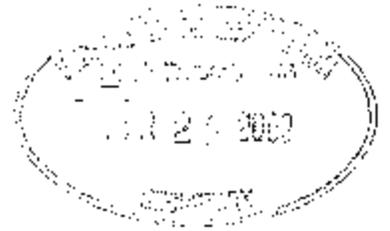


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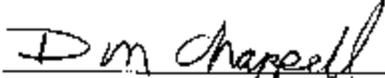
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ORDER SETTING STATUS CONFERENCE

The parties are hereby notified that a status conference will be held on April 25, 2002 at 3:00 p.m., in Room 532, Federal Trade Commission Building, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C.

The parties shall be prepared to present the status of pending motions. In addition, oral argument will be heard on MSC's motion to compel Complaint Counsel to produce third-party transcripts.

ORDERED:

  
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D. Michael Chappell  
Administrative Law Judge

Date: April 22, 2002