UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AUSTIN DIVISION

RICHARD LOWERY	S	
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PLAINTIFF,	S	
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V.	S	Case No. 1:23-CV-00129-LY
	S	
LILLIAN MILLS, in her official capacity	S	
as Dean of the McCombs School of	S	
Business at the University of Texas at	S	
Austin; ETHAN BURRIS, in his official	S	
capacity as Senior Associate Dean for	S	
Academic Affairs of the McCombs School	8	
of Business at the University of Texas-	\$	
Austin; and CLEMENS SIALM, in his	8	
official capacity as Finance Department	Š	
Chair for the McCombs School of	Š	
Business at the University of Texas-	Š	
Austin,	Š	
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DEFENDANTS.	Š	

<u>DEFENDANTS' AMENDED OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORY</u> <u>NO. 9 IN PLAINTIFF'S THIRD SET OF INTERROGATORIES</u>

TO: Plaintiff Richard Lowery, by and through his attorneys of record, Endel Kolde, Institute for Free Speech, 1150 Connecticut Ave., NW, Suite 801, Washington, D.C. 20036.

Defendants Lillian Mills, in her official capacity as Dean of the McCombs School of Business at the University of Texas at Austin; Ethan Burris, in his official capacity as Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs of the McCombs School of Business at the University of Texas at Austin; and Clemens Sialm, in his official capacity as Finance Department Chair for the McCombs School of Business at the University of Texas at Austin (collectively, "Defendants") serve their Amended Objections and Response to Interrogatory No. 9 in Plaintiff's Third Set of Interrogatories pursuant to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 19, 2024, I caused a copy of these requests to be served on counsel of record in compliance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

/s/ Joel R. Glover
Joel R. Glover

AMENDED OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORY NO. 9

INTERROGATORY NO. 9: Please identify all participants in the text-message conversations produced as UT-LOWERY-000005, UT-LOWERY-005269, and UT-LOWERY-005270, including specifying the date of the conversations and indicating which conversations the identified individuals participated in.

OBJECTION: Defendants object to this interrogatory because it is vague and

ambiguous to the extent Plaintiff seeks an "indica[tion of] which conversations the identified individuals participated in." It is not clear what information the Plaintiff seeks by use of that phrase.

ANSWER: Subject to the foregoing objection, see the table below.

Document	Participants	Date
UT-LOWERY-000005	Ethan Burris,	August 5, 2022
	Caitlin Mullaney	
UT-LOWERY-005269	Lillian Mills	August 23, 2022
	Meeta Kothare	
UT-LOWERY-005270	Richard Flores	June 8, 2022
	Jay Hartzell	

VERIFICATION

I, Lillian Mills, hereby declare as follows:

1. My name is Lillian Mills. I am the Dean of the McCombs School of Business at the

University of Texas at Austin (the "University"). I am duly authorized to make this declaration in

my official capacity.

2. I have read the amended answer to Interrogatory No. 9 contained in Defendants'

Amended Objections and Response to Plaintiff's Third Set of Interrogatories, and I am familiar

with its contents.

3. I verify under penalty of perjury that the facts stated therein are true and correct to

the best of my knowledge and based on information obtained from the records or representatives

of the University.

4. I reserve the right to make any changes in the aforesaid answers if it should appear

at any time that omissions or errors have been made or that additional or more accurate information

has been obtained.

DocuSigned by:

Lillian Mills

LILLIAN MILLS, in her official capacity as Dean of the McCombs School of Business at

the University of Texas at Austin