT STAY AND RESET *MARKMAN* HEARING DATE



## I, Daniel T. Shvodian, declare:

- 1. I am counsel for Amazon.com, Inc., Amazon.com Services LLC, and Amazon Web Services, Inc. ("Amazon") in this case. I submit this Declaration in support of Amazon's Opposition To VoIP-Pal's Motion To Lift Stay and Reset *Markman* Hearing Date.
- 2. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of Defendant Google LLC's Notice and Memorandum of Points and Authorities in Support of Its Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings.
- 3. Attached as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of Defendants Meta Platforms Inc. and WhatsApp LLC's Notice and Memorandum of Points and Authorities in Support of Their Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings.
- 4. In this litigation, VoIP-Pal has asserted claims 1, 3-6, 8-9, 11, 14-15, 18-24, 26-27, and 44 against Amazon. VoIP-Pal has asserted those same claims against Google, and Google's motion for judgment on the pleadings addresses each of those claims. (*See, e.g.*, Ex. A at 12, n.3.)
- Judge Donato of the Northern District of California held a status conference on January 26, 2023 in *VoIP-Pal, Inc. v. Google LLC*, Case No. 3:22-cv-05419-JD (N.D. Cal.), *VoIP-Pal, Inc. v. Meta Platforms, Inc.*, Case No. 3:22-cv-04279-JD (N.D. Cal.), and related cases. An attorney from my firm attended that hearing, and I conferred with counsel for Google and Meta about the hearing. I was informed that Judge Donato held that VoIP-Pal had two weeks to file an answer to a related declaratory judgment complaint and that the parties seeking to invalidate the '606 patent under 35 U.S.C. section 101 would then have up to four weeks to file a consolidated motion for judgment on the pleadings. I was further informed that Judge Donato will rule on that motion, but that the cases pending in the Northern District of California will otherwise be stayed



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pending the resolution of the VoIP-Pal cases in the Western District of Texas if the motion for judgment on the pleadings is not granted.

6. I conferred with counsel for Google and Meta and they intend to file a consolidated motion for judgment on the pleadings on or before the deadline set by Judge Donato.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: January 26, 2023	/s/ Daniel T. Shvodian
·	Daniel T. Shvodian



## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document has been served January 26, 2023 to all counsel of record, via the Court's CM/ECF system.

/s/ Daniel T. Shvodian	
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