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8 9	WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE		
10 11 12	MICROSOFT CORPORATION, a Washington corporation, Plaintiff,	CASE NO. C10-653RSM ORDER ON MOTION FOR A PROTECTIVE ORDER	
13 14 15	v. AMISH P. SHAH, an individual, et al., Defendants.		
16 17 18 19 19 20 21 22 23 24	The Court, having reviewed defendants' motion for a Protective Order and plaintiff's opposition (Dkt. ## 31, 36), the subsequently filed agreed Protective Order (Dkt. # 43), and defendants' Notice of Withdrawal of Portions of Relief Requested (Dkt. # 44), which moots in large part the original motion, does now find and ORDER: (1) It appears that very little remains at issue and plaintiff's opposition to the remaining requests may be withdrawn or reduced. The Court appreciates defendants' filing of the Notice and the parties' cooperation in reaching agreement on the Protective Order. However, the Court		

1	cannot speculate on the parties' relative positions on the matters still at issue in defendants'		
2	motion.		
3	(2) Accordingly, the Court STRIKES the Motion for a Protective Order (Dkt. # 31),		
4	without prejudice to renewal as a new motion directed to the remaining issues, following another		
5	meet-and-confer by the parties.		
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7	Dated April 4, 2011.		
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11	RICARDO S. MARTINEZ		
12	UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE		
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