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15 THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
16 CALIFORNIA,
17 Plaintiff,
18 vs.
19 MICHAEL JOE JACKSON
20 Defendant.

) CASE NO. 1133603
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) EX PARTE APPLICATION TO FILE UNDER
) SEAL RESPONSE TO PROSECUTION'S
) MOTION TO ADMIT EXPERT
) TESTIMONY RE MR. JACKSON'S
) FINANCES; [PROPOSED] ORDER

) HEARING:
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EX PARTE APPLICATION TO FILE UNDER SEAL RESPONSE TO PROSECUTION'S MOTION
TO ADMIT EXPERT TESTIMONY RE MR. JACKSON'S FINANCES; [PROPOSED] ORDER

1 Michael J. Jackson ("Mr. Jackson"), through his counsel, hereby applies *ex parte* for
2 leave to file conditionally under seal response to prosecution's motion to admit expert
3 testimony re Mr. Jackson's finances ("Response to Finance Motion"). Filing conditionally
4 under seal is necessary because the content of the Response to Finance Motion may
5 include references to matters that are subject to this Court's Protective Order.

6 This application is based upon the attached declaration of Susan C. Yu, the files
7 and record in this case and any other information presented prior to a ruling hereon.

8 Dated: January 21, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION OF SUSAN C. YU

I, Susan C. Yu declare:

1. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to practice law in the courts of the State of California, a partner in the law firm of Collins, Mesereau, Reddock & Yu, and co-counsel for Mr. Michael Jackson in this criminal proceeding. I submit this declaration in support of an *ex parte* application for leave to file conditionally under seal Mr. Jackson's Response to Finance Motion.

2. The Response to Finance Motion may contain materials that are subject to this Court's Protective Order. Therefore, in accordance with the directives by this Court, leave is sought to file this document conditionally under seal.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed this 21st day of January, 2005 at Los Angeles, California.



Susan C. Yu