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Cause No. 07-07934-H

IN RE: PETITION OF M.P.,
Requesting a Deposition of Corporate
Representative for Google, Inc.,

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS
160TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO QUASH

On this day came before the Court Petitioner's Second Amended Petition Requesting Deposition to Investigate Potential Claims; Movant J. Doe's Supplemental Motion to Quash and Opposition to Rule 202 Petition; and Movant J. Doe's previously-filed Motion to Quash Discovery and Opposition to First Amended Rule 202 Petition. The Court, having considered the Petition, the Motions and Oppositions, the argument of counsel, and the papers on file,

hereby DENIES the petition and GRANTS the motion to quash

discovery that would reveal, or that would provide information that could reasonably be calculated to lead to the discovery of the anonymous Blogger or Bloggers who authored the subject blogs.

~~IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the discovery sought in Petitioner's Second Amended Petition Requesting Deposition to Investigate Potential Claims is DENIED in all respects and J. Doe's Motion to Quash is GRANTED in all respects;~~

THEREFORE

IT IS ~~FURTHER~~ ORDERED that the written interrogatories and requests for production served by Petitioner on Google, Inc., in this matter are hereby, QUASHED in their entirety;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Google, Inc., shall have no further obligation to respond to the written discovery served by Petitioner on Google, Inc., in this matter,

that would reveal, or provide information that could reasonably be calculated to lead to the discovery of the anonymous Blogger or Bloggers who authored the subject blogs.


IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a protective order IS HEREBY ENTERED protecting Movant J. Doe from any discovery by Petitioner sought from third parties or from Movant J. Doe directly that would reveal Movant's identity or that would provide information that could

, including from Google, Inc.,

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reasonably be calculated to lead to the discovery of Movant's identity.

Signed on this the 4 day of January, 2008.


HON JIM JORDAN, DALLAS COUNTY
DISTRICT JUDGE PRESIDING