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APPLICATION FOR ISSUANCE OF LETTERS ROGATORY

Defendants NDS Group PLC and NDS Americas, Inc. (collectively "NDS") move the Court for an order issuing letters rogatory directed at two Canadian residents who allegedly support Plaintiffs' claims against NDS: Ron Ereiser and Reginald Scullion. NDS seeks these letters rogatory, and an associated request for international judicial assistance, so that it may obtain the assistance of the appropriate Canadian courts to order the examination of these witnesses and their production of relevant documents. In support of this Application, NDS states as follows.

INTRODUCTION AND ARGUMENT I.

NDS is entitled to seek discovery from Messrs. Ereiser and Scullion because Plaintiffs EchoStar Satellite Corp. (n/k/a EchoStar Satellite L.L.C.), EchoStar Communications Corp., EchoStar Technologies Corp., ("EchoStar") and NagraStar L.L.C. (collectively, "Plaintiffs") have asserted on multiple occasions that testimony from these witnesses supports essential allegations of their Fourth Amended Complaint ("4AC"). Indeed, a declaration from Mr. Scullion is attached as an exhibit to the 4AC and is cited as specific support for numerous allegations therein. (4AC ¶ 124, 157-61, 164, 166-67, 169-70, 176.) That declaration, as well as one from Mr. Ereiser, was also submitted by Plaintiffs in support of their opposition to NDS's Rule 11 motion, filed after Plaintiffs had repeatedly failed to identify any evidentiary support for several key allegations of their complaints. (Opp'n at 6-8.) NDS maintains that the material portions of both declarations are false but cannot demonstrate that falsity without examining Messrs. Ereiser and Scullion.

Because they have been identified as witnesses having knowledge that supports essential and specific allegations of Plaintiffs' 4AC, NDS should be permitted to examine Messrs. Ereiser and Scullion under oath and to obtain relevant documents from them. Yet they both reside in Canada, outside the jurisdiction of

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the U.S. Courts. Accordingly, NDS can only enforce its right to obtain testimony and documents through the assistance of the courts of Canada. NDS therefore submits this application and asks that this Court issue Letters Rogatory requesting that the appropriate Canadian courts order the examination of Messrs. Ereiser and Scullion and their production of relevant documents.

II. WITNESSES

A. Ron Lorne Ereiser

Ron Lorne Ereiser ("Ereiser") is, upon information and belief, a Canadian citizen and a resident of Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. (November 8, 2005 Declaration of Ron Ereiser in Support of Plaintiffs' Opposition to NDS's Motion for Rule 11 Sanctions ¶ 12-20 (attached hereto as Ex. A.)) As noted, Ereiser submitted a declaration in support of Plaintiffs' Opposition to NDS's Rule 11 Motion. Therein, among other things, he made numerous claims about NDS employee Chris Tarnovsky's ("Tarnovsky") alleged involvement in satellite piracy, including supposed association with other pirates, use of websites to publicly disseminate EchoStar conditional access system ("CAS") code using various aliases, and receipt of substantial compensation for involvement in satellite piracy. (Ereiser Decl. ¶¶ 2-20.) Ereiser also claims that Tarnovsky "personally confirmed" that he was the person responsible for posting Plaintiffs' CAS code on the internet (id. ¶ 18), and that Tarnovsky was approached by NDS to assist in the reverse engineering of Plaintiffs' CAS (id. ¶ 25.) These accusations, which NDS strenuously disputes, form the core of Plaintiffs' claims against NDS. Yet Ereiser cannot be subpoenaed by a United States Court.

In addition to offering the Declaration as support for their claims, Plaintiffs have listed Mr. Ereiser as an individual having relevant knowledge of "(a) the initiation, formation, support and/or maintenance of the NDS distribution network as alleged in Plaintiffs' 4AC," "(b) NDS's relationships with various hacker or pirates, … the knowledge by NDS of the acts or omissions of each such

individual, and/or NDS's subsequent express or implied ratification of acts of omissions engaged in by each such individual," "(c) the acts or omissions engaged in by Christopher Tarnovsky for or on behalf of NDS," "(d) certain transfers, transmissions and/or publications of code, information or data obtained by NDS through the hack or reverse engineer [sic] of the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' CAS," and "(e) the acts or omissions engaged in by or on behalf of NDS to promote, facilitate, or otherwise provide assistance relating to the compromise of NDS's own CAS as well as the CAS offered by competitors of NDS including NagraStar, Canal+ and Soge Cable [sic]." (Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1) Disclosures, pp. 7-8 (attached hereto as Ex. B)).

Accordingly, NDS respectfully requests that this Court issue a Letter Rogatory requesting the assistance of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, Canada, and specifically requesting that the Court order Ron Ereiser to appear for examination and to produce documents and provide testimony on the topics specified in the proposed Letter Rogatory submitted herewith, including, but not limited to, the claims made in his declaration, his involvement in satellite piracy, his knowledge of the topics identified by Plaintiffs as ones for which he does or may have knowledge, and any matters tending to show bias against NDS.

B. Reginald Scullion

Reginald Scullion ("Scullion") is, upon information and belief, a Canadian citizen and a resident of Rigaud, Quebec, Canada. Based at least in part on information obtained from Scullion, Plaintiffs allege that NDS instructed Tarnovsky to set up a distribution network to distribute "reprogrammed" EchoStar Access Cards to the pirating public and that Tarnovsky solicited others to operate that network. (4AC ¶ 157-176.) In his declaration, Scullion proclaims that Tarnovsky is his "arch enemy" and describes various purported bad acts allegedly relevant to the 4AC: Tarnovsky's involvement in piracy of Plaintiffs' Access Cards, his use of various internet aliases referenced in the 4AC, his affiliation with

other satellite pirates, NDS's protection and control of the alleged distribution network for pirated EchoStar Access Cards, and the identity of the members of the purported network. (February 16, 2004 Declaration of Reginald Scullion ¶¶ 8-18 (attached hereto as Ex. C.)) Scullion also claims that Tarnovsky and NDS provided the pirates with a reprogramming device to load the EchoStar code onto the Access Cards, enabling the user of the cards to receive free EchoStar programming. (*Id.* at ¶ 19.) Plaintiffs are using these claims by Scullion—claims that NDS vigorously disputes and believes to be false—to support their central allegations of wrongdoing against NDS. Cross-examination of Scullion is therefore crucial, yet he is not subject to subpoena by a United States Court.

In addition to offering the Declaration as support for their claims, Plaintiffs have listed Mr. Scullion in their Rule 26(a)(1) Disclosures as an individual having relevant knowledge of the same topics for which Plaintiffs have identified Mr. Ereiser as having relevant knowledge. (See supra; Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1) Disclosures, pp. 7-8)

Accordingly, NDS respectfully requests that this Court issue a Letter Rogatory requesting the assistance of the Superior Court of Quebec, Canada, and specifically requesting that the Court order Reginald Scullion to appear for examination and to produce documents and provide testimony on the topics specified in the proposed Letter Rogatory submitted herewith, including, but not limited to, the claims made in his declaration, his involvement in satellite piracy, his knowledge of the topics identified by EchoStar as ones for which he does or may have knowledge, and any matters tending to show bias against NDS.

III. LEGAL ANALYSIS

This Court unquestionably has authority to grant NDS's request for letters rogatory. 28 U.S.C. § 1781; Fed. R. Civ. P. 28(b) (providing that a letter rogatory "shall be issued on application and notice and on terms that are just and appropriate"); see also B&L Drilling Electronics v. Totco, 87 F.R.D. 543, 545

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(W.D. Okla. 1978) (noting that "courts have inherent authority to issue letters rogatory") (citing *United States v. Staples*, 256 F.2d 290 (9th Cir. 1958)); *United States v. Reagan*, 453 F.2d 165 (6th Cir. 1971) (federal courts have power to transmit letters rogatory to foreign tribunals). Where the discovery, as here, is directed at issues central to an allegation or defense, courts routinely have exercised their discretion to grant the request.

For example, in B&L Drilling, the court was faced with allegations of breach of contract and fraud in connection with an agreement granting exclusive rights to market oil field electronic products in Canada. 87 F.R.D. at 544. The court granted the defendant's motion to issue letters rogatory directed to the appropriate authority in Canada, requesting oral examination of persons who allegedly knew facts material to the defense and whose depositions were vital to supporting it. Id. at 545. The court noted that "[o]rdinarily on [an application] for the issuance of a letter rogatory, the Court will not weigh the evidence that is to be adduced by deposition and will not attempt to predict, whether, in fact, the witnesses will be able to give the testimony which is sought" and further explained that "there must be some good reason for the Court to deny a party the judicial assistance requested by means of a letter rogatory." Id. at 545; see also Security Ins. Co. of Hartford v. Trustmark Ins. Co., 218 F.R.D. 24, 27 (D. Conn. 2003) ("In determining whether to issue a letter rogatory, evidence sought from the proposed discovery will not be weighed and no attempt will be made to predict whether such evidence will ultimately be obtained through discovery."). The defendants in B&L Drilling claimed that the discovery was necessary and material to their defense; the court found no reason to deny the request, and letters rogatory were issued. 875 F.R.D. at 545. See also United States v. Paraffin Wax, 2255 Bags, 23 F.R.D. 289 (E.D.N.Y. 1959) (court granted request for the issuance of letters rogatory under Rule 28(b)).

In short, courts have routinely issued letters rogatory to appropriate judicial bodies in foreign countries, including Canada, when the discovery sought is

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1	direc	ted at information necessary and material to the case. The Court should issue
2	Lette	ers Rogatory here because the testimony and documents sought thereby are
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4	IV.	CONCLUSION
5		For the foregoing reasons, NDS respectfully requests that the Court issue the
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I am a citizen of the United States and employed in San Francisco, California, at the office of a member of the bar of this Court at whose direction this service was made. I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within action. My business address is 275 Battery Street, Suite 2600, San Francisco, California 94111. On November 14, 2006, I served the following documents:

- NDS'S APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER FOR THE ISSUANCE OF LETTERS ROGATORY AND REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE IN COMPELLING TESTIMONY AND DOCUMENT PRODUCTION FROM RON LORNE EREISER AND REGINALD SCULLION, AND EXHIBITS A-C
- [PROPOSED] LETTER ROGATORY AND REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE RE: RON LORNE EREISER
- [PROPOSED] ORDER FOR ISSUANCE OF LETTER ROGATORY RE: RON LORNE EREISER
- [PROPOSED] LETTER ROGATORY AND REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE RE: REGINALD SCULLION
- [PROPOSED] ORDER FOR ISSUANCE OF LETTER ROGATORY RE: REGINALD SCULLION
 - by placing the above document(s) in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at San Francisco, California, addressed to the persons set forth in the Service List below. I am readily familiar with this firm's practice of collecting and processing correspondence for mailing. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of the party served, service is presumed invalid if the postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing in affidavit.

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2		copy of this declaration, in a sealed envelope designated by the carrier, with delivery fees paid or provided for, for delivery the next business day
3		to the persons set forth in the Service List below, and placing the envelope for collection today by the overnight courier in accordance with
4		the firm's ordinary business practices. I am readily familiar with this firm's practice for collection and processing of overnight courier
5		correspondence. In the ordinary course of business, such correspondence collected from me would be processed on the same day, with fees
6		thereon fully prepaid, and deposited that day in a box or other facility regularly maintained by Federal Express, which is an express carrier.
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8		number(s) set forth in the Service List below. The outgoing facsimile machine telephone number in this office is (415) 984-8701.
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11		persons set forth in the Service List below.
12	×	by sending courtesy copies of the above document(s) in PDF format to the following e-mail addresses: <u>EchoStar-Service@twwlaw.com</u> ,
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I, Ron Lorne Ereiser hereby declare as follows:

- 1. My name is Ron Lorne Ereiser. The facts stated in this declaration are true and correct, are within my personal knowledge and if called to testify concerning them, I could and would testify consistently thereto. I reside at 4679 Deerwood Terrace, Victoria, B.C., Canada. Although it has recently been shut down, while living in Saskatchewan, Canada, I owned and operated an audio-visual business known as Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular for approximately twenty (20) years. The sales of satellite receivers and related equipment made up the majority of sales for Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular.
- 2. While running Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular I became personally acquainted with Christopher [Chris] Tarnovsky (hereinafter "Tarnovsky"). Specifically, I met Tarnovsky in approximately August or September of 1996. During that time Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular was dealing in the sales of P1 smart cards (or "access cards") for the DirecTV satellite system. A smart card is what allows or prevents the end user's access to a particular satellite provider's television programming, such as DirecTV or DISH Network.
- 3. After initially being provided with Tarnovsky's email address through my connections on various websites, I emailed Chris directly at von@metro2000.net. Using this same email address, Chris Tarnovsky communicated with me on several occasions until Chris and his wife Sylvia came to meet me personally approximately four (4) to six (6) weeks after my initial email to Tarnovsky. This meeting took place in Calgary, Alberta.
- 4. The purpose for me contacting Tarnovsky was to discuss the possibility of

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- During my initial meeting with Tarnovsky I supplied him with as much 5. information code as I had on the P1 DirecTV access cards and corresponding "battery cards." A battery card is a hardware satellite pirating device with similar design specifications as an Access Card which allows the user to obtain unauthorized decryption and reception of an encrypted satellite signal. The code provided to Tarnovsky came from the Dallas 5002 processor and the Atmel 89C52 chip utilized by the Pl DirecTV microprocessors. Although it was not necessary to have both the Atmel chip and Dallas processor, Tarnovsky wanted the codes from both so that he could incorporate the code from the Atmel chip into the Dallas processor making the battery cards cheaper to build and give Tarnovsky more control over supporting them. At this time Tarnovsky requested twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) to provide support in the form of a 'fix' or 'patch' for the battery cards distributed by Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular to be paid in the form of "donations" for Tarnovsky to continue to support these cards.
- 6. A couple of months after Tarnovsky wrote the software code for the P1

 DirecTV battery card fix he decided to write a new piece of software code

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referred to as a "bootstrap." A bootstrap is a master program version for
the system being pirated. The purpose of Tarnovsky's bootstrap software
was that it would allow him to load updates onto the P1 DirecTV battery
cards which Tarnovsky would also write to combat future electronic
counter measures ("ecm") undertaken by DirecTV to disable the Pl
battery cards. Tarnovsky requested additional monetary compensation for
each bootstrap in addition to his initial fix of the P1 battery cards
Specifically, Tarnovsky demanded approximately \$1,500 for each
bootstrap code he provided to Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular.

- 7. Tarnovsky continued to provide support for Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular P1 battery cards until they were rendered impotent by the swap out to the P2 cards. I believe this was in approximately October or November of 1997.
 - After the P2 DirecTV cards came out Tarnovsky informed me that he could provide me contact information for engineers that could assist in successfully hacking the P2 smart cards. Specifically, Tarnovsky provided me with the name and contact information of Jan Saggori. Saggori introduced me and Herb Huddleston, a business acquaintance of mine, to two Bulgarian hackers identified as Plamen Donev and Vesselin (Vesco) Nedeltchev. Subsequently, Huddleston traveled to Bulgaria to meet personally with Plamen and Vesco. Following this meeting, Plamen and Vesco agreed to travel to Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, and then to get assisted across the border to the United States, specifically, Montana to begin work on hacking the P2 cards. At this time Tarnvosky indicated that he would temporarily relocate to the Cayman Islands where he would write software to support the eventual P2 hack. Tarnovsky advised that

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the Cayman Islands would be a safer environment for him to work on this software support as he was concerned with the piracy laws in the United States.

- Ultimately, Tarnovsky decided not to relocate to the Cayman Islands to 9. work on the initial software support for the P2 hack. As an explanation for deciding against moving, Tamovsky indicated that he did not want to leave his father in the United States. Plamen and Vesco agreed to travel to the Cayman Islands in order to write the software codes to the P2 cards. Plamen and Vesco completed this stage in approximately one week after traveling to the Cayman Islands. After Plamen and Vesco successfully wrote the software to the P2 cards, they traveled back to Canada to attempt to work on a stand-alone programmer for the P2 cards. Subsequently, Plamen and Vesco returned to Bulgaria.
- 10. Following Plamen and Vesco's return to Bulgaria, Tarnovsky agreed to write software fixes and offer support for the then compromised P2 cards. Tarnovsky then traveled back to Calgary, Canada to meet with myself, Gary Toscholke, David Truthwaite and Gwen Farrel. Upon agreeing to write the software and provide support for the P2 cards, Tarnovsky was paid an initial amount of \$10,000 at the conclusion of the aforementioned Calagary meeting. At this time Tarnovsky was also provided with the ROM dump of the P2 code which was emailed to David Truthwaite in Calgary from Herb Huddleston in the Cayman Islands.
- After approximately one week from the meeting in Calgary between 11. myself, Tarnovsky, Truthwait, Toscholke and Farrel, Tarnovsky had already found a 'back door' into the P2 card and was successfully writing the software to load onto same. At this time, Tarnovsky also developed a

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method to load a unique identifying signatory mark onto the cards Kerrobert's Satellite and Cellular was distributing. During this same time period, Tarnovsky also attempted, unsuccessfully, to solicit my help with hacking the ASIC chip of the P2 card as well as obtaining the dump of another conditional access system's card employed by Galaxy Latin America ("GLA").

- 12. Shortly after Tarnovsky wrote the initial code for the P2 hack he informed me that an individual named Norman Dick had developed another hack on the P2 card which was referred to as the combo card. Subsequently, Tarnovsky was able to break apart this combo card and eventually sent me the schematics and software for same to build my own combo cards and load similar software onto same. Tarnovsky demanded additional payment for this endeavor.
 - Following Tarnovsky's initial work on the P2 hack he continued to provide technical support and periodic fixes for subsequent ecm's aimed at disabling the hacked P2 cards. During this time period Tarnovsky continued to be paid for his services. Pursuant to Tarnvosky's request, he was paid by shipping various electronic components (e.g., Compact Disk players and Digital Video Devices) filled with varying amounts of cash up to and including \$20,000 to his residence in Manassas, Virginia. There was also at least one occasion when Tarnovsky requested that his cash payment be shipped inside of a Playstation PS2 for his father. There was additionally one occasion when Tarnovsky requested payment in the amount of \$5,000 to be shipped to his Father's address and another \$5,000 to be shipped to his Father's address and another \$5,000 to be shipped to his mother's address. It is my understanding that both Tarnovsky's father and mother resided in or around the Manassas,

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Virginia area at the time these payments were shipped.

- 14. In late 1998 Tarnovsky's support for the P2 hack began to suffer and it became obvious that his efforts were being concentrated elsewhere. Tarnovsky informed me in an IRC chat that he was working on "another system". During this same IRC chat I advised Tarnovsky, jokingly, that I was considering possibly dumping the EchoStar code and that I already had the ROM code ready. Although I was not in fact in possession of any part of the EchoStar code, because in late 1998 to my then existing knowledge EchoStar's code had not been hacked, I made these statements to Tarnovsky in an effort to incite his over inflated ego-driven personality. To my complete surprise, Tarnovsky indicated that he was, in fact, in possession of the EchoStar code and that if I forwarded him a portion of my code he had the ability to verify its authenticity.
- 15. In late 1998 freeware for the P2 hack became increasingly available via the internet. The onset of this freeware virtually eliminated Tarnovsky's role in providing software support for the P2 cards. Subsequently, through correspondence I had with Tarnovsky I learned that he was working with an individual named Allen Menard through Menard's website www.dr7.com.
- 16. I originally became acquainted with Menard through an IRC channel called #satellite, which was initially accessible through the EFNET servers. Shortly thereafter, I learned from Tarnovsky that Menard had set up his www.dr7.com website.
- 17. Tarnovsky used this venue, as well as the website www.piratesden.com
 to publicly disseminate the EchoStar code that he possessed using the alias "nIpPeR," "nIpPeR cLaUsE" or substantially similar pseudonyms, as

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well as various posts providing technical support (e.g., commands, fixes, patches and updates, among others) for use in circumventing EchoStar's encryption technology. During the course of my communications with Tarnovsky I am also personally aware that he used other aliases including, von, vonrat, arthur, arthur von neuman, and coleman to communicate within the satellite pirate community.

- 18. Tarnovsky personally confirmed the fact that he was the one responsible for the posting of the EchoStar hack when I spoke with him shortly after his December 2000 internet postings. As a related matter, I learned from a personal meeting I had with John Luyando and a phone conversation I had with Tarnovsky in early to mid-2000, that Oliver Kommerling was in possession of the EchoStar ROM code prior to Tarnovsky's posting of same.
- 19. Additionally, soon after Tarnovsky posted the initial hack on Menard's dr7 website, Tarnovsky requested that I send approximately one hundred battery cards that Tarnovsky had previously provided to me for use in the DirecTV P2 hack to Al Menard for reprogramming for the EchoStar hack. It is my understanding from communications with Tarnovsky that Tarnovsky was the one who provided Menard with this EchoStar card reprogrammer. This reprogrammer was commonly referred to by Tarnovsky by the nickname "the stinger" and was used to reprogram plastic access cards.
- 20. In order for Tarnovsky and Menard to distribute the pirated EchoStar access cards that had been reprogrammed by Menard using the "stinger" provided to him by Tarnovsky, Menard used a select group of individuals or "dealers". Specifically, through personal conversations with each of

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these dealers, I am aware that Tarnovsky and Menard used, among others, Dave Dawson, Sean Quinn, Andy Sergei, Stan Frost, Todd Dales and Brian Sommerfield to distribute Menard's and Tarnovsky's reprogrammed EchoStar access cards.

- 21. With regards to Dave Dawson, I was informed by him that he was present on several occasions where Menard reprogrammed numerous EchoStar smart cards and loaded Tarnovsky's original software fix onto them. I was also informed by Dawson that he was provided reprogrammed EchoStar smart cards by Menard with the modified B3 bootstrap developed by Tarnovsky loaded onto them. I have also seen several email communications from Menard discussing these reprogrammed and bootstrap loaded EchoStar smart cards and the accompanying payment for these.
- 22. With regards to Sean Quinn, I was personally informed by him that he was also selling the Menard/Tarnovsky reprogrammed EchoStar access cards which he obtained from Menard. Additionally, at one point Quinn sent me some files that he was provided by Menard. Upon review of the files, I was able to determine that these files were Menard's own personal dealer files. Significantly, Dawson informed me that they knew the EchoStar fix was provided to Menard by Tarnovsky. I am also aware that certain individuals have email communications from both Menard and Tarnovsky that establishes the relationship between Tarnovsky providing the EchoStar fix via Menard and his dr7 website.
- 23. I am also aware, by way of an email sent to me from Oliver Kommerling, that Menard, as well as Kommerling, had personal knowledge that Tarnovsky was working for or at the direction of NDS during the time

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starting in late 1998 when Tarnovsky was pirating EchoStar's smart ca	ırd
and conditional access system and that Tarnovsky was providing Men	arc
with the EchoStar hack and fixes.	

- 24. During this same time period Stan Frost and Dan Kavanaugh operated a website known as "The New Frontier." During conversations with Kavanaugh, I was informed that the "new frontier group" would send their EchoStar smart cards to Menard for reprogramming with the latest Tarnovsky fix that would combat the most recent ecm disseminated by NagraStar. Kavanaugh further informed me that after Menard reprogrammed these cards, Kavanaugh would redistribute to the new frontier's customers and Kavanaugh would collect a commission from Frost.
- 25. Prior to Tarnovsky posting the initial EchoStar hack and subsequent EchoStar fixes and other technical support, it is my understanding that he was approached by John Norris of NDS to assist NDS in the reverse engineering of the EchoStar access card. I know Norm Dick from my dealings in the DirecTV P1 and P2 cards.
- 26. With regards to Norm Dick, when I was approached by NDS's head of security John Norris in late 1996, Norris requested that I provide NDS with testimony concerning any information I had relating to Norm Dick. In exchange for this testimony, Norris represented to me that I would receive compensation, that NDS and DirecTV would drop their then pending suit against me, and that I could continue engaging in the hack of the DirecTV signal. More disturbingly, however, also during this meeting Norris attempted to persuade me to initiate hacking efforts on the EchoStar signal. Also present during this meeting was an NDS employee

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in Israel named Roni Segoly. I declined Norris' offer on all counts. Accordingly, NDS continued to pursue their civil suit against myself and others.

- 27. I am also aware, and have seen a video taped recording of NDS employees John Norris and Reuven Hasak holding an outdoor meeting with Gary Toscholke, a former satellite pirate, at a restaurant wherein Norris and Reuven Hasak (Security personnel for NDS in the USA and Israel) unequivocally threatened Toscholke in the event that NDS ever caught him in Mexico again, they would apprehend him, bound him, put him in the trunk of a vehicle and haul him across the border.
- I am also aware, and have heard an audio recording of a conversation 28. wherein NDS employee John Norris was conversing with Herb Huddleston's secretary Lisa concerning NDS providing her payment in the amount of \$25,000 if she were to steal proprietary information from Huddleston's computer files. Moreover, Norris even went so far as to advise Lisa on the steps she could take to avoid income tax liability on her receipt of these funds by setting up a temporary account in Canada, which NDS would open for her, under her maiden name and then immediately withdrawing same.
- 29. In closing, I find it important to note that I had a debriefing with the attorneys for DirecTV and NDS in approximately 2000. Present at this meeting were myself. Scott Wilsdon, John Norris and Larry Rissler. Following the debriefing I spoke in private with Mr. Wilsdon regarding the compromise of EchoStar's encryption system. During that conversation, Mr. Wilsdon stated unequivocally that he would not be surprised that NDS was behind the EchoStar hack. Mr. Wilsdon further

stated that the difference between DirecTV and NDS was that Mr. Rissler was formerly employed by the federal government and conducted himself accordingly whereas Mr. Norris was basically a "mercenary" who did not operate by conventional rules, and that he had no intention of continuing to provide legal representation to NDS going forward. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct. Signed and executed on November 84, 2005. /s/ Ron Lorne Ereiser Ku DECLARATION OF RON LORNE EREISER - 12 -

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15	CORPORATION, et al.		
16	Plaintiffs,		
17	v.	PLAINTIFFS' SECOND	
18	NDS GROUP PLC, NDS AMERICAS, INC., et al.,	SUPPLEMENTAL RULE 26(a)(1) DISCLOSURES	
19	Defendants.		
20		Date: September 28, 2006	
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22		Corporation (n/k/a EchoStar Satellite L.L.C.),	
23	EchoStar Communications Corpora	tion, EchoStar Technologies Corporation, and	
24	NagraStar L.L.C. (for convenience l	Plaintiffs are sometimes collectively referred to	
25	as "Plaintiffs" or "EchoStar") her	eby submit their Second Supplemental Rule	
26	26(a)(1) Disclosures to Defendants	NDS Group PLC and NDS Americas, Inc.	
27	(collectively referred to as "Defenda	nts" or "NDS"). EchoStar makes the following	
28	Rule 26 Disclosures based upon info	ormation presently known and EchoStar hereby	

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A. Individuals Likely to Have Discoverable Information that EchoStar May Use to Support its Claims.

NDS Group PLC and NDS Americas, Inc. Officers, Directors, Employees and Representatives:

1. The following individuals may have relevant knowledge of: (a) NDS's goals, motivations and/or intentions behind the hack or reverse engineer of the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' Conditional Access System ("CAS") and/or the extraction of the proprietary ROM and EEPROM codes and related data contained therein: (b) the methods employed by or on behalf of NDS to hack or reverse engineer the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' CAS and/or the extraction of the proprietary ROM and EEPROM codes and related data contained therein; (c) the individuals involved and locations or facilities utilized by or on behalf of NDS to hack or reverse engineer the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' CAS and/or the extraction of the proprietary ROM and EEPROM codes and related data contained therein; (d) each transfer, transmission and/or publication by or on behalf of NDS of codes, information or data obtained by NDS through the hack or reverse engineer of the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' CAS and/or the extraction of the proprietary ROM and EEPROM codes and related data contained therein both within and outside of NDS, and the intent and/or purpose behind each such transfer. transmission and/or publication, including any alleged authority or lack thereof relating to each such transfer, transmission and/or publication; NDS's relationships with various satellite hackers or pirates, the extent and nature of each such relationship, the knowledge by NDS of the acts or omissions of each such individual, and/or NDS's subsequent express or implied ratification of acts or omissions engaged in by each such individual; (f) the initiation, formation, support and/or maintenance of the NDS distribution network as alleged in Plaintiffs' Fourth Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1)

Amended Complaint ("4AC"), including the activities engaged in by or on behalf or
NDS's employees or agents such as creating an unlawful reprogramming device
using same to unlawfully modify legitimate EchoStar Access Cards or produce
altered or unauthorized EchoStar Access Cards, the advertisement, sale, distribution
or other trafficking in unlawfully modified or unauthorized EchoStar Access Cards
and/or the subsequent providing of technical support for same; and/or (g) the acts
or omissions engaged in by Christopher Tarnvosky for or on behalf of NDS, upor
NDS's request, direction, instruction or control, either in whole or in part, relating
to the assistance provided by NDS and/or Tarnovsky to the NDS distribution
network in furtherance of the assistance to or facilitation of individuals
compromising Plaintiffs' CAS, including all revenues received by or on behalf of
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The NDS Distribution Network:

2. The following individuals may have relevant knowledge of: (a) the initiation, formation, support and/or maintenance of the NDS distribution network as alleged in Plaintiffs' 4AC, including some or all of the participants in said Distribution Network and/or their role therein, the activities engaged in by or on behalf of NDS's employees or agents such as creating an unlawful reprogramming device, using same to unlawfully modify legitimate EchoStar Access Cards or produce altered or unauthorized EchoStar Access Cards, the advertisement, sale, distribution or other trafficking in unlawfully modified or unauthorized EchoStar Access Cards and/or the subsequent providing of technical support for same; (b) NDS's relationships with various satellite hackers or pirates, the extent and nature of each such relationship, the knowledge by NDS of the acts or omissions of each such individual, and/or NDS's subsequent express or implied ratification of acts or omissions engaged in by each such individual; (c) the acts or omissions engaged in by Christopher Tarnvosky for or on behalf of NDS, upon NDS's request. direction, instruction or control either in whole or in part relating to the assistance provided by NDS and/or Tarnovsky to the NDS distribution network in furtherance of the assistance to or facilitation of individuals compromising Plaintiffs' CAS, including all revenues received by or on behalf of Tarnovsky and/or NDS's knowledge of same; (d) acts or omissions engaged in by or on behalf of NDS to promote, facilitate or otherwise provide assistance relating to the compromise of NDS's own CAS as well as the CAS offered by competitors of NDS including NagraStar, Canal+ and Soge Cable; and/or (e) certain transfers, transmissions and/or publications of codes, information or data obtained by NDS through the hack or reverse engineer of the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' CAS and/or the extraction of the proprietary ROM and EEPROM codes and related data contained therein, including potential knowledge of all individuals involved in each such Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1) Disclosures

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Other Individuals Involved Directly or Indirectly in Satellite Piracy Activities:

The following individuals may have relevant knowledge of: (a) the

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provided by NDS and/or Tarnovsky to the NDS distribution network in furtherance

of the assistance to or facilitation of individuals compromising Plaintiffs' CAS,

including all revenues received by or on behalf of Tarnovsky and/or NDS's

knowledge of same; (d) certain transfers, transmissions and/or publications of

initiation, formation, support and/or maintenance of the NDS distribution network as alleged in Plaintiffs' 4AC, including some or all of the participants in said Distribution Network and/or their role therein, the activities engaged in by or on behalf of NDS's employees or agents such as creating an unlawful reprogramming device, using same to unlawfully modify legitimate EchoStar Access Cards or produce altered or unauthorized EchoStar Access Cards, the advertisement, sale, distribution or other trafficking in unlawfully modified or unauthorized EchoStar Access Cards and/or the subsequent providing of technical support for same; (b) NDS's relationships with various satellite hackers or pirates, the extent and nature of each such relationship, the knowledge by NDS of the acts or omissions of each such individual, and/or NDS's subsequent express or implied ratification of acts or omissions engaged in by each such individual; (c) the acts or omissions engaged in by Christopher Tarnovsky for or on behalf of NDS, upon NDS's request, direction, instruction or control either in whole or in part relating to the assistance

1	the microprocessor used in Plaintiffs' CAS and/or the extraction of the proprietary
2	ROM and EEPROM codes and related data contained therein, including potentia
3	knowledge of all individuals involved in each such transfer, transmission and/or
4	publication and NDS's knowledge of same; (e) acts or omissions engaged in by or
5	on behalf of NDS to promote, facilitate or otherwise provide assistance relating to
6	the compromise of NDS's own CAS as well as the CAS offered by competitors of
7	NDS including NagraStar, Canal+ and Soge Cable.
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Public or Private Individuals and/or Entities Involved in the Investigation of Satellite Piracy:

4. The following individuals may have relevant knowledge of: (a) investigative efforts and results thereof concerning the unlawful circumvention and/or assistance thereof of Plaintiffs', Canal+'s, Soge Cable's or other CAS's providers technology, including all links or relationships or evidence thereof between NDS and any of the individuals targeted by or identified through all such investigative efforts; and (b) transfers of monies by, between, on behalf of, or at the direction or request of Christopher Tarnovsky and Allen Menard relating to the circumvention of Plaintiffs', Canal+'s or Soge Cable's CAS including any assistance or facilitation of others in any such circumvention, including all such transfers occurring through Mailboxes & More in San Marcos, Texas via the account set up by or on behalf of Christopher Tarnovsky.

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EchoStar/NagraStar:

5. The following individuals may have relevant knowledge of: (a) the CAS or any part thereof provided by Plaintiff NagraStar to Plaintiff EchoStar for use in regulating access to the encrypted signals transmitted by EchoStar in connection with its operation of its DBS services; (b) efforts engaged in by Plaintiffs to combat, thwart or otherwise control the unlawful circumvention of its CAS; (c) investigative efforts and results thereof concerning the initial extraction of the proprietary codes, data and other information contained in the microprocessor embedded in Plaintiffs' Access Cards; (d) investigative efforts and results thereof concerning the unlawful circumvention of Plaintiffs' CAS subsequent to the initial extraction of the proprietary codes, data or other information contained in the microprocessor embedded in Plaintiffs' Access Cards; and/or (e) damages and injuries suffered by Plaintiffs as a result of the acts and omissions alleged in Plaintiffs' 4AC.

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Other Individuals:

Employees of Mail & More, San Marcos, Texas 78666: These individuals may have relevant knowledge of the packages and monies sent to Christopher Tarnovsky by various pirates, hackers, and distributors of pirated EchoStar access cards. They may be contacted at (703)-850-2337.

Sylvia Tarnovsky: Mrs. Tarnovsky may have relevant knowledge of the NDS's initial compromise of Plaintiffs' CAS; the publication of Plaintiffs' proprietary information to third parties including, but not limited to, various publications on the internet; the design, manufacture, sale and subsequent providing of technical support of and for unlawful reprogramming or other circumvention devices used by Christopher Tarnovsky, Allen Menard and the NDS distribution network to compromise and assist others in compromising Plaintiffs' CAS; the employment, agency or other relationship between NDS and various satellite hackers and pirates, including Allen Menard and the NDS distribution network; and all directions, ratifications, or instructions from NDS relating to the compromise of Plaintiffs' CAS. Her contact information is unknown at this time.

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1	B. Description by Category and Location of Documents, Data
2	Compilations, and Tangible Things.
. 3	The following documents are in the possession, custody, or control o
4	Plaintiffs:
5	 Witness statements related to the allegations in the 4AC;
6	 Emails related to the allegations in the 4AC;
7	• Documents related to the Canal+ v. NDS litigation, Direct TV v. NDS
8	litigation, and Soge Cable v. NDS litigation;
9	Documents related to the electronic countermeasures utilized by
10	Plaintiffs to counter piracy;
11	 Posts and threads regarding hack of EchoStar's Access Cards;
. 12	Posts and threads regarding Al Menard and DR7 website;
13	 Posts and threads regarding Christopher Tarnovsky;
14	Promotional material of NDS;
15	Print advertising of NDS;
16	Correspondence from NDS to EchoStar;
17	Upon information and belief, the following documents are in the possession
18	custody, or control of Defendants:
19	Documents concerning the reverse engineering of EchoStar's Access
20	Cards;
21	Documents concerning Defendants' relationship with other pirates;
22	hackers, and distributors of pirated EchoStar Access cards;
23	Documents concerning Governmental Agency Investigations of
24	Defendants and their employees;
25	• Documents concerning the Canal+ v. NDS litigation, Direct TV v.
26	NDS litigation, and Soge Cable v. NDS litigation;
27	 Documents concerning payments to Defendants and their employees
28	from pirates, hackers, and distributors of pirated EchoStar Access Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1)
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- Any and all software, hardware, equipment, and/or other devices used by Defendants in connection with the reverse engineering of EchoStar's Access Cards;
- Documents concerning patches, software, updates, codes, repair commands, fixes, or other technical support relating to legitimate or pirated EchoStar Access Cards;
- Any documents listed by Defendants in their Rule 26(a)(1) Disclosures.

Discovery may reveal the existence of additional documents relevant to this litigation.

Computation of any Category of Claimed Damages. C.

EchoStar is still in the process of calculating its damages. EchoStar will disclose a completed damage model at a later time after all computations have been completed. EchoStar anticipates that its damage model will include, but not be limited to, the following:

Damages for loss of subscription and pay per view revenue for each pirated access card created/manufactured by Defendants.1

Damages for loss of subscription and pay per view revenue for each pirated access card created as a result of Defendants' posting of Plaintiffs' code on or about December 2000.

Damages for research and development costs associated with updating Plaintiffs' technology to prevent the unauthorized decryption of programming.

Damages for investigative expenses associated with piracy.

Damages for costs associated with the swap out of over 7 million of Plaintiffs' access cards.

responsible for the creation of at least 50,000 cards Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1)

On or about July 23, 1999, Christopher Tarnovsky sent an email from epr126@webtv.net to Alan Guggenheim, President of NagraStar, at guggenheim@nagra.com wherein Tarnovsky openly acknowledged that NDS was

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1	Damages for legal expenses and costs.		
2	Statutory damages pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117.		
3	Statutory damages pursuant to 17 U.S.C. § 1203.		
4	Statutory damages pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2520.		
5	Statutory damages pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 605.		
6	EchoStar hereby reserves its right to amend its Rule 26 disclosures.		
7	D. Insurance Agreements:		
8	None that EchoStar is presently aware of.		
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PROOF OF SERVICE

I. Melissa Gaunt, declare:

I am a resident of the State of Texas and over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to the within action; my business address is 2401 Fountainview, Suite 700, Houston, Texas 77057.

On September 28, 2006, I served the foregoing documents described as: Plaintiffs' Second Supplemental Rule 26(a)(1) Disclosures.

- by transmitting via facsimile the document(s) listed above to the fax number(s) set forth below on this date.
- by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the United States mail at Houston, Texas addressed as set forth below.
- by causing personal delivery by Federal Express of the of the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.
- by causing personal delivery via MESSENGER of the document(s) listed above to the person(s) at the address(es) set forth below.

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST

I am readily familiar with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of the arty served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than one day after the date of deposit for mailing in affidavit.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Texas that the above is true and correct.

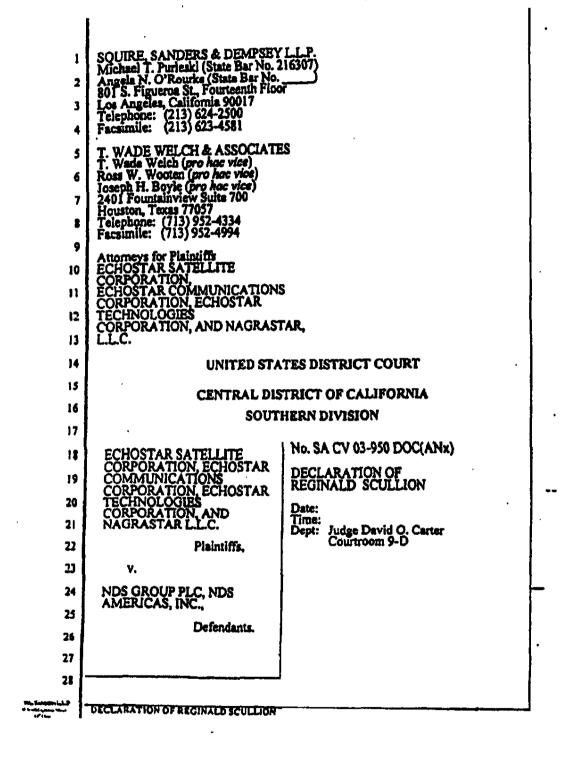
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned notary public, on this day, personally appeared Reginald "Reg" Scullion, a person whose identity is known to me. After I administered the oath to him, and being duly sworn, he stated as follows:

- My name is Reginald Scullion. I am over 18 years of age and am duly competent in all respects to make this affidavit. The facts stated herein are based upon my own personal knowledge, unless otherwise stated, and are true, accurate, to the best of my current knowledge, and correct. If called to testify in the above styled and numbered cause, I would provide sworn testimony in accordance with the facts stated herein.
- I have been involved in the satellite television business generally since 2. approximately 1980 owning a satellite installation and receiver repair business. I temporarily retired from the satellite business in 1994 due my pursuit of other business opportunities, in addition to personal health issues, among other reasons. I returned to the satellite business in approximately July 1996 whereupon I went back into the satellite sales and service industry.
- Upon my return to the satellite sales and service industry in approximately 3. the middle of 1996, I began selling DBS systems for the DirecTV satellite system. I purchased my products from distributors such as DSI, New Advanced Technologies, and Zed Marketing, among others. I sold DirecTV products locally and over the Internet. I also installed the DBS systems for my customers and assisted in the activation of the customers' DirecTV subscription accounts. For activation assistance, I dealt with grey marketers. specifically New Advanced Technologies in Quebec and Zed Marketing in Ontario. I was involved in selling systems with both altered and unaltered Access Cards which were both believed to be legal in Canada due both to the reading of the law and to Canadian court rulings which constantly said that it was legal to decode systems that were not those of authorized distributors in

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I would obtain the hacked cards from my DirecTV distributors Canada. and from grey marketers in Canada. Hacked DirecTV Access Cards were sold very openly at that time since they were considered to be totally legal. Since I was quite knowledgeable with computers, I was also writing some of my own code for the DirecTV Access Cards and was programming my own DirecTV Access Cards which were purchased directly from DirecTV on my behalf and for this purpose. I also had manufactured my own "green cards" and programmers/unicopers, bootstrap writers, and other signal reception devices, deemed legal in Canada. I had purchased a large quantity of DirecTV Access Cards through various authorized DirecTV dealers who were actually Canadians known to DTV such as Z-Marketing and others and those cards came directly from DirecTV.

- On or about November 4, 1998, my business (Avantec, Inc.) was raided by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police ("RCMP"). As a result of the raid, the RCMP seized (1) satellite and non-satellite equipment, (2) approximately \$5.5 million dollars in my bank accounts and safety deposit boxes belonging to me and several other members of my family, and (3) approximately 12,000 new DirecTV Access Cards purchased from DTV. The Canadian government is still in possession of these seized items.
- 5: I am currently the owner and operator of a website named www.legalrights.org, which focuses primarily on the anti-piracy of satellite television systems in Canada and the United States in addition to general news, publications, commentaries, and updates on the battle against satellite piracy.
- 6. I am also currently an Administrator on several other websites including www.piratesden.com. www.outermatrix.com. www.dsachat.com. www.freedomfight.ca, and www.digital-law.org, among others. My responsibilities as an Administrator include reviewing, controlling, deleting,

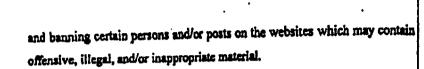
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- Due to my status as an Administrator on these websites, among others, I have and/or had complete access to the control panels on all of these websites, among others, which enables me to view all of the information that members and other Administrators post in their registration sheets, as well as, all related information obtained on these people which is stored in the websites' databases. A member's personal information provided in their registration sheet is also often useful in obtaining additional information related to that person from other websites since people are often members of several different website forums at the same time and members often use the same password from website to website. Accordingly, members' IP addresses, real names, and much other information can be obtained by cross-referencing the members' information in different forums. In this way I can be sure that a person on one web site is the same person as uses a different Nick on a different website.
- 8. Through my work as an Administrator on pirate websites and forums, I initially became familiar with Christopher Tarnovsky ("Tarnovsky") in approximately middle of 1996 and engaged in numerous telephone and email correspondence exchanges regarding satellite piracy.
- In or about late 1996, Tarnovsky was working with Ron Ereiser ("Ereiser") in Kerrobert Manitoba developing and distributing "battery cards." Shortly after the "battery card" release, Tarnovsky and Ereiser abandoned their customers and refused to provide support for the "battery cards" for a few months. At some time thereafter, "L-cards" and "T-cards" were released to compensate for this lack of support in the battery cards. I decided to provide support for the "L-cards" and "T-cards" in terms of coding and programming.

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in part, because Tarnovsky and Erelser had abandoned people and were not providing technical support for these cards. In fact, Tarnovsky accused me of stealing his code from the "battery card" because Tarnovsky knew that the DS5000 DALLAS chip on the "L-Card" could be pulled, and thus a good programmer could reprogram the file to support "battery cards" he had designed by Norman Dick; however, this was not the case and I did not steal Tarnovsky's code. As a result of Tarnovsky and Ereiser abandoning people and not providing technical support for the "L-cards" and "T-cards," and my subsequent decision to support these persons and devices, Tarnovsky and I became arch enemies starting in approximately October 1996. Accordingly, Tarnovsky spent a lot of time on the Internet chat rooms and forums criticizing me and calling me names thinking I was dumping his cards.

- As a result of my providing support and my disagreements with Tarnovsky, on or about January 29, 1997, Tarnovsky, using the nickname "biggun," sent me an email from "bg@wbm.ca" wherein he threatened me and established his relationship with NDS, formerly NDC. (Attached hereto as Exhibit A.) Tarnovsky's email stated, among other things, "[i]f 1 am against you, you will not have happy customers under your side. I give you the tv and 1 can remove the tv." Concerning my failure to respond to his offer, Tarnovsky stated that if he did not hear back from me, he would "consider you [Scullion] a threat to me [Tarnovsky] and commence something very drastic soon after. I may just give the source to NDC. I am sure they will purchase it from me and if I agree to stop, then your world stops also You could have been a distro. point for us . . Instead you are a thefe." Tarnovsky then signs off, "bye! biggun." At this time, I came to believe that Tarnovsky had a relationship with NDC and/or NDS.
- In or about fall 1998, Al Menard ("Menard"), owner and operator of

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www.dr7.com, first approached me wherein he informed me that he was involved in a plan to be the Canadian leader in distributing Pirated EchoStar Access Cards. Menard inquired as to whether I was interested in participating in his distribution network. I declined his offer.

12. Shortly thereafter, Tamovsky disappeared entirely from the IRC forums. In approximately September 1998, I noticed that Tamovsky had reemerged and began posting and chatting on www.dr7.com website under the nickname "Swiss Cheese Productions" ("SCP"). The "SCP" consisted of Tamovsky and Menard who had sub-distributors acting at the direction and supervision of Menard. The "SCP" initially posted certain EchoStar "freeware" (which is software that people do not need to pay for as it is offered "free" on the Internet on the website www.dr7.com. I did not pay much attention to "SCP's" operations and the freeware posts because they were directed at the EchoStar system, a system that I was not interested in and/or involved with, and a system that no known hack was available for at that time, even though Tamovsky and Menard were promising a release of the back shortly.

13. On or about early 1999, Menard personally contacted me by telephone wherein he invited me to become a moderator on his website, www.dr7.com. Shortly thereafter, I was made an Administrator. Consistent with my current responsibilities as an administrator on the current websites that I am an Administrator on, my responsibilities as both a Moderator and an Administer on Menard's website, www.dr7.com, included reviewing, controlling, deleting, and banning certain persons and/or posts on the website. At or about the same time, I was also an Administrator on both a DSS chat (www.risestar.com) and Sean Quinn's website (www.hitecsst.com). As a result of my Administrator position, I had possession of certain users'

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passwords and could access their accounts. For example, I had passwords that belonged to Tarnovsky, Sean Quinn, and Dave Dawson.

- Shortly thereafter, on or about early 1999, I verified that Tarnovsky was part of the "SCP." I initially discussed particular that posts made by "SCP" with other administrators on a private forum that on the DR7 website wherein I commented about the similarities between "SCP" and Tarnovsky's previous posts he made as using other nicknames including, but not limited to, "Scatman Cran," "Von," "Vonrola," "Big Gun," "Shrimp," and "Nipper." Shortly thereafter, I also reviewed the information on "SCP's" profile and compared the passwords and IP addresses of "SCP" with that of Tarnovsky's other nicknames including, but not limited to, "Scatman Cran," "Von," "Vonrola," "Big Gun," "Shrimp," and "Nipper." The results of such a search revealed that "SCP's" and Tarnovsky's other nicknames' and IP addresses were identical and that the same anonymizer was used for both when they differed.
- 15. Tarnovsky also registered the nicknames Von, Vonrola, and Nipper on the DR7 website on the same day. I have personal knowledge of this fact because, due to my status as administrator which allowed me to access particular files and databases on the DR7 website, I had full access to the Control Panel which showed all registrations, IP addresses, and complete information on all of the members of the DR7 website. Although these files do not contain specific "CHRISTIAN" names, one can confirm the identity of certain users by cross-referencing email addresses and passwords contained in users' registration profiles. Moreover when people post, the IP address they use can be determined and traced back to the actual person. Examples of registration profiles of Tarnovsky's slisses include, but are not limited to, the following information: (a) Von | phoenix

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16. My investigation as to the identity of Tarnovsky being the same person who was using the nicknames "SCP," "Scatman Cran," "Von," "Vonrola," "Big Gun," "Shrimp," and "Nipper," among others, was further strengthened once Menard instructed me to no longer perform my administration duties, including monitoring, with respect to any posts made by Tarnovsky, "SCP," "Scatman Cran," "Von," "Big Gun," "Shrimp," or "Nipper," among other known nicknames used by Tarnovsky.

17. On or about April 1999, Menard approached me a second time to solicit my participation in his distribution network to sell Pirated EchoStar Access Cards. During this conversation, Menard informed me that he was "close to receiving a full hack of the EchoStar system" and, because of the pirate community's past interest in Swiss Cheese Production's products, Menard's distribution plan was a guaranteed money maker. Menard also informed me that the distribution network was going to have something special attached with its operation: the protection and control of NDS. Menard informed me that NDS was the entity whom had ordered the hack and the distribution of Pirated EchoStar Access Cards through Menard's distribution network via Tarnovsky. Menard informed me that NDS had an arrangement with Tarnovsky to provide the support and facilitation of the hacked EchoStar ROM Code to be sent to Menard to be used in the distribution network.

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Menard also informed me that I had nothing to worry about with respect to being raided by the RCMP due to the fact that NDS would be running interference in the distribution network and that NDS was connected and had a solid relationship with the RCMP. Menard then instructed me to get over my prior disagreements with Tamovsky because this was such a good deal that I should not pass up.

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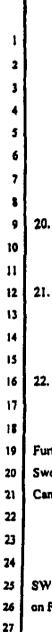
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On or about November 1999, I spoke with Menard wherein he informed me that the Pirated EchoStar Access Cards were "ready to be distributed to the public," he had certain vendors in place, and that he wanted me to be one of those vendors. Menard informed me that the vendors who had agreed to participate in the distribution network included Sean Quinn (a/k/a "Hitee" d/b/a www.hiteesat.com), Andre Sergei (a/k/a "Koin" d/b/a www.koinvizion.com), Dave Dawson (a/k/a "JD," "Jack Daniels," "John Gotti," and "Teflon Don" d/b/s www.discountsatellite.com and www.dsscanada.com), and Stan Frost (a/k/a "Frosty" and "Wheels" d/b/a www.thenewfrontiergroup.com).

 19. During this November 1999 discussion, Menard informed me that his role in the distribution network was that of the reprogrammer and that he had four vendors (Quinn, Sergei, Dawson, and Frost, among others) who agreed to be the persons responsible for delivering EchoStar Access Cards to Menard. Once received, Menard would use the equipment he was provided with and received from NDS via Tarnovsky to reprogram, update, and otherwise load EchoStar's Code onto the Access Cards (which resulted in the Access Card becoming "hacked" or "pirated" thus enabling the user to receive unauthorized DISH Network television programming). I specifically recall other Administrators on Menard's DR7 website requesting from Menard that

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he reprogram EchoStar Access Cards for them. Menard would respond by requesting that the Administrators send the cards to him and, once the Access Cards had been reprogrammed, Menard would return the Pirated EchoStar Access Cards to the vendor who, in turn, would return the card to the customer to complete the transaction. These transactions occurred between Canada and the United States, among other places. Customers were charged approximately \$300-400 USD which payment was sent from the United States to Canada, among other places.

- In fact, Quinn ("Hitec") told me on numerous occasions that he was traveling 20. to Menard's place of business in order to deliver EchoStar Access Cards for reprogramming in furtherance of their distribution network.
- Although I did not want to tell Menard ("DR7") much about my personal 21. affairs, I was not interested in working in his distribution network because I had sold my business and was no longer interested in selling any products in the satellite piracy business. As a result, I respectfully declined his offer.
- I have received approximately 20 emails from Tarnovsky and approximately 50-100 emails from Menard that support the facts as stated herein.

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