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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SAN JOSE DIVISION

CONCORD MUSIC GROUP, INC., ET AL., Plaintiffs, v. ANTHROPIC PBC, Defendant. ) Case No.: 5:24-CV-03811-EKL-SVK

VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF PRANAY SANGANI

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[redacted]

MR. HOLTZBLATT: Objection. Vague.

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(Exhibit 128 was marked for identification.)

Q. I'm going to Tab 11. All right. In the Zoom, you should have in front of you what's been marked as Plaintiff's Exhibit 128, which bears the Bates No. ANTHROPIC346083.

**A. Okay.**

Q. Does Plaintiff's --

MR. HOLTZBLATT: Have you had a chance to look through it?

MR. MILLER:

Q. I think everything I'm going to ask you about is on the first page. So -- or no. Second page.

**A. Sounds good.**

Q. Okay. Does this appear to be a series of Slack communications?

**A. That is correct.**

Q. Okay. And the first Slack communication at the top of the first page is dated November 21, 2023?

**A. That's right.**

Q. And it appears to be from Ludwig?

**A. That's correct.**

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Q. Who is Ludwig? Do you know?

**A. I do. He, at the time, was a -- an AI researcher working on images. At some point later on, he reported to me and supported a small team within my org. And I think currently he is a part-time AI researcher and a part-time Stanford professor.**

Q. And then below the messages from Ludwig, there are communications, it appears, from Gyula. Am I saying that correct?

**A. Gyula, Gyula. I have heard that being said a few times.**

Q. Who is Gyula?

**A. He is the contractor that I mentioned who was on my team right around the time I joined.**

Q. Okay. And if you turn to the top of page two, do you see there's a message from you on November 1, 2023?

**A. Yes, that's right.**

[redacted]

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[redacted]

MR. HOLTZBLATT: Objection. Lack of foundation.

[redacted]

MR. HOLTZBLATT: Similar objections.

[redacted]