

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTE ORDER

VAUGHN R WALKER
United States District Chief Judge

DATE: June 23, 2006

COURTROOM DEPUTY: Cora Delfin

Court Reporter: Connie Kuhl

CASE NO. C-06-0672 VRW

TITLE: Tash Hepting et al v AT&T Corporation et al

COUNSEL FOR PLAINTIFFS:

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COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANTS:

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MEDIA:

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Timothy Alger - Lycos, Inc, Wired News

COUNSEL FOR GOVERNMENT:

Peter Keisler

PROCEEDINGS:

1. Motion to intervene by the United States government;
2. Motion to dismiss or in the alternative for summary judgment based on the government's assertion of the state secrets doctrine;
3. Motion to dismiss by AT&T Corp for failing to plead the absence of immunity and for lack of standing;
4. Motion to dismiss by AT&T Inc for lack of personal jurisdiction;
5. Motion to intervene and to unseal documents by various media entities, including the *San Francisco Chronicle*, the *San Jose Mercury News*, the Associated Press, the *Los Angeles Times*, Bloomberg News and *USA Today* and
6. Motion to intervene and to unseal documents by Lycos, Inc and Wired News.

RESULTS:

The court granted the government's unopposed motion to intervene (Doc #122). The court also heard argument from counsel on the other motions and took those matters under submission.