UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION



In the Matter of

HOECHST MARION ROUSSEL, INC., a corporation,

CARDERM CAPITAL L.P., a limited partnership,

and

ANDRX CORPORATION, a corporation.

Docket No. 9293

ORDER SETTING HEARING ON MOTIONS

The parties are hereby notified that a prehearing conference on certain pending motions in the above referenced matter will be held on August 3, at 1:00 p.m. in room 532, Federal Trade Commission Building, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

The Court will hear arguments on the following motions and oppositions thereto: Complaint Counsel's Motion to Strike Certain Affirmative Defenses; Andrx's Motion to Compel Complaint Counsel to Respond to Interrogatories; Andrx's Motion to Compel Complaint Counsel to Produce Documents; Aventis' Motion to Compel Discovery; and Complaint Counsel's Motion to Compel Andrx to Produce Documents.

Biovail's Motion to Quash Subpoenas (served on outside counsel) and the Joint Motion to Quash Subpoenas Served on Various Law Firms and Attorneys will not be considered at this hearing. A ruling on those motions will be made after a determination is made on Complaint Counsel's motion to strike.

ORDERED:

D. Michael Chappell Administrative Law Judge

Dated: July 14, 2000