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**Re: Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. et al. v. Intel Corporation, et al.,
C.A. No. 05-441-JJF;
In re Intel Corporation Microprocessor Antitrust Litigation,
MDL No. 05-1717-JJF;
Phil Paul et al. v. Intel Corporation, C.A. No. 05-485-JJF;**

Dear Counsel:

Upon review of Intel's March 18, 2009 application for a Protective Order "requiring AMD to return and refrain from further use of the European Commission's Statement of Objections" (DM 27), I have decided to forestall issuing a Report and Recommendation on (DM 26) at this time.

I have also decided to invite the European Commission to express its view on issues that are implicated by both DM 26 and DM 27.

Yours very truly,



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