

# **Exhibit B**

HOTEL CONTESSA EXHIBIT

DEFENDANT: BENCHMARK

VARIANT HOLDINGS, LLC AND VARIANT, INC. v. HILTON HOTELS HOLDINGS LLC, ET AL.

DISCLOSURE OF ASSERTED CLAIMS AND INFRINGEMENT CONTENTIONS PURSUANT TO P.R. 3-1  
PATENT: U.S. No. 7,624,044

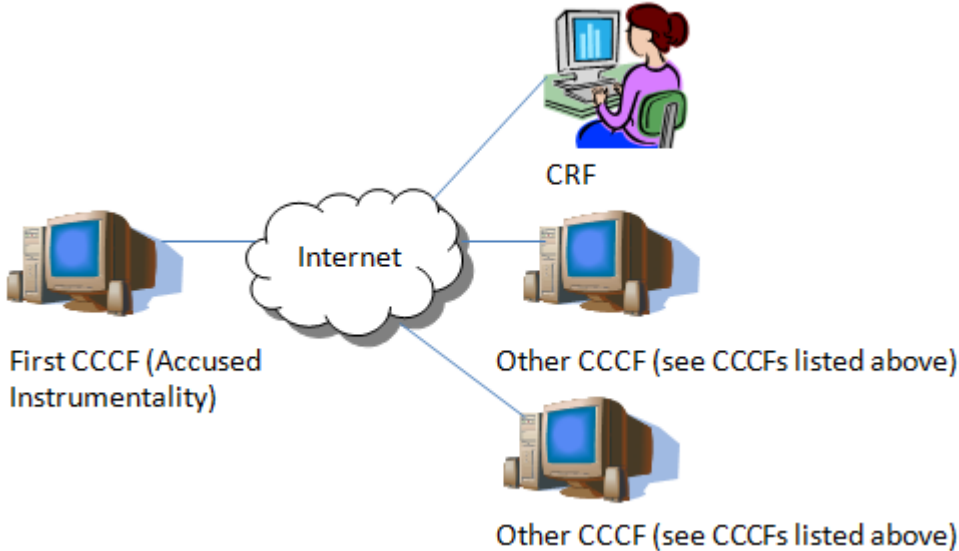
ACCUSED INSTRUMENTALITY: TheHotelContessa.com

This infringement chart is based upon present information and belief. This chart is applicable to the methods, apparatuses and systems comprising, linked with, functionally operational with and/or integrated with www.thehotelcontessa.com, since November 24, 2009 (“the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities”). The TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also comprises successor methods, apparatuses and systems that are no more than insubstantially different from the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities.

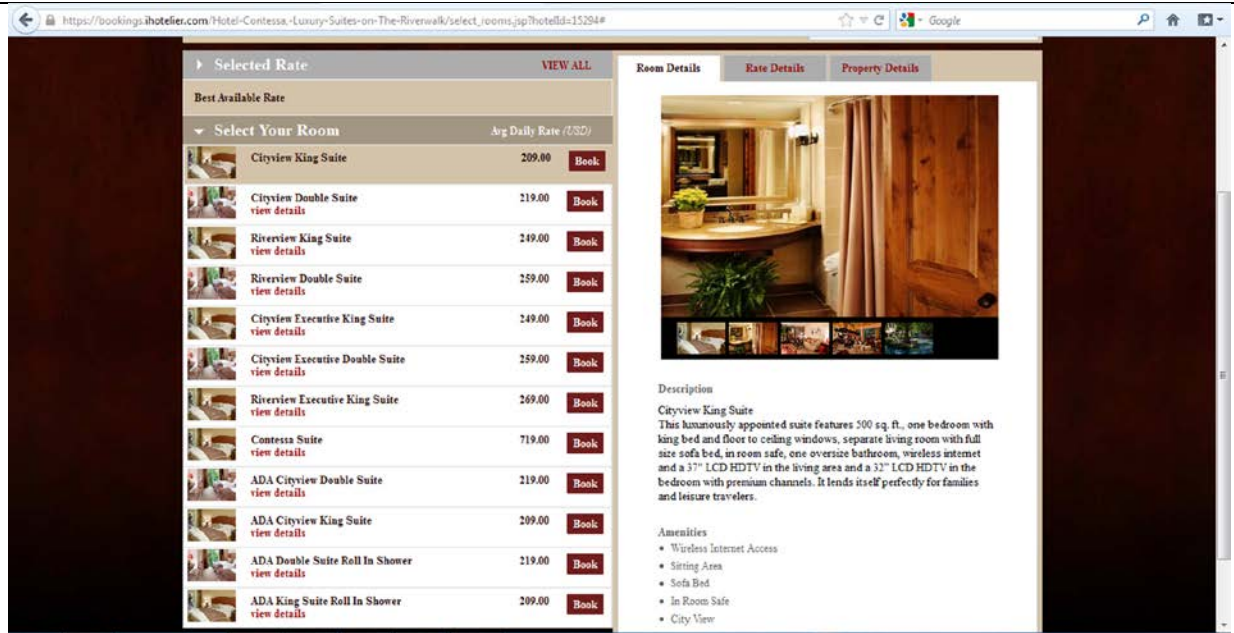
1(p)	An apparatus to market and/or sell goods and/or services over an electronic network comprising:	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of claim 1.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that to the extent the preamble of this claim is deemed limiting, the preamble is met by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities, including as follows:</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises an apparatus, i.e., at least one server (and associated hardware), to market and/or sell services over an electronic network, i.e., the Internet or World Wide Web.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities markets and sells services, i.e., rental services. The marketing and sale of such services by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities, occurs over an electronic network (see above re electronic network).</p>
1(a)	a first computerized central communications	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises a first computerized central communications facility (“hereinafter a

	<p>facility adapted to be linked to a computerized remote facility and to a plurality of other computerized central communications facilities,</p>	<p>“CCCF”), i.e., at least one server (and associated hardware) adapted to be linked (i.e., via the internet, including via communications channels, APIs and/or hyperlinks) to a computerized remote facility (“hereinafter a “CRF”), i.e., a PC of a user of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities, and to a plurality of other CCCFs (see above re CCCF).</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, such other CCCFs (see above re CCCF) comprise the server(s) (and associated hardware) associated with at least a plurality of the websites noted at 1(d) and/or 14(b) below and at least one or more of the following:</p> <p>www.1859historichotels.com, www.alamo.com, www.andaz.com, www.autographcollectionhotels.com, www.avis.com, www.baymontinns.com, www.bestwestern.com, www.booking.com, www.brownhotel.com, www.bulgarihotels.com, www.carlson.com, www.cheaptickets.com, www.clubcarlson.com, www.conradhotels.hilton.com, www.countryinns.com, www.crescentcourt.com, www.crocketthotel.com, www.crosslandstudios.com, www.daysinn.com, www.dollar.com, www.doubletree.hilton.com, www.embassysuites.hilton.com, www.enterprise.com, www.executestay.com, www.expedia.com, www.exstay.com, www.extendedstayamerica.com, www.extendedstaydeluxe.com, www.fairmont.com, www.fredericksburghospitalityhouse.com, www.grand.hyatt.com, www.grandresidenceclub.com, www.hamptoninn.hilton.com, www.hawthorn.com, www.hertz.com, www.hilton.com (including www1.hilton.com, www2.hilton.com and www2.hilton.com), including https://secure3.hilton.com/en_US/hi/reservation/book.htm?execution=els1 and www1.hilton.com/en_US/hi/hotel/GLSGIHF-Hilton-Galveston-Island-Resort-Texas/index.do, www.hiltongardeninn.hilton.com, www.hiltongrandvacations.com, www.hiltonworldwide.com, www.hoyo.com, www.home2suites.hilton.com, www.homesteadhotels.com, www.homewoodsuites.hilton.com, www.hotelicon.com, www.hotels.com, www.hotelsorella-citycentre.com, www.hotelvalencia-riverwalk.com, www.hotelvalencia-santanarow.com, www.hotelzaza.com, www.hotwire.com, www.hsbresort.com, www.hyatt.com, www.hyattplace.hyatt.com, www.hyattresorts.com, www.hyattvacationclub.com, www.innatthewaterpark.com, www.innofthehills.com, www.kayak.com, www.knightsinn.com, www.loewshotels.com, www.lonelyplanet.com, www.marriott.com, including www.marriott.com/ac-hotels/travel.mi, www.marriott.com/courtyard, www.marriott.com/fairfield-inn/travel.mi#/intro-1/s-intro, www.marriott.com/renaissance-hotel/travel.mi, www.marriott.com/residence-inn/travel.mi, www.marriott.com/towneplace-suites/travel.mi, www.marriott.com/residence-inn/travel.mi, www.marriott.com/springhill-suites/travel.mi, and www.marriott.com/towneplace-suites/travel.mi,</p>
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1(b)	each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having information relating to goods or services stored in a database,	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCFs (see above re first/other CCCFs) having information relating to goods or services stored in a database.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meet this claim element because the first CCCF (see above re first CCCF) of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities has information relating to services (see above re services), stored in a database.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such information relating to services comprises the rooms available on specified dates, price/rate and amenities.</p> <p>Exemplary screen shots showing exemplary information relating to such services comprise the following:</p>





Further, information regarding such services comprises graphic and textual rental confirmation information displayed once a customer conducts a rental transaction.

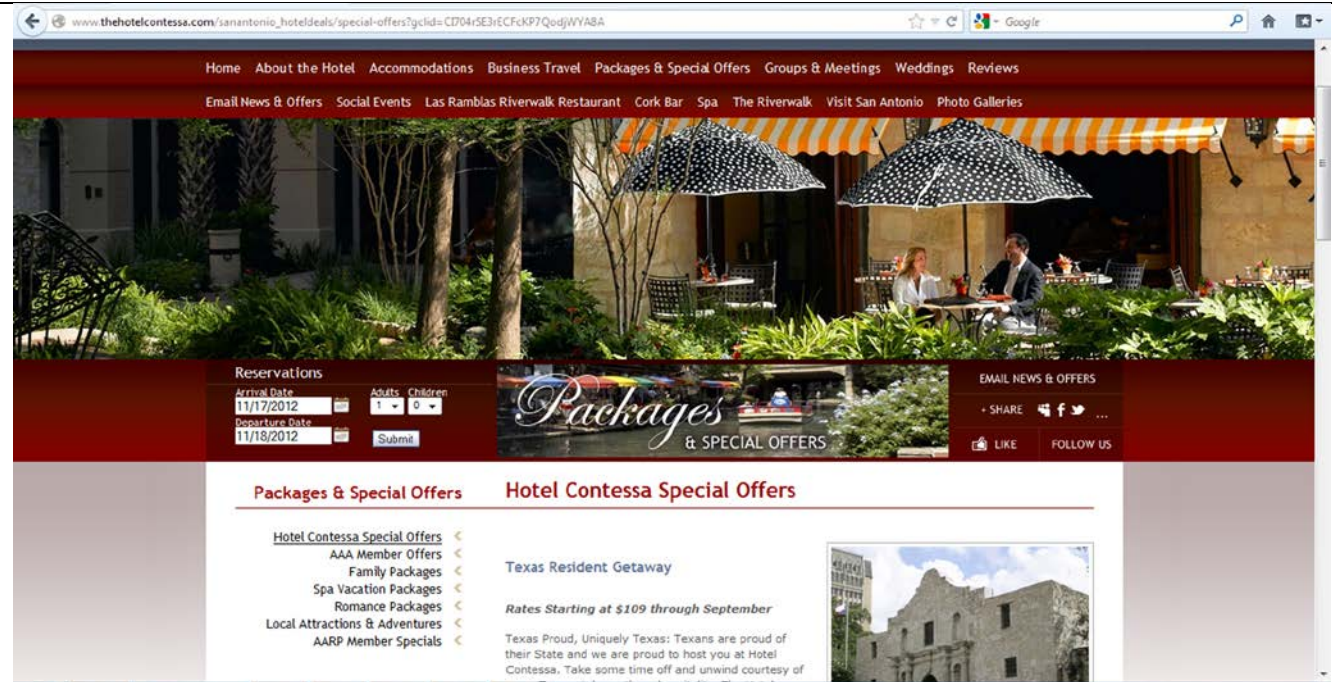
Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because they are the first CCCF (see above re first CCCF) and the other CCCF (see above re other CCCF) has information relating to goods and/or services. Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are *Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, *Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and *Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Each of those charts shows exemplary information relating to goods and/or services relative to each of the other CCCFs noted in each chart. Each such chart (specifically element 1(b) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF.

1(c)(i)

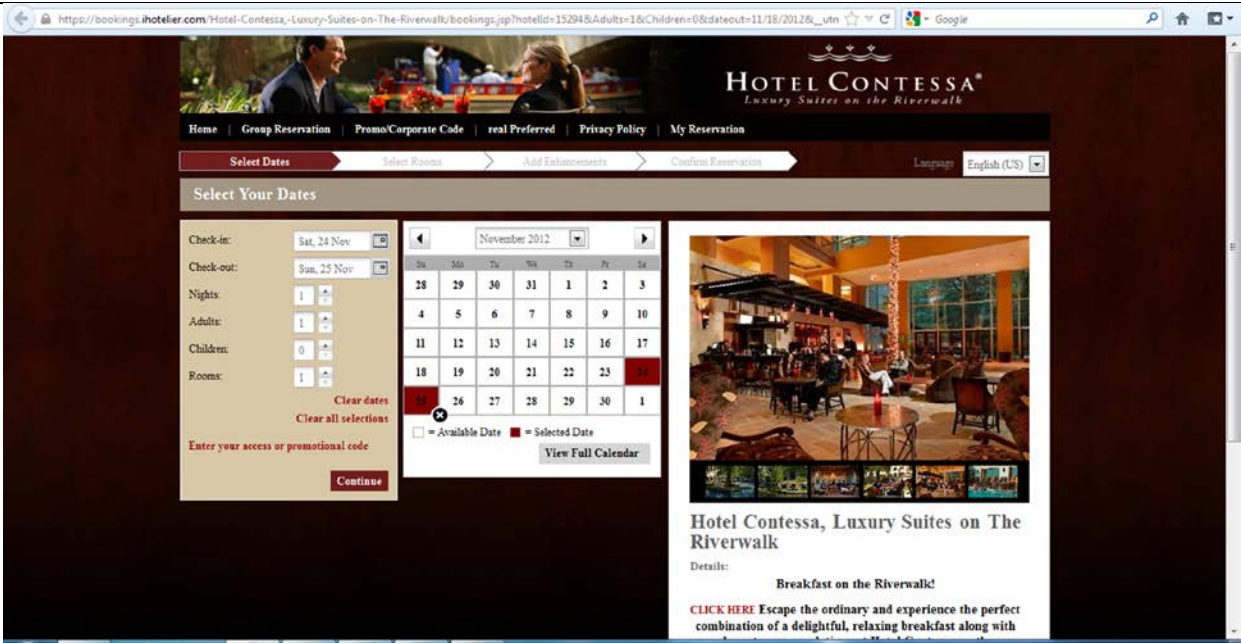
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	<p>other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to: receive from a customer located at said computerized remote facility a request to at least one of search, browse and access in said database at said first or other computerized central communications facility for information of interest;</p>	<p>Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CCCF) having a processor programmed to receive from a customer located at a CRF (see above re CRF) a request to at least one of search, browse and access in said database (see above re database) at said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CRF) for information of interest (see above re information of interest).</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meet this claim element because the first CCCF (see above re first CCCF) of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises a processor programmed to receive from a customer located at a CRF (see above re CRF) a request to at least one of search, browse and access in a database at said the first CCCF (see above re first CCCF) for information of interest.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such searching, browsing and accessing comprises navigation relative to one or more query bars, buttons, date charts, check boxes and hyperlinks. See, e.g., screen shots below.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such information of interest comprises the information at 1(b) above.</p> <p>Exemplary screen shots depicting such searching, browsing and accessing functionality comprise the following:</p>
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The screenshot displays the website interface for selecting a room. On the left, a table lists various room options with their respective daily rates and 'Book' buttons. On the right, a detailed view of the 'Cityview King Suite' is shown, including a large photo of the room, a description, and a list of amenities.

Selected Rate		VIEW ALL
Best Available Rate		
Select Your Room	Per Daily Rate (USD)	
Cityview King Suite	209.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Cityview Double Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	219.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Riverview King Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	249.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Riverview Double Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	259.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Cityview Executive King Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	249.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Cityview Executive Double Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	259.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Riverview Executive King Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	269.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
Contessa Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	719.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
ADA Cityview Double Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	219.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
ADA Cityview King Suite <a href="#">view details</a>	209.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
ADA Double Suite Roll In Shower <a href="#">view details</a>	219.00	<a href="#">Book</a>
ADA King Suite Roll In Shower <a href="#">view details</a>	209.00	<a href="#">Book</a>

**Room Details** | **Rate Details** | **Property Details**

**Cityview King Suite**  
This luxuriously appointed suite features 500 sq. ft., one bedroom with king bed and floor to ceiling windows, separate living room with full size sofa bed, in room safe, one oversize bathroom, wireless internet and a 37" LCD HDTV in the living area and a 32" LCD HDTV in the bedroom with premium channels. It lends itself perfectly for families and leisure travelers.

**Amenities**

- Wireless Internet Access
- Sitting Area
- Sofa Bed
- In Room Safe
- City View

Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities are adapted to be linked (see above re linked) comprise a processor programmed to receive from a customer located at a CRF (see above re CRF) a request to at least one of search, browse and access in a database at said the first CCCF (see above re first CCCF) for information of interest. Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al., No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, *Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and *Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Each of those charts shows how the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) comprise a processor programmed to receive from a customer located at a CRF (see above re CRF) a request to at least one of search, browse and access in a database at said the first CCCF (see above re first CCCF) for information of interest. Each such chart (specifically element 1(c)(i) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF.

1(c)(ii)	and each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to: . . enable said customer to at least one of search, browse and access said database for information of interest; and	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CCCF) having a processor programmed to enable a customer (i.e., located at a CRF – see above re CRFs) to at least one of search, browse and access the database (see above re database) for information of interest (see above re information of interest).</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meet this claim element because the first CCCF of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises a processor programmed to enable a customer (i.e., located at a CRF – see above re CRFs) to at least one of search, browse and access a database (see above re database) for information of interest (see above re information of interest).</p> <p>Exemplary screen shots depicting such enabled searching, browsing and accessing functionality comprise those at 1(c)(i).</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities are adapted to be linked (see above re linked) comprise a processor programmed to enable a customer (i.e., located at a CRF – see above re CRFs) to at least one of search, browse and access a database (see above re database) for information of interest (see above re information of interest). Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al.. No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, <i>Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.</i>, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and <i>Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.</i>, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Each of those charts shows how the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) comprise a processor programmed to enable a customer (i.e., located at a CRF – see above re CRFs) to at least one of search, browse and access a database (see above re database) for information of interest (see above re information of interest). Each such chart (specifically element 1(c)(ii) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF.</p>
1(c)(iii)	and each of said first or other computerized central communications	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CCCF) having a processor programmed to transmit said information of interest (see above re information of

	<p>facilities having a processor programmed to: . . . transmit said information of interest from the database at said computerized central communications facility to said computerized remote communications facility;</p>	<p>interest) from the database (see above re database) at said computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to said computerized remote communications facility (see above re CRF).</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meet this claim element because the first CCCF of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises a processor programmed to transmit said information of interest (see above re information of interest) from the database (see above re database) at said computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to a computerized remote communications facility (see above re CRF).</p> <p>Exemplary screen shots depicting such transmitted information of interest comprise those at 1(b) above.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities are adapted to be linked (see above re linked) comprise a processor programmed to transmit said information of interest (see above re information of interest) from the database (see above re database) at said computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to a computerized remote communications facility (see above re CRFs). Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al.. No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, <i>Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.</i>, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and <i>Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.</i>, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Each of those charts shows how the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) comprise a processor programmed to transmit information of interest (see above re information of interest) from their databases (see above re databases) at said computerized central communications facilities (see above re CCCFs) to computerized remote communications facilities (see above re CRFs). Each such chart (specifically element 1(c)(iii) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF.</p>
1(d)	<p>wherein at least one of said computerized central communications facilities is adapted to provide to said customer at said</p>	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because the computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCR) of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities is adapted to provide to customers (see above re customers) at remote computer facilities (see above re RCFs) a list of computerized central communications facilities (see above re CCCF) permitting said customer to select</p>

computerized remote facility a list of computerized central communications facilities permitting said customer to select and contact at least one other computerized central communications facility to request additional information relating to said goods or services, and;

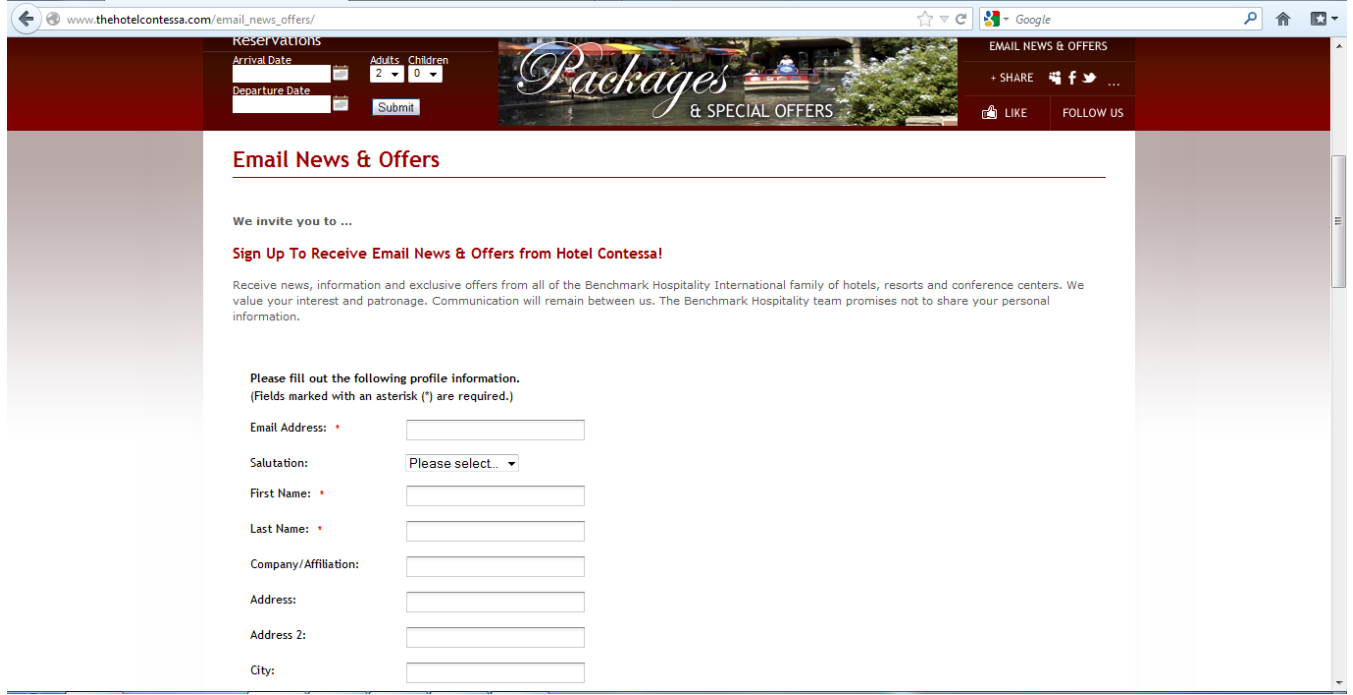
and contact at least one other computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to request additional information relating to services.

Based upon present information and belief, such information to select and contact at least one other central communications facility (see above re CCCF) comprises one or more hyperlinks. For example:



Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities are adapted to be linked (see above re linked) comprise permitting customers (see above re customers) to select and contact at least one other computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to request additional information relating to goods and/or services. Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al., No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, *Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and *Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.*, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Each of those charts shows how the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) comprise a processor programmed to permit customers (see above re customers) to select and contact at least one other computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCFs), for example using hyperlinks, to request additional information relating to goods or services. Each such chart (specifically element 1(d) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF. Further, one or more of the travel booking websites listed above comprises hyperlinks and/or APIs used to select and contact CCCFs associated with websites comprising hotel rentals and/or vehicle rentals.

See also the information at 4(b) below, which is incorporated herein by reference.

1(e)	wherein at least one of said computerized central communications facilities is further programmed to contact the customer and apprise said customer of goods or services offered or any special offerings.	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because the computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCR) of the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities is further programmed to contact customers and apprise said customer of services offered or any special offerings.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, such contact comprises emails.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, such special offerings comprise discounted rates and/or upgrades.</p> <p>For example, related settings for the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise the following:</p> 
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← www.thehotelcontessa.com/email\_news\_offers/

**E-mail Preferences:**

☐ Please send my e-mails in HTML format.  
☐ Please send my e-mails in TEXT format.

Note: Users of AOL 6.0 and earlier may experience issues with viewing HTML e-mail messages and should choose TEXT Formatting.

*To receive news and information that are tailored to you, let us know your interests:*

Vacation Packages & Offers ☒  
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☐ Chaminade Resort & Spa, Santa Cruz, CA.  
☐ Cheyenne Mountain Resort, Colorado Springs, CO.  
☐ The Chattanooga, Chattanooga, TN.  
☐ Costa d'Este, Vero Beach, FL.  
☐ Downtown Conference Center, New York City, NY.  
☐ Fairwood Resort, Itasca [Chicago], IL.

Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see

		above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities is adapted to be linked is further programmed to contact (via email) customers and apprise said customers of goods or services offered or any special offerings. Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al.. No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, <i>Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.</i> , No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and <i>Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.</i> , No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Many of those charts shows how the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) comprise a processor programmed to further programmed to contact (see above re contact) customers and apprise said customers of goods or services offered or any special offerings. Each such chart (specifically element 1(e) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF. Further, one or more of the travel booking websites listed above comprise one or more processors further programmed to contact (via email) customers and apprise said customers of goods or services offered or any special offerings.
2(p)	An apparatus to market and/or sell goods and/or services over an electronic network comprising:	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of claim 2.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that to the extent the preamble of this claim is deemed limiting, the preamble is met by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities. See 1(p) above.</p>
2(a)	a first computerized central communications facility adapted to be linked to a computerized remote facility and to a plurality of other computerized central communications facilities,	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 2(a). See 1(a) above.
2(b)	each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having information	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 2(b). See 1(b) above.

	relating to goods or services stored in a database,	
2(c)	and each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to: receive from a customer located at said computerized remote facility a request to at least one of search, browse and access in said database at said first or other computerized central communications facility for information of interest; enable said customer to at least one of search, browse and access said database for information of interest; and transmit said information of interest from the database at said computerized central communications facility to said computerized remote communications facility;	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 2(c). See 1(c)(i) – (iii) above.
2(d)	wherein at least one of said computerized central	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 2(d). See 1(d) above.


	communications facilities is adapted to provide to said customer at said computerized remote facility a list of computerized central communications facilities permitting said customer to select and contact at least one other computerized central communications facility to request additional information relating to said goods or services, and;	
2(e)	wherein said processor is further programmed to download software from said computerized central communications facility to said remote communications facility, said software adapted to present information of interest to said customer.	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meet this claim element because they comprise one or more processors associated therewith being further programmed to download software from said computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to said remote communications facilities (see above re CRFs), said software adapted to present information of interest (see above re information of interest) to said customer.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, such software is rendered by the customer's browser. Exemplary screen shots of such information of interest (see above re information of interest) are at 1(b) above.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities is adapted to be linked is further programmed to download software from said computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to said remote communications facilities (see above re CRFs), said software (see above re software) adapted to present information of interest (see above re information of interest) to</p>

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3(p)	An apparatus to market and/or sell goods and/or services over an electronic network comprising:	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that to the extent the preamble of this claim is deemed limiting, the preamble is met by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities. See 1(p) above.
3(a)	a first computerized central communications facility adapted to be linked to a computerized remote facility and to a plurality of other computerized central communications facilities, each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having information	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 3(a). See 1(a) above.

	relating to goods or services stored in a database, and each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to:	
3(b)	receive from a customer located at said computerized remote facility a request to at least one of search, browse and access in said database at said first or other computerized central communications facility for information of interest;	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 3(b). See 1(b) above.
3(c)	enable said customer to at least one of search, browse and access said database for information of interest; and transmit said information of interest from the database at said computerized central communications facility to said computerized remote communications facility;	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 3(c). See 1(c)(i) – (iii) above.
3(d)	wherein at least one of said computerized central	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of element 3(d). See 1(d) above.

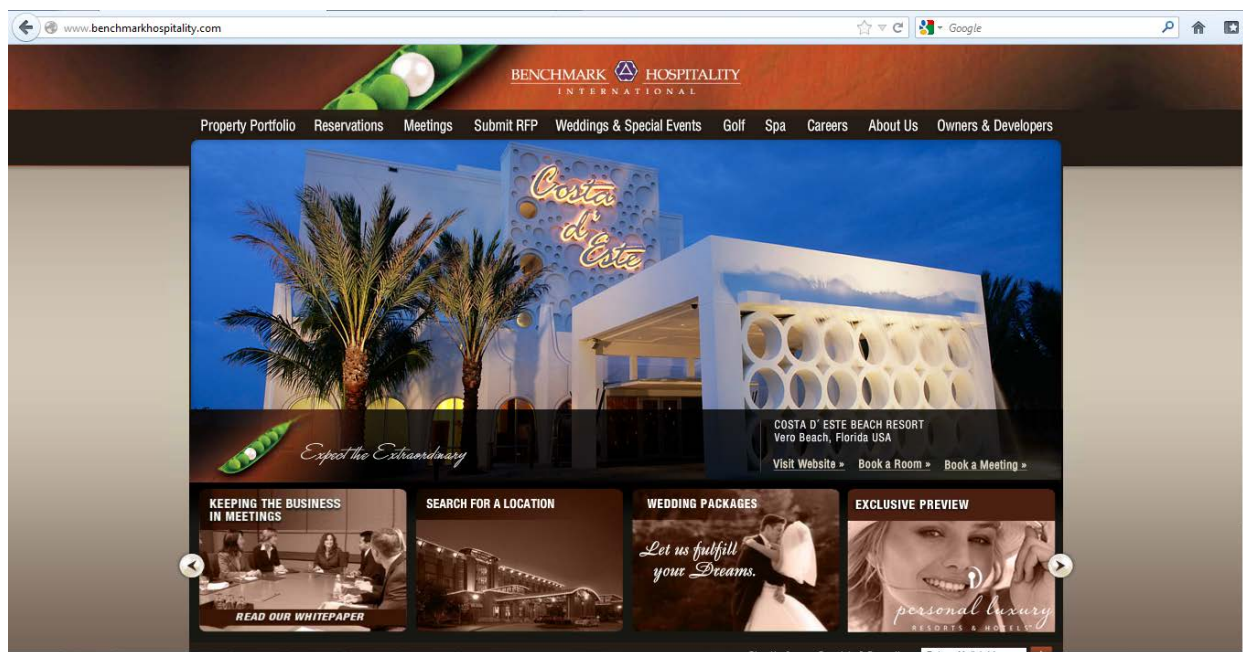
	communications facilities is adapted to provide to said customer at said computerized remote facility a list of computerized central communications facilities permitting said customer to select and contact at least one other computerized central communications facility to request additional information relating to said goods or services, and;	
3(e)	wherein said processor is further programmed to download software from said computerized central communications facility to said remote communications facility, said software adapted to enable said customer to conduct a transaction using the information provided by said computerized central communications facility relating to goods or services.	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meet this claim element because they comprise one or more processors further programmed to download software (see above re software) from the computerized central communications facility (CCCF) associated with the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities to remote communications facilities (see above re CRFs), said software (see above re software) adapted to enable said customers to conduct transactions using the information provided by said computerized central communications facility (CCCF) relating to services.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such transactions comprise rental agreements, including which are consummated by providing payment information and clicking a button.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities also meet this claim element because one or more of the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) with which the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities is adapted to be linked comprises one or more processors further programmed to download software (see above re software) from the computerized central communications facility (CCCF) associated therewith to remote</p>

		<p>communications facilities (see above re CRFs), said software (see above re software) adapted to enable said customers to conduct transactions using the information provided by said computerized central communications facility (CCCF) relating to goods or services. Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such transactions comprise rental agreements or product purchase agreements, including which are consummated by providing payment information and clicking a button. Concurrently herewith, Variant is serving P.R. 3-1 infringement charts in three cases, which are Variant, Inc. et al v. Z Resorts LLC, et al., No. 2:11-cv-290-JRG, <i>Variant, Inc. et al v. AMERCO, et al.</i>, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG and <i>Variant Holdings LLC et al v. Hilton Hotels Holdings, et al.</i>, No. 2:11-cv-00427-JRG. Those charts shows how the other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs) comprise one or more processors associated therewith being further programmed to download software (see above re software) from the computerized central communications facility (CCCF) associated therewith to remote communications facilities (see above re CRFs), said software (see above re software) adapted to enable said customers to conduct transactions using the information provided by said computerized central communications facility (CCCF) relating to goods or services. Each such chart (specifically element 3(e) therein) is incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of showing the relevant exemplary functionality of each such other CCCF. Further, one or more of the travel booking websites listed above comprise one or more processors associated therewith being further programmed to download software (see above re software) from the computerized central communications facility (CCCF) associated therewith to remote communications facilities (see above re CRFs), said software (see above re software) adapted to enable said customers to conduct transactions (e.g., hotel rental and/or vehicle rental transactions) using the information provided by said computerized central communications facility (CCCF) relating to such services.</p>
4(p)	An apparatus for marketing at least one of goods or services, comprising:	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of claim 4.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that to the extent the preamble of this claim is deemed limiting, the preamble is met by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities, including as follows:</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises an apparatus, i.e., at least one server (and associated hardware), to market and/or sell services, i.e., rental services.</p>

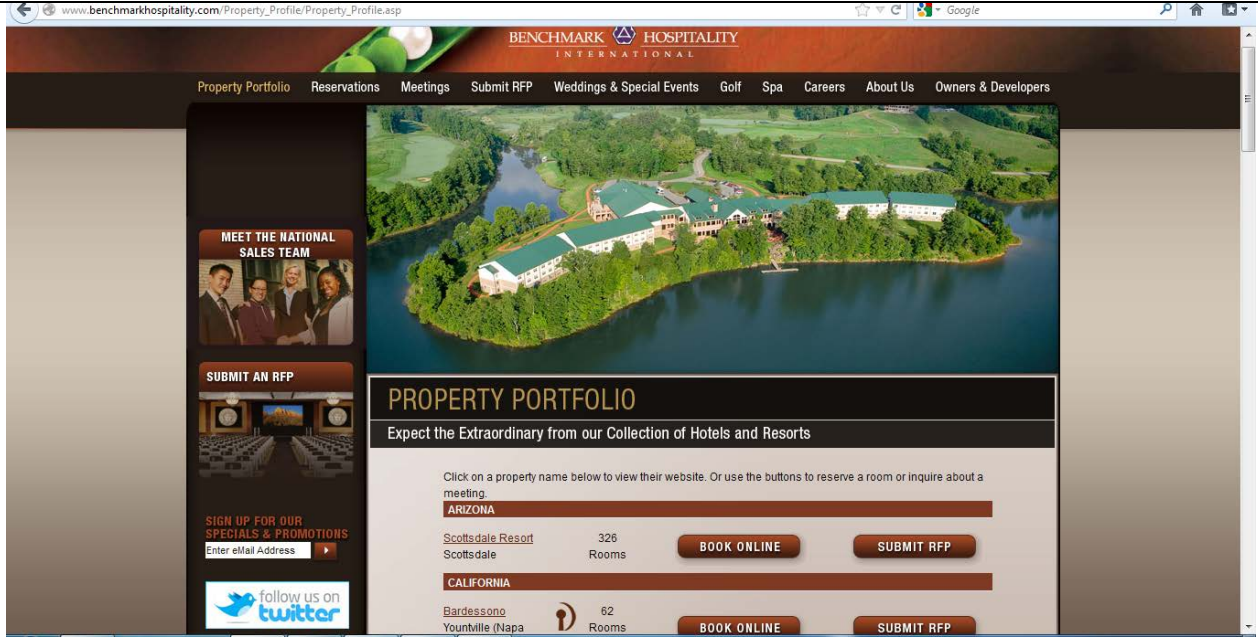
4(a)	a first central communications facility having a first database of information relating to goods or services to provide to a customer at a computerized remote facility upon request,	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise a first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) having a first database (see above re information) of information relating to services (see above re information relating to services) to provide to a customer at a computerized remote facility (see above re CRFs) upon request.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such information provided upon request comprises the information noted at 1(b) above.</p>
4(b)	said first central communications facility adapted to enable said customer to select and contact a second central communications facility having a database of information relating to a second set of information relating to goods or services to provide upon request; and	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that said first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) is adapted to enable said customers (see above re customers) to select and contact (see above re select and contact) a second central communications facility having a database (see above re database) of information relating to a second set of information relating to services to provide upon request. See 1(e) above.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that such adaption to enable customer to select and contact comprises one or more hyperlinks. For example:</p>  <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the second central communications facility (see above re CCCF) is associated with, at least, for example, <a href="http://www.benchmarkhospitality.com">www.benchmarkhospitality.com</a>.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the second central communications facility associated with, at least, for example, <a href="http://www.benchmarkhospitality.com">www.benchmarkhospitality.com</a> has a database of information relating to a second set of information relating to services, i.e., rental services, to</p>

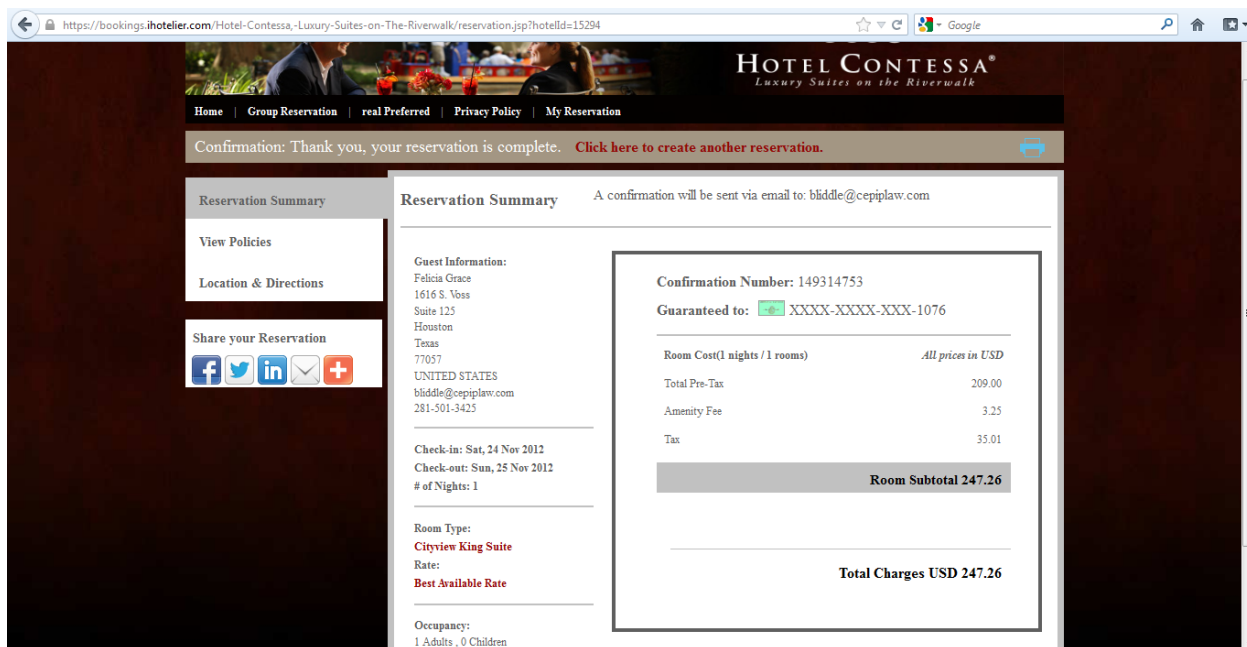
provide upon request.

Exemplary screen shots showing exemplary information relating to such services comprise the following:



and

		 <p>The screenshot shows the Benchmark Hospitality International website. The header includes the company name and a navigation menu with links like Property Portfolio, Reservations, Meetings, Submit RFP, Weddings &amp; Special Events, Golf, Spa, Careers, About Us, and Owners &amp; Developers. The main content area features a large aerial photograph of a resort complex surrounded by water and trees. To the left of the photo is a sidebar with sections for 'MEET THE NATIONAL SALES TEAM', 'SUBMIT AN RFP', and 'SIGN UP FOR OUR SPECIALS &amp; PROMOTIONS'. Below the photo is a 'PROPERTY PORTFOLIO' section with the tagline 'Expect the Extraordinary from our Collection of Hotels and Resorts'. This section includes a search bar and a list of properties: Scottsdale Resort (326 Rooms) and Bardessono Yountville (Napa) (62 Rooms). Each property listing has 'BOOK ONLINE' and 'SUBMIT RFP' buttons.</p>
4(c)	a communication device to enable said first central communications facility to communicate with said remote facility said communication including transmitting said first set of information from said first central communications facility to said remote facility;	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise a communication device, for example a modem, network interface and/or network interface card, to enable said first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) to communicate with said remote facility (see above re CRF).</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that, as evidenced by the exemplary screen shots at 1(b), said communication comprises transmitting the first set of information (see above) from the first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) to the remote facility (see above re CRF).</p>
4(d)	further comprising a software application for assisting the central communications facility	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise a software application for assisting the central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to download a contract to the computerized remote location. (see above re CRF). The presence of this software application is evidenced by the fact that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused</p>

	to download a contract to the computerized remote location.	<p>Instrumentalities download contracts to CRFs so that customers can book rentals on-line.</p> <p>For example:</p>  <p>The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <a href="https://bookings.ihotelier.com/Hotel-Contessa,-Luxury-Suites-on-The-Riverwalk/reservation.jsp?HotelId=15294">https://bookings.ihotelier.com/Hotel-Contessa,-Luxury-Suites-on-The-Riverwalk/reservation.jsp?HotelId=15294</a>. The page header includes the hotel name "HOTEL CONTESSA" and the tagline "Luxury Suites on the Riverwalk". A navigation bar contains links: Home, Group Reservation, real Preferred, Privacy Policy, and My Reservation. A confirmation message states: "Confirmation: Thank you, your reservation is complete. Click here to create another reservation." The main content area is titled "Reservation Summary" and includes a sidebar with links for "View Policies" and "Location &amp; Directions". The summary itself lists guest information (Felicia Grace, 1616 S. Voss, Suite 125, Houston, Texas, 77057, UNITED STATES, bliddle@cepilaw.com, 281-501-3425), check-in/out dates (Sat, 24 Nov 2012 / Sun, 25 Nov 2012), room type (Cityview King Suite), and occupancy (1 Adults, 0 Children). A table on the right shows the cost breakdown: Room Cost (1 nights / 1 rooms) at 209.00, Total Pre-Tax at 209.00, Amenity Fee at 3.25, and Tax at 35.01, leading to a Room Subtotal of 247.26. The final total charges are listed as USD 247.26.</p>
5(p)	An apparatus for marketing at least one of goods or services, comprising:	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of claim 5.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that to the extent the preamble of this claim is deemed limiting, the preamble is met by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities, including as follows: See 4(p) above.</p>
5(a)	a first central communications facility having a first database of information relating to goods or services to	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise a first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) having a first database (see above re information) of information relating to services (see above re information relating to services) to provide to a customer at a computerized remote facility (see above re CRFs) upon request. See 4(a) above.

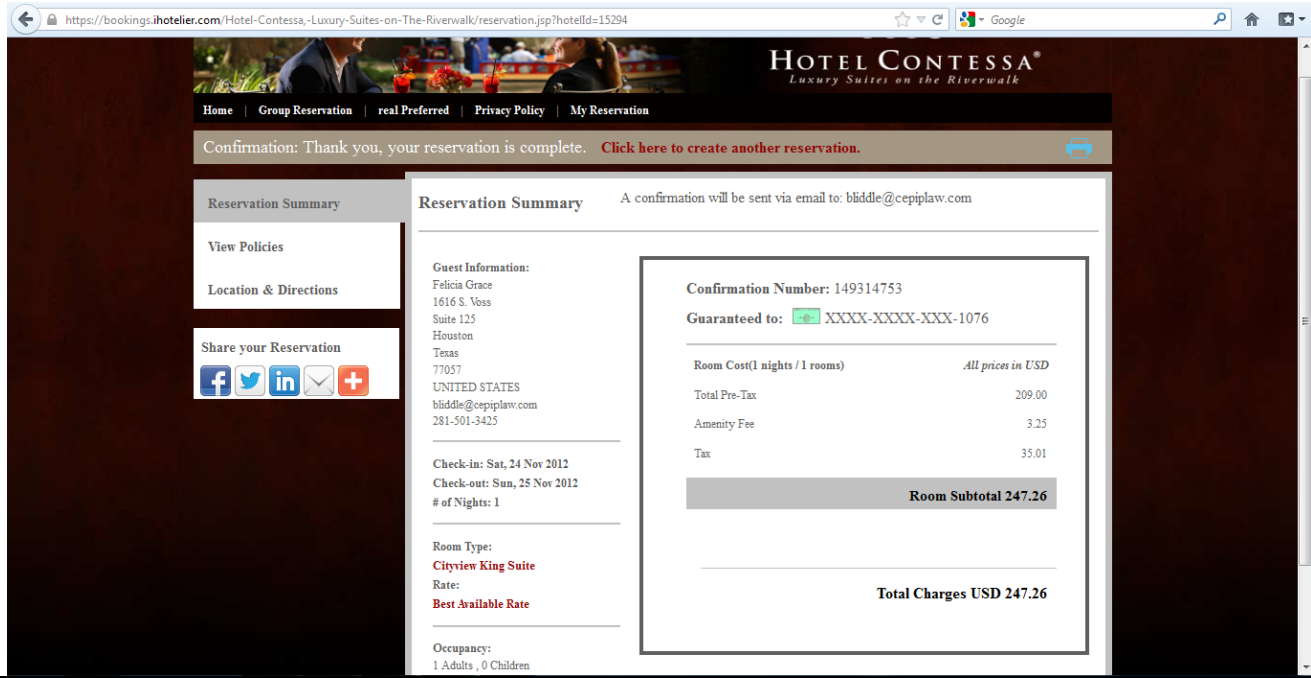
	provide to a customer at a computerized remote facility upon request,	
5(b)	said first central communications facility adapted to enable said customer to select and contact a second central communications facility having a database of information relating to a second set of information relating to goods or services to provide upon request;	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that said first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) is adapted to enable said customers (see above re customers) to select and contact (see above re select and contact) a second central communications facility having a database (see above re database) of information relating to a second set of information relating to services to provide upon request. See 4(b) above.
5(c)	and a communication device to enable said first central communications facility to communicate with said remote facility said communication including transmitting said first set of information from said first central communications facility to said remote facility;	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise a communication device, for example a modem, network interface and/or network interface card, to enable said first central communications facility (see above re first CCCF) to communicate with said remote facility (see above re CRF). See 4(c) above.
5(d)	further comprising means for downloading software from the central communications facility to the computerized remote facility.	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities means for downloading software from the central communications facility to the computerized remote facility.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities means for downloading comprises a modem and/or network interface, and any</p>

		<p>equivalents thereof.</p> <p>The presence of this software application is evidenced by the fact that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities download the software noted at 2(e), 3(e) and 4(d) above.</p>
14(p)	An apparatus to market and/or sell goods or services over an electronic network comprising:	<p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities meets all limitations of claim 14.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that to the extent the preamble of this claim is deemed limiting, the preamble is met by the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities, including as follows: See 1(p) above.</p>
14(a)	a first computerized central communications facility adapted to be linked to a computerized remote facility and to a plurality of other computerized central communications facilities,	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises a first computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) adapted to be linked (see above re linked) to a computerized remote facility (see above re CRF) and to a plurality of other CCCFs (see above re other CCCFs). See 1(a) above.
14(b)	each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having information relating to goods or services stored in a database, and	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCFs (see above re first/other CCCFs) having information relating to goods or services stored in a database. See 1(b) above.
14(c)(i)	each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to: receive from a customer located	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CCCF) having a processor programmed to receive from a customer located at a CRF (see above re CRF) a request to at least one of search, browse and access in said database (see above re database) at said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CRF) for information of interest (see above re information of interest). See 1(c)(i) above.

	at said computerized remote facility a request to at least one of search, browse and access in said database at said first or other computerized central communications facility for information of interest;	
14(c)(ii)	each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to: . . . enable said customer to at least one of search, browse and access said database for information of interest; and	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CCCF) having a processor programmed to enable a customer (i.e., located at a CRF – see above re CRFs) to at least one of search, browse and access the database (see above re database) for information of interest (see above re information of interest). See 1(c)(ii) above.
14(c)(iii)	each of said first or other computerized central communications facilities having a processor programmed to: . . . transmit said information of interest from the database at said computerized central communications facility to said computerized remote communications facility;	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprises each of said first or other CCCF (see above re first or other CCCF) having a processor programmed to transmit said information of interest (see above re information of interest) from the database (see above re database) at said computerized central communications facility (see above re CCCF) to said computerized remote communications facility (see above re CRF). See 1(c)(iii) above.
14(d)	wherein at least one of	Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that a least one of said

	<p>said computerized central communications facilities is adapted to provide said customer information regarding rentals.</p>	<p>computerized central communications facilities (see above re CCCFs) is adapted to provide said customer information regarding rentals.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that this claim element is met because the first computerized central communications facility (see above re first CCCFs) associated with the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities is adapted to provide said customer information regarding rentals. See screen shots at 1(b) above.</p> <p>Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that this claim element is also met because one or more of the other computerized central communications facility (see above re other CCCFs) is adapted to provide said customer information regarding rentals. Based upon present information and belief, such other computerized communications facilities (see above re CCCFs) comprise one or more of the following: <a href="http://www.1859historichotels.com">www.1859historichotels.com</a>, <a href="http://www.alamo.com">www.alamo.com</a>, <a href="http://www.andaz.com">www.andaz.com</a>, <a href="http://www.autographcollectionhotels.com">www.autographcollectionhotels.com</a>, <a href="http://www.avis.com">www.avis.com</a>, <a href="http://www.baymontinns.com">www.baymontinns.com</a>, <a href="http://www.bestwestern.com">www.bestwestern.com</a>, <a href="http://www.booking.com">www.booking.com</a>, <a href="http://www.brownhotel.com">www.brownhotel.com</a>, <a href="http://www.bulgarihotels.com">www.bulgarihotels.com</a>, <a href="http://www.carlson.com">www.carlson.com</a>, <a href="http://www.cheaptickets.com">www.cheaptickets.com</a>, <a href="http://www.clubcarlson.com">www.clubcarlson.com</a>, <a href="http://www.conradhotels.hilton.com">www.conradhotels.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.countryinns.com">www.countryinns.com</a>, <a href="http://www.crescentcourt.com">www.crescentcourt.com</a>, <a href="http://www.crocketthotel.com">www.crocketthotel.com</a>, <a href="http://www.crosslandstudios.com">www.crosslandstudios.com</a>, <a href="http://www.daysinn.com">www.daysinn.com</a>, <a href="http://www.dollar.com">www.dollar.com</a>, <a href="http://www.doubletree.hilton.com">www.doubletree.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.embassysuites.hilton.com">www.embassysuites.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.enterprise.com">www.enterprise.com</a>, <a href="http://www.executestay.com">www.executestay.com</a>, <a href="http://www.expedia.com">www.expedia.com</a>, <a href="http://www.exstay.com">www.exstay.com</a>, <a href="http://www.extendedstayamerica.com">www.extendedstayamerica.com</a>, <a href="http://www.extendedstaydeluxe.com">www.extendedstaydeluxe.com</a>, <a href="http://www.fairmont.com">www.fairmont.com</a>, <a href="http://www.fredericksburghospitalityhouse.com">www.fredericksburghospitalityhouse.com</a>, <a href="http://www.grand.hyatt.com">www.grand.hyatt.com</a>, <a href="http://www.grandresidenceclub.com">www.grandresidenceclub.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hamptoninn.hilton.com">www.hamptoninn.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hawthorn.com">www.hawthorn.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hertz.com">www.hertz.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hilton.com">www.hilton.com</a> (including <a href="http://www1.hilton.com">www1.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www2.hilton.com">www2.hilton.com</a> and <a href="http://www2.hilton.com">www2.hilton.com</a>), including <a href="https://secure3.hilton.com/en_US/hi/reservation/book.htm?execution=els1">https://secure3.hilton.com/en_US/hi/reservation/book.htm?execution=els1</a> and <a href="http://www1.hilton.com/en_US/hi/hotel/GLSGIHF-Hilton-Galveston-Island-Resort-Texas/index.doc">www1.hilton.com/en_US/hi/hotel/GLSGIHF-Hilton-Galveston-Island-Resort-Texas/index.doc</a>, <a href="http://www.hiltongardeninn.hilton.com">www.hiltongardeninn.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hiltongrandvacations.com">www.hiltongrandvacations.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hiltonworldwide.com">www.hiltonworldwide.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hoyo.com">www.hoyo.com</a>, <a href="http://www.home2suites.hilton.com">www.home2suites.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.homesteadhotels.com">www.homesteadhotels.com</a>, <a href="http://www.homewoodsuites.hilton.com">www.homewoodsuites.hilton.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotelicon.com">www.hotelicon.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotels.com">www.hotels.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotelsorella-citycentre.com">www.hotelsorella-citycentre.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotelvalencia-riverwalk.com">www.hotelvalencia-riverwalk.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotelvalencia-santanarow.com">www.hotelvalencia-santanarow.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotelzaza.com">www.hotelzaza.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hotwire.com">www.hotwire.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hsbresort.com">www.hsbresort.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hyatt.com">www.hyatt.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hyattplace.hyatt.com">www.hyattplace.hyatt.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hyattresorts.com">www.hyattresorts.com</a>, <a href="http://www.hyattvacationclub.com">www.hyattvacationclub.com</a>, <a href="http://www.innatthewaterpark.com">www.innatthewaterpark.com</a>, <a href="http://www.innofthehills.com">www.innofthehills.com</a>, <a href="http://www.kayak.com">www.kayak.com</a>, <a href="http://www.knightsinn.com">www.knightsinn.com</a>, <a href="http://www.loewshotels.com">www.loewshotels.com</a>, <a href="http://www.lonelyplanet.com">www.lonelyplanet.com</a>, <a href="http://www.marriott.com">www.marriott.com</a>, including <a href="http://www.marriott.com/ac-hotels/travel.mi">www.marriott.com/ac-hotels/travel.mi</a>,</p>
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16	The apparatus of claim 14 wherein at least one of said computerized central communications facilities is adapted to enable said	See claim 14 above. Based upon present information and belief, Variant presently contends that the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities the apparatus of claim 14 wherein at least one of said computerized central communications facilities is adapted to enable said customer to print said information. For example, once a customer books a rental, the customer can elect to print the record of the transaction.

	customer to print said information.	 <p>The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Hotel Contessa reservation confirmation page. The URL is https://bookings.ihotelier.com/Hotel-Contessa,-Luxury-Suites-on-The-Riverwalk/reservation.jsp?hotelId=15294. The page features a dark red header with the hotel's name and navigation links. A confirmation message states: "Confirmation: Thank you, your reservation is complete. Click here to create another reservation." Below this, there is a "Reservation Summary" section. On the left, there are links for "View Policies", "Location &amp; Directions", and "Share your Reservation" with social media icons. The main content area includes "Guest Information" (Felicia Grace, 1616 S. Voss, Suite 125, Houston, Texas 77057, UNITED STATES, bliddle@cepiplaw.com, 281-501-3425), check-in/out dates (Sat, 24 Nov 2012 / Sun, 25 Nov 2012), and room type (Cityview King Suite). A price breakdown table shows: Room Cost (1 nights / 1 rooms) at 209.00, Total Pre-Tax at 209.00, Amenity Fee at 3.25, Tax at 35.01, Room Subtotal at 247.26, and Total Charges at USD 247.26.</p>
17	The apparatus of claim 14 wherein at least one of said computerized central communications facilities is configured to enable said customer to select and contact another computerized central communications facility.	See above re claim 14. Based upon present information and belief, the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise the apparatus of claim 14 wherein at least one of said computerized central communications facilities is configured to enable said customer to select and contact another computerized central communications facility. See 1(d) above.
18	The apparatus of claim 14 wherein said rentals are travel rentals.	See above re claim 14. Based upon present information and belief, the TheHotelContessa.com Accused Instrumentalities comprise apparatus of claim 14 wherein said rentals are travel rentals, for example hotel rentals (see, e.g., at 1(b) above) and/or vehicle rentals.