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### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

### NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

#### SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

## IN RE GOOGLE PLAY STORE ANTITRUST LITIGATION

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

Epic Games Inc. v. Google LLC et al., Case No. 3:20-cv-05671-JD

In re Google Play Consumer Antitrust Litigation, Case No. 3:20-cv-05761-JD

In re Google Play Developer Antitrust Litigation, Case No. 3:20-cv-05792-JD

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## NOTICE OF EPIC GAMES INC.'S AND DEVELOPER PLAINTIFFS' INTENT TO AMEND COMPLAINTS

Courtroom: 11, 19th Floor Judge: Hon. James Donato



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Ahead of the holiday weekend, in light of the scheduled July 22, 2021 argument on the
defendants' pending Omnibus Motion to Dismiss (Case No. 3:21-md-02981-JD, Dkt. 21), Epic
Games, Inc. ("Epic") and plaintiffs in In re Google Play Developer Antitrust Litigation
("Developer Plaintiffs") write to inform the Court of their intent to amend their complaints in
light of document discovery obtained to date. Epic informed all other parties in this MDL action
(with Epic, the "Parties") of its intent to amend its complaint based on documents uncovered in
discovery to date, and tendered a draft of its proposed amended complaint to Google on June 29,
2021. In light of Epic's amendment, Developer Plaintiffs have also decided to amend their
complaint at this time, based on document discovery reviewed to date. Developer Plaintiffs have
not yet prepared a draft of their proposed amended complaint. Epic and Developer Plaintiffs
intend to file their proposed amended complaints—with consent of defendants or pursuant to a
motion— <u>by July 21, 2021</u> .

Plaintiffs in the *Consumer Antitrust Litigation* ("Consumer Plaintiffs") are prepared to proceed with oral argument on July 22, 2021, on their operative complaint, as they believe their current allegations are sufficient to overcome the pending motion to dismiss. And while discovery to date has revealed additional facts supporting their claims, Consumer Plaintiffs' preferred course would be for the motion to dismiss to be heard at this juncture and to seek leave to amend then, if appropriate. If the Court prefers omnibus briefing and a single hearing on a motion to dismiss, however, Consumer Plaintiffs reserve their right to seek leave to amend their complaint in accordance with any guidance by the Court.

The Parties have begun to meet and confer regarding defendants' position with respect to the proposed amendments and the schedule for any necessary briefing or the filing of responsive pleadings. The Parties will provide the Court with an update in the Joint Case Management Statement due July 15, 2021.

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