in every endeavor. With Mike in charge, there is no doubt,
however, that we'll get further ahead of our competitors
and set new records.
With Mike moving out of the Field to corporate, I will be
assuming his responsibilities in the Field with Michelle
Green, Pete Hayes, Andy Berman, John Mutch, and Brian
Campbell reporting directly to me.

138
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 14:12:53 1992
To: steveb
Subject: the message
Date: Tue, 28 Jan 92 14:12:52 PST

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it's on the way to petermi for review.   comments?

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139
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 15:17:39 1992
To: davidcol
Subject: the message
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> >From steveb Tue Jan 28 14:24:24 1992
> To: bradsi
> Subject: the message
> Date: Tue Jan 28 14:24:23 1992
>
> looks great

however, i am wondering if we should change the detection words to
say we failed to detect ms-dos, rather than say we detected an os
other than ms-dos. the latter words would make people think we are
looking for drdos; the former ones would make it clear we are looking
for ms-dos and didn't find it.

140
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 15:44:58 1992
To: a-johna
Cc: sharonh
Subject: RE: What PCWorld had to say about us this month:
Date: Tue, 28 Jan 92 15:44:58 PST

sharon has it. please talk to her.

141
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 15:55:12 1992
To: mikegi
Subject: zachmann
Date: Tue, 28 Jan 92 15:55:12 PST

do you still have those columns? i'd like a copy, thanks.

142
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 16:44:33 1992
To: sharonh
Subject: Re: Corey Smith meeting
Date: Tue, 28 Jan 92 16:44:32 PST

it should include bradc, mackm and richt. i am glad to
sit in. but he wanted to talk to me about their future
plans, and the others should hear directly too

143
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 16:45:16 1992
To: davidcol johnen karlst philba
Subject: Re: ms legal 2 for 2 today
Date: Tue, 28 Jan 92 16:45:16 PST

great!! .

i guess their expert witness sunk them.

144
From bradsi Tue Jan 28 16:45:26 1992
To: davidw
Subject: ms legal 2 for 2 today