UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of

HOECHST MARION ROUSSEL, INC., a corporation. CARDERM CAPITAL L.P., a limited pertnership,

and

ANDRX CORPORATION, a corporation.

Docket No. 9293

STIPULATION

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the undersigned counsel, that Respondents' time to respond to Complaint Counsel's pending motions to strike affirmative defenses is extended to May 19, 2000.

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