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

AMENDED STANDING ORDER REGARDING
VENUE AND JURISDICTIONAL DISCOVERY LIMITS FOR PATENT CASES

The Court hereby establishes presumptive limits on discovery related to venue and jurisdiction in patent cases. More specifically, each party is limited to 5 interrogatories, 10 Requests for Production, and 10 hours of deposition testimony. The time to respond to such discovery requests is reduced to twenty (20) days. To the extent a party believes these limits should be expanded in a particular case, the party is directed to meet and confer with opposing counsel and if an impasse is reached, the requesting party is directed to contact the Court for a telephonic hearing.

The Court **ORDERS** that any venue or jurisdictional discovery shall be completed no later than three months after the filing of the initial motion. The deadline for Plaintiffs response is two weeks after the completion of venue or jurisdictional discovery. The deadline for Defendant's reply is two weeks after the filing of the response. This Order replaces the Standing Order Regarding Venue and Jurisdictional Discovery Limits for Patent Cases entered November 19, 2020.

SIGNED this 8th day of June, 2021.

ALAN D ALBRIGHT
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE