

16 C.F.R. § 3.21(c).

Respondents state that there are ongoing settlement negotiations between the parties, and that the requested extension may avoid the necessity of filing any *in camera* treatment motions, which will relieve both the parties and affected nonparties of the burden of preparing such motions. In addition, Respondents state, the extension will allow the parties to continue to focus on their settlement negotiations. Respondents further note that this is the Respondents' first request for an extension of the *in camera* treatment motion deadlines and that Complaint Counsel has consented to the requested extensions of time. Respondents also state that the parties have already notified nonparties of the intent to use some of their confidential materials as exhibits at trial, pursuant to the Scheduling Order, and that, should the Unopposed Motion be granted, Respondents and Complaint Counsel will promptly notify all affected nonparties of the extensions of the filing deadlines.

Based on the foregoing, there is good cause to extend the deadlines for filing and responding to motions for *in camera* treatment, as requested in the Unopposed Motion. Moreover, there have been no previous extensions of these deadlines and the requested extensions will not adversely affect the timely conclusion of the evidentiary hearing or the rendering of an initial decision.

III.


For all the foregoing reasons, the Unopposed Motion is GRANTED and it is hereby ORDERED that the deadlines for filing and responding to motions for *in camera* treatment shall be as follows:

December 9, 2013 - Deadline for filing motions for *in camera* treatment of proposed trial exhibits and expert related exhibits

December 13, 2013 - Deadline for filing responses to motions for *in camera* treatment of proposed trial exhibits and expert related exhibits

Except as set forth herein, all other Scheduling Order deadlines and Additional Provisions are unchanged.

ORDERED:



D. Michael Chappell
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Date: November 21, 2013