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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH**

<p>THE SCO GROUP, INC.  Plaintiff/Counterclaim-Defendant,  v.  INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION,  Defendant/Counterclaim-Plaintiff.</p>	<p><b>EX PARTE MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE SCO'S OVER LENGTH MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF ITS OBJECTIONS TO THE MAGISTRATE COURT'S ORDER DENYING SCO'S MOTION FOR RELIEF FROM IBM'S SPOILIATION OF EVIDENCE</b></p> <p>Case No. 2:03CV0294DAK</p> <p>Honorable Dale A. Kimball Magistrate Judge Brooke C. Wells</p>
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Plaintiff/Counterclaim-Defendant The SCO Group ("SCO") hereby moves the Court pursuant to District Court Rule 7-1(e) for an Order granting SCO leave to file its over length

Memorandum in Support of its Objection to the Magistrate Court's Order Denying SCO's Motion for Relief from IBM's Spoliation of Evidence (the "Objection Memorandum") that consists of 15 pages, exclusive of face sheet, table of contents and authorities, appendixes and exhibits.

SCO's Motion is made upon the grounds that the Objection Memorandum of the indicated length is necessary given the complex nature of the issues raised.

SCO has endeavored to be as concise as possible, but respectfully submits that the excess length is necessary to fully and fairly address the issues being placed before the Court.

SCO respectfully requests that it be allowed to file its Objection Memorandum containing 15 pages, exclusive of face sheet, table of contents and authorities, appendixes and exhibits.

DATED this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2007.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Plaintiff/Counterclaim-Defendant, The SCO Group, Inc., hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing EX PARTE MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE SCO'S OVER LENGTH MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF ITS OBJECTIONS TO THE MAGISTRATE COURT'S ORDER DENYING SCO'S MOTION FOR RELIEF FROM IBM'S SPOILIATION OF EVIDENCE was served on Defendant/Counterclaim-Plaintiff, International Business Machines Corporation, on this 16<sup>th</sup> Day of March, 2007, via CM/ECF and electronic mail (by agreement of the parties) to the following:

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