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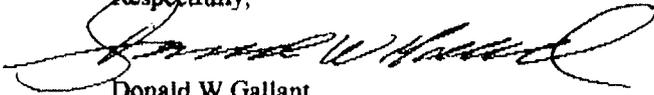
Dear Attorney Hesse,

I have been following the Microsoft lawsuit with an increasing level of concern over the past few years. Initially, it seemed that the action was heavy-handed to say the least. But, with every further disclosure of the role of the industry competition orchestrating many aspects of the litigation, it becomes clear that the United States citizenry will only be served justice if this case is ended.

There is apparently a settlement proposal now before Judge Kollar Kotelly, which will end the case and impose sanctions without creating too much new bureaucracy. This is a great time to turn this case around, and end the practice of using federal lawyers to advance private agendas. The economy needs the boost, and the citizens deserve better.

I respect the government attorneys who worked hard to hammer out this settlement, and hope their effort succeeds.

Respectfully,



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