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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: SOCIAL MEDIA) Case No. 4:22-MD-03047-YGR
ADOLESCENT ADDICTION/)
PERSONAL INJURY PRODUCTS) MDL No. 3047
LIABILITY LITIGATION)
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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO)
ALL ACTIONS)

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 2025

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PURSUANT TO PROTECTIVE ORDER

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Remote Videotaped Deposition of LARS BACKSTROM, taken pursuant to notice and conducted at the offices of Covington & Burling, LLP, 3000 El Camino Real 5, Palo Alto Square, 10th Floor, Palo Alto, California, 94306, commencing at 2:05 p.m., PDT, on the above date, before Jennifer A. Dunn, Registered Merit Reporter, Certified Realtime Reporter, California (#14461), Illinois & Texas Certified Shorthand Reporter, and Missouri Certified Court Reporter.

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1 another and sort of delays in or removal propagation
2 that may not happen immediately, but that flag is
3 intended and sort of propagates within a matter of some
4 days to lead to the removal of all suspected under 13
5 data.

6 BY MR. OLSZEWSKI-JUBELIRER:

7 Q So in the period of time before that flag has
8 propagated after Meta has determined a user is likely under
9 13 and placed them in an age checkpoint, Meta would use that
10 user's data to train its machine learning models?

11 MR. CHAPUT: Object to form.

12 Characterization.

13 THE WITNESS: Yes. There is a short period
14 of time during which some of that data may appear in
15 the training systems before the deletion has
16 propagated.

17 That said, the primary impact of that data
18 would be for the sort of personalization and quality of
19 that specific individual's experience. And so as long
20 as that user were check-pointed and unable to consume
21 content, it would have a very small sort of impact on
22 the overall model.

23 BY MR. OLSZEWSKI-JUBELIRER:

24 Q But it would still have an impact on the overall
25 model even if small, right?