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Plaintiff Ashley Gjovik ("Plaintiff") and Defendant Apple Inc. ("Defendant" or "Apple,"
 and collectively with Plaintiff, the "Parties") hereby jointly submit this Joint Case Management
 Statement in advance of the August 28, 2024 Case Management Conference.

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I.

#### JURISDICTION AND SERVICE

This Court has diversity jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332 because the amount in
controversy exceeds \$75,000 and the Parties are diverse. Defendant has been served.

#### II. <u>FACTS</u>

<u>Plaintiff's Position</u>: Apple Inc. intentionally engaged in a course of unlawful conduct and
unfair business practices that resulted in direct, severe, and ongoing harm to Ashley Gjovik as a
neighbor and community member, as an employee, and as a consumer. This lawsuit arises from
Apple's reckless disregard of environmental regulations and safety requirements around two Santa
Clara County properties starting in 2015. Apple's acts and omissions resulted in severe and nearly
fatal physical injuries to Gjovik in 2020, creating continued and present suffering.

14 Gjovik's complaints and inquiries to Apple about toxic waste in 2021 were swiftly met with 15 retaliation and intimidation, including the adverse employment actions of unfavorable 16 reassignment, interrogations, surveillance, five weeks of mandatory administrative leave, sabotage, 17 denial of benefits and opportunities, suspension, wrongful termination, disparagement, defamation 18 by reason of termination, denylisting, and more harassment. In the years that followed, Defendant 19 engaged in extensive surveillance of Plaintiff and trespass of her property, including repeated 20 burglaries and stalking. Defendant continues to terrorize Plaintiff ongoing, destroyed her reputation 21 and employability, erased her life savings, and has generally made her life utterly miserable.

<u>Defendant's Position</u>: Plaintiff worked for Defendant from February 2015 until Defendant terminated her employment in September 2021 because she disclosed confidential product-related information in breach of her confidentiality obligations and then refused to meaningfully participate in the internal investigation regarding that disclosure. In January 2015, Plaintiff signed a confidentiality agreement prohibiting Plaintiff from disclosing any confidential information without Apple's consent. In July 2018, Plaintiff voluntarily agreed to participate in a confidential user study of an internal and proprietary application (the "Application") and agreed to maintain

1 strict confidentiality. On August 28, 2021, Plaintiff publicly disclosed on Twitter (now known as 2 X) details about a proprietary study Defendant was conducting about a confidential Apple product 3 (the "Product") that Plaintiff had agreed to keep confidential. On August 30, 2021, Plaintiff tweeted 4 photographs and a video of herself created by the Application, thus disclosing Apple confidential 5 information, and linked to a story published in a technology blog, in which she disclosed her 6 participation in the Application study. Upon learning of her unauthorized disclosures, Defendant 7 began an investigation. On September 9, 2021, an Apple investigator requested to speak with 8 Plaintiff. Plaintiff refused to be interviewed. Defendant completed its investigation, concluded that 9 Plaintiff had violated her confidentiality agreements and Apple policy, and terminated her 10 employment. Apple had likewise terminated the employment of other employees found to have 11 violated their confidentiality obligations. In addition to her employment claims, Plaintiff asserts 12 various torts against Defendant primarily related to a separate facility at 3250 Scott Blvd. Defendant 13 denies any wrongdoing.

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#### III. LEGAL ISSUES

15 Plaintiff's Position: Legal issues include causation, nexus, intent, negligence, pretext, fraud, 16 protected activities, fairness, and risk. There will be multiple "Reasonable Person" exercises including foreseeability, expectation, severity, outrage, consent, offensiveness, endurance, and 17 18 interference. The "*Right to Know*" will be a recurring theme. This case also involves several novel 19 legal issues requiring policy arguments and creative advocacy from both parties related to privacy, 20 surveillance, biometrics, expression, hazards, chemical exposure, consent in the employment 21 context, and personal data collection for commercial research and development.

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22 Defendant's Position: It is too early to determine the legal issues until after the pleadings 23 have been determined, but they may include: whether Plaintiff engaged in protected activity under Cal. Labor Code §§ 98.6, 232.5, 1102.5, and/or 6310 and/or Tameny, and, if so, whether the 25 protected activity was a substantial motivating reason for Defendant's decision to terminate 26 Plaintiff's employment; whether Plaintiff is entitled to any relief and if so, the type and/or amount; 27 and whether Plaintiff has adequately mitigated any damages she claims to have incurred.

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# IV. <u>MOTIONS</u>

<u>Plaintiff's Position</u>: Depending on the outcome of pending meet and confer, Plaintiff is
preparing to file a motion to Magistrate Judge Westmore requesting assistance regarding privilege
logs and redactions, failure to disclose key witnesses and information, and the very small
production produced by Defendant for the employment and labor claims.

<u>Defendant's Position</u>: Defendant filed a motion to dismiss on July 15, 2024 regarding
certain claims in the now-operative Fourth Amended Complaint. Defendant may file a motion for
summary judgment under Rule 56 for resolution of any outstanding issues.

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# AMENDMENT OF PLEADINGS

<u>Plaintiff's Position</u>: As this is complex litigation covering multiple legal subject areas,
 Plaintiff expects she will need to amend her complaint again prior to trial to conform with evidence
 identified during discovery and/or as the issues narrow and crystalize. Plaintiff will respectfully
 request leave to amend if any of Defendant's upcoming 12(b)(6) requests are granted, and
 proactively proposed possible supplements in Dock. 93 if pleadings are found to be incomplete.

15 <u>Defendant's Position</u>: Plaintiff filed a Fourth Amended Complaint on June 17, 2024;
 16 Defendant filed a motion to dismiss on July 15, 2024. No further amendments should be permitted.

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#### VI. <u>EVIDENCE PRESERVATION</u>

The Parties have reviewed the Guidelines Relating to the Discovery of Electronically Stored
Information and have met and conferred pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(f)
regarding reasonable and proportionate steps taken to preserve evidence relevant to the issues
reasonably evident in this action.

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# VII. <u>DISCLOSURES</u>

<u>Plaintiff's Position:</u> Plaintiff provided Initial Disclosures to Defendant following their
 meet/confer, as required by Rule 26(a)(1). Plaintiff is currently drafting a supplemented version
 and plans to complete disclosures and initial discovery by September 16 2024. Plaintiff had to
 purchase discovery software and is currenting reviewing and tagging documents in the tool.

Defendant has not provided complete Initial Disclosures under GO71 or for other claims.
Defendant still has not disclosed to Plaintiff who was involved in making the decision to terminate

her employment, the timing of that decision, or their investigations into her and her complaints.

<u>Defendant's Position</u>: Defendant timely complied with the initial disclosure requirements of General Order 71 ("GO 71"). Plaintiff has not complied with GO 71's requirements. Pursuant to the July 16, 2024 Initial Case Management Conference minutes (Dkt. 80), Defendant intends to complete its Rule 26 disclosures and exchange of high-level documents by September 16, 2024, to the extent that any non-employment claims remain following a ruling on Apple's pending motions.

- VIII. <u>DISCOVERY</u>
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# **Discovery taken to date:**

9 <u>Plaintiff's Position:</u> Defendant produced a very small batch of documents under GO71 but most
10 of the records are not material (they are things Plaintiff already has) and reveals very little.

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# • Scope of anticipated discovery:

Defendant's Position: None.

Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff believes the scope should be nonprivileged matters that are
relevant to any party's claim or defense, but Defendant has already refused to provide basic records.
Defendant has even refused to provide Plaintiff's Employee Relations file, her 2021 performance
review, anything related to the decision to fire her other than final approval, or any of the
agreements Plaintiff signed during her employment other than the offer letter and IPA. Plaintiff
expects to need Judge Westmore's assistance in negotiating scope and production with Apple.

<u>Defendant's Position</u>: Apple expects that the parties will comply with the Court's
instruction in the July 16, 2024 Initial Case Management Conference minutes (Dkt. 80) to complete
Rule 26 disclosures and exchange high-level documents on or before September 16, 2024. After
that point, Apple anticipates propounding and responding to discovery targeted to the claims and
defenses that remain part of the case once the Court has ruled on Apple's pending motion to dismiss
and the pleadings are settled, and will seek the assistance of Magistrate Judge Westmore as needed.

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# Proposed limitations or modifications of the discovery rules:

<u>Plaintiff's Position</u>: There will be some overlapping discovery in this case and the U.S. Dept
 of Labor OALJ case governed by 5 U.S. Code § 554. Because of the potential for conflicts especially decisions related to privilege, confidentiality, and exclusion of evidence - coordination

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1	between cases will be urgent and critical to ensuring consistency and progress. Plaintiff is currently
2	appealing an arbitrary initial dismissal that was based on Apple's unilateral assertion that Superfund
3	laws do not apply to Apple and which was contrary to all environmental whistleblower precedent.
4	The ALJ also made statements about 3250 Scott Blvd and noted it was a "Decision on the Merits."
5	The U.S. Dept. of Labor ARB is supposed to respond to petitions within 30 days.
6	Defendant's Position: Discovery should be limited as outlined above. With this exception,
7	Defendant contends there should be no modifications of the discovery rules.
8 9	• <u>A brief report on whether the parties have considered entering into a stipulated e-</u> <u>discovery order</u> :
10	Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff is receptive to the idea.
11	Defendant's Position: Defendant does not believe that it is necessary or appropriate here.
12	• <b>Proposed discovery plan pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f)</b> :
13	$\circ$ (A) what changes should be made in the timing, form, or requirement for
14	disclosures under Rule 26(a), including a statement of when initial disclosures were made or will be made;
15	Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff provided 35 pages of Initial Disclosures for all claims in July
16	2024, in compliance with Rule 26(a)(1), following the June 2024 meet / confer. Plaintiff requested
17	details from Defendant on what they think is missing. Defendant has not completed its Initial
18	Disclosures for any claims. Defendant needs to provide full initial disclosures by Sept. 16 2024.
19	Defendant's Position: Defendant made its initial GO 71 disclosures on December 18, 2023
20	and supplemented them on April 5 and May 15, 2024. Plaintiff has not fully complied with GO
21	71's initial disclosure requirements with respect to her employment claims. Defendant will
22	complete its Rule 26 disclosures and exchange of high-level documents by September 16, 2024, to
23	the extent that any non-employment claims remain, and expects Plaintiff will do the same.
24	• (B) the subjects on which discovery may be needed, when discovery should be completed, and whether discovery should be conducted in phases or be limited
25	to or focused on particular issues;
26	Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff is unable to take depositions due to financial restrictions and
27	would like to compensate with an increased quantity of interrogatories. Plaintiff suggests Defendant
28	should also be restricted from taking Depositions as a matter of fairness, and due to the harassment.
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1	Defendant's Position: Apple outlined above its understanding of the Court's order regarding		
2	initial discovery and the appropriate scope of discovery thereafter. At this time, and particularly		
3	given that the pleadings are not yet settled, it is premature to set a discovery completion deadline.		
4	$\circ$ (C) any issues about disclosure, discovery, or preservation of electronically		
5	stored information, including the form or forms in which it should be produced;		
6	Plaintiff's Position: There are already multiple issues related to discovery, including refusal		
7	to provide FRCP Initial Disclosures, reliance on boilerplate objections, refusal to provide privilege		
8	logs, claims of ACP in conversations where no attorney was present, and insistence on use of		
9	blanket protective orders after Defendant already tried to claim confidentiality of matters that are		
10	protected topics and matters of public concern (work conditions, public safety, labor disputes).		
11	Defendant's Position: Plaintiff has refused to agree to the entry of the protective order		
12	proposed by Defendant, which was based on the Northern District Model Protective Order.		
13	• (D) any issues about claims of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation materials, including—if the parties agree on a procedure to assert these claims		
14	after production—whether to ask the court to include their agreement in an		
15	order under Federal Rule of Evidence 502;		
16	<u>Plaintiff's Position</u> : Concerns about Defendant's willingness to provide privilege logs.		
17	Defendant's Position: None at this time. • (E) what changes should be made in the limitations on discovery imposed under		
18	these rules or by local rule, and what other limitations should be imposed;		
19	Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff requests scrutiny of any requests from Defendant for approval		
20	of easily abused tools and tactics, such as a blanket protective orders, or frequent vague requests to		
21	stay discovery. Plaintiff also requests Defendant be required to 'show their work' for any of these		
22	types of requests, providing a full, proper justification for each issue and request. Plaintiff requests		
23	high scrutiny of any requests from Defendant to this Court that appear to be an attempt to censor		
24	and silence her – especially about labor issues and public safety. (Plaintiff accepts all responsibility		
25	for her conduct and any sanctions if she does actually act improperly).		
26	Defendant's Position: Discovery should proceed as outlined above.		
27	<ul> <li>(F) any other orders that the court should issue under Rule 26(c) or under Rule 16(b) and (c).</li> </ul>		
28	Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff will seek guidance from Magistrate Judge Westmore as needed		
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1 around depositions, interrogatories, document production, privilege, expert witnesses, and 2 discovery disputes.

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Defendant's Position: Defendant proposes no such orders at this time.

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**Identified discovery disputes:** 

5 Plaintiff's Position: There are multiple disputes related to scope, process, confidentiality, 6 and general willingness to participate in discovery.

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Defendant's Position: None at this time.

IX. **RELATED CASES** 

9 Plaintiff's Position: There is one pending agency adjudication within the U.S. Dept of Labor 10 OALJ in Boston, MA (Ashley Gjovik v Apple Inc, Case No. 2024-CER-00001). Coordination of 11 cases is required as there are overlapping claims and damages, and Defendant has taken actions to 12 initiate conflicts between and within the two cases. The ALJ dismissed the entire 42 U.S. Code § 13 9610 case on August 7 2024 for lack of subject matter jurisdiction based on unilateral statements 14 from the Defendant and contrary to all environmental whistleblower precedent at U.S. Dept. of 15 Labor. Plaintiff is filing a petition for review to Administrative Review Board by August 21 2024. 16 ARB appeals go to the Secretary, and US District Courts have exclusive jurisdiction over CERCLA 17 civil proceedings (§ 9613) thus the Secretary's decision is reviewed by a US District Court in the 18 area where the incident occurred, which would be this Court. Plaintiff would appreciate guidance 19 if a Notice of Pendency is appropriate for this type of adjudication and appellate jurisdiction. 20 Plaintiff also has multiple charges filed against Defendant with the US NLRB, and the US NLRB 21 has already found merit that there is substantial evidence the Defendant may have violated the 22 NLRA under two of her claims, however any litigation would not include Plaintiff as a party.

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Defendant's Position: On August 26, 2021, Plaintiff filed a charge against Defendant before 24 the National Labor Relations Board alleging Defendant retaliated against her because she engaged 25 in protected concerted activity. No decision has been issued. On December 29, 2023, Plaintiff filed 26 another NLRB charge against Defendant alleging that Defendant, among other things, "threatened 27 [Plaintiff] in an attempt to coerce her into an lawful secrecy agreement," *i.e.*, a protective order 28 regarding discovery (modeled on the N.D. Cal. template). No decision has been issued.

1 On August 29, 2021 and November 2, 2021, Plaintiff filed whistleblower retaliation 2 complaints with the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) alleging that her suspension and termination 3 amounted to retaliation in violation of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act (SOX), the Occupational Safety and 4 Health Act (OSHA 11(c)), and the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and 5 Liability Act (CERCLA). With respect to her SOX claim, this Court dismissed it with prejudice on 6 May 20, 2024. With respect to her CERCLA and OSHA 11(c) claims, DOL found no reasonable 7 cause on December 8, 2023. On April 29, 2024, the Secretary of Labor concluded on administrative 8 review that there was insufficient evidence to establish any violation of OSHA 11(c); this is a final 9 DOL decision. On January 7, 2024, Plaintiff requested a hearing before the Office of Administrative Law Judges regarding her CERCLA claim; the ALJ dismissed that matter for failure 10 11 to state a claim on August 7, 2024.

# 12 X. <u>RELIEF</u>

13 Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff requests damages (compensatory, expectancy, consequential, 14 punitive, nominal, restitution, tax offsets, interest, pro se attorney's fees, and legal costs), as well as 15 injunctive and declaratory relief. Estimates for non-pecuniary, punitive, toxic, and other complex 16 matters will be determined later in the lawsuit or by a jury. Employment-related damages are 17 estimated at around \$10M for combined back pay, front pay, loss of future earnings, costs, personal 18 injury, and loss of benefits. A non-pecuniary injury multiplier of 4 x pecuniary is suggested, raising 19 the total to \$31M. An additional \$2M is estimated for interest, tax offset, and attorney's fees. Toxic 20 Tort compensatory damages are based on physical and mental injury, diminished value and lost use 21 of chattel and real property interests, and expenses. A non-pecuniary injury multiplier of x5 is 22 suggested (risk of disease, fear of cancer, emotional distress, diminution of quality of life, pain and 23 suffering, and loss of enjoyment of life). A Jury will decide Punitive damages, and an estimate is 24 truly unknown due to the severity and novelty of the harm Defendant caused to Plaintiff.

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# XI. SETTLEMENT AND ADR

27 <u>Plaintiff's Position</u>: Based on Defendant's conduct thus far, Plaintiff is concerned that
 28 despite Defendant's statements, Defendant actually has no intention to settle. Plaintiff requests

Defendant's Position: Defendant denies that Plaintiff is entitled to any recovery in this case.

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Defendant's candor and consideration of ENE instead if Defendant is not interested in settling at 2 this time or at all. Plaintiff is also currently evaluating her options to refuse to be subject to 3 deposition by Apple's counsel under Marsy's Law or similar protections due to her severe PTSD, 4 her role as a witness in open federal investigations, and defendant's ongoing abusive behavior 5 towards the *pro se* Plaintiff.<sup>1</sup> Other common discovery methods should be tolerable. If Defendant 6 continues to demand to depose Plaintiff prior to a Settlement Conf., Plaintiff will insist on ENE.

7 Defendant's Position: Defendant is willing to stipulate to a Settlement Conference with a 8 Magistrate Judge concerning this action. Defendant's representative at that Settlement Conference 9 will be informed regarding and able to discuss matters Plaintiff has pending against Defendant in 10 other forums and under other statutes. To prepare for the Settlement Conference, Defendant will 11 need to take Plaintiff's deposition and, depending on the substance of Plaintiff's forthcoming GO71 12 and FRCP 26 disclosures and the Court's ruling on Defendant's pending Motion to Dismiss, 13 Defendant may need to serve an initial set of written discovery requests.

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#### XII. **OTHER REFERENCES**

Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff is grateful for the assignment of a Magistrate Judge.

16 Defendant's Position: Defendant does not believe that the case is suitable for reference to

17 binding arbitration, a special master, or the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation.

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# XIII. NARROWING OF ISSUES

19 Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff believes that further narrowing of issues should occur through 20 mechanisms such as discovery, stipulated facts, and summary adjudication. Plaintiff believes the 21 pending 12(b)(6) motion is unnecessary and will waste the Plaintiff and Court's time and resources. 22 However, due to the potential impact of the motion, Plaintiff filed a motion for leave to file a sur-23 reply and proposed sur-reply on August 18 2024 in order to ensure she can be heard. 24 Defendant's Position: On July 15, 2024, Defendant filed a motion to dismiss certain claims

- 25 in the Fourth Amended Complaint. Defendant believes it is premature to expedite the presentation

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<sup>1</sup> CALIFORNIA CONSTITUTION ART. I, § 28 (b) "In order to preserve and protect a victim's rights to justice and due process, a victim shall be entitled to the following rights: (4) To prevent the disclosure of 27 confidential information ... to the defendant... which could be used to... harass the victim, (5) To refuse an interview, deposition, or discovery request by the defendant, the defendant's attorney,..., and to set 28 reasonable conditions on the conduct of any such interview to which the victim consents."

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1	of evi	dence at trial or to request to bifurca	te issues, claims, or	defenses.
2	XIV.	<b>SCHEDULING</b>		
3		Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff sugg	gests scheduling the	e trial around one year out with the
4	Court	's standard scheduling of dependen	t events prior. As a	an expert project manager, she feels
5	strong	gly there should always be a project s	schedule, even if it	might need to be adjusted later.
6		Defendant's Position: Defendant b	believes that it is pre	mature to set a case schedule prior to
7	a rulin	ng on Defendant's pending motion to	o dismiss.	
8	XV.	TRIAL		
9		Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff reque	sts a Jury trial for is	sues of fact and certain issues of law.
10	Duration of the Jury trial is unknown due to the complexity of claims, but Plaintiff expects at least			f claims, but Plaintiff expects at least
11	one w	veek will be needed. Additional time	will also be needed	for the expected partial Bench trial.
12		Defendant's Position: Defendant a	inticipates the partie	s would need five days for trial.
13	XVI. <u>DISCLOSURE OF NON-PARTY INTERESTED ENTITIES OR PERSONS</u>			ENTITIES OR PERSONS
14		Plaintiff's Position: Plaintiff has	none, and encoura	aged Defendant to consult with the
15	property owner of 3250 Scott Blvd and any relevant insurance companies.			
16	Defendant's Position: Defendant filed the required certification. See Dkt. 11.			
17	XVII. <u>PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT</u>			
18	Defendant's Position: Defendant's attorneys reviewed the Professional Conduct Guidelines.			
19	XVIII	I. <u>OTHER MATTERS</u>		
20	Plaintiff's Position: Due to the complexity of the case and the current dynamic between		se and the current dynamic between	
21	parties, Plaintiff sees benefit in regular reoccurring Status Conferences and Updates with the Court.			
22		Defendant's Position: None at this	time.	
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2	Per L.R. 5-1(i)(3), I at	Per L.R. $5-1(i)(3)$ , I attest the other signatory has concurred in the filing of this document.		
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