UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

SARA AMANI,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 2:17-cv-00113-GJQ-TPG Hon. Gordon J. Quist

MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, Mag. Judge Timothy P. Greeley

Defendant.

STIPULATED ORDER REGARDING DEPOSITION OF ANNE STANDER

This matter is before the Court upon the Stipulation of the parties regarding the deposition testimony of Anne Stander (currently overseas), a witness appearing on both parties' initial disclosures.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Presuming that Anne Stander is willing voluntarily to appear for a deposition via Skype, WebEx, or similar device from overseas, both counsel may view Ms. Stander's testimony and question her through such device, neither counsel having any objection to the deposition, and use of the deposition, in the manner set out in this Order.
- 2. Ms. Stander's deposition: (a) shall be usable as substantive evidence in case Ms. Stander is still overseas or is otherwise unavailable for trial; and (b) in addition to the foregoing, shall otherwise be usable to the full extent allowed by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Federal Rules of Evidence.
- 3. Counsel for the parties shall mutually agree to a Michigan court reporter carefully to take the deposition from an agreed single location in Marquette, Michigan, at which location all

counsel shall appear together with the court reporter for participation in the Skype, WebEx, or similar video access.

- 4. Ms. Stander shall take the normal oath; she shall also identify herself by showing her passport, identification, or driver's license through the Skype, WebEx, or similar video link to satisfy the court reporter and counsel of her identity for the purpose of the deposition.
- 5. Any party wishing the deposition to be video recorded (as opposed to simply recorded by traditional written transcript) shall notify the other party of this plan one week in advance and shall itself undertake the expense and arrangements for such video recording. If no such arrangements are complete and workable by the agreed date and time of the deposition, the deposition shall be transcribed without video recording.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: November 3, 2017

/s/ Timothy P. Greeley
MAGISTRATE JUDGE
TIMOTHY P. GREELEY

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