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May 30, 2013

Donald S. Clark  
Secretary  
Federal Trade Commission  
Room H113  
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20580

**Via Courier**

**In the Matter of Phoebe Putney Health System Inc., et. al., FTC Docket 9348**

Dear Secretary Clark:

Enclosed are copies of Respondents' Unopposed Motion to Extend Deadline for Dispositive Motions

Please acknowledge your receipt of this letter and the delivery of the enclosed submission.

Best regards,

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES



In the Matter of )  
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Phoebe Putney Health System, Inc. )  
a corporation, and )  
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Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Inc. )  
a corporation, and )  
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Phoebe North, Inc. )  
a corporation, and )  
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HCA Inc. )  
a corporation, and )  
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Palmyra Park Hospital, Inc. )  
a corporation, and )  
)  
Hospital Authority of Albany-Dougherty )  
County )

Docket No. 9348  
  
PUBLIC VERSION

**RESPONDENTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE FOR  
DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS**

Pursuant to Federal Trade Commission Rules of Practice 3.22(a) and 4.3(b) of the Federal Trade Commission's Rules of Practice for Adjudicative Proceedings, 16 C.F.R. §§ 3.22, 4.3(b), Respondents Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital, Inc. and Phoebe Putney Health System, Inc. ("Respondents") hereby moves to extend the deadline for filing dispositive motions. This motion seeks a brief extension of the current deadline for filing "[m]otions to dismiss filed before the evidentiary hearing, motions to strike, and motions for summary decision" pursuant to Rule 3.22(a), from June 3, 2013, to through and including June 10, 2013. Complaint Counsel has been consulted regarding this motion and does not oppose the requested relief.

As your Honor is aware, the deadline for close of discovery was recently extended to June 7, 2013. Other related deadlines were also extended due to the large volume of documents produced during the course of discovery and Complain Counsel's preference to review the documents prior to depositions. This additional modest extension will facilitate ongoing discussions regarding an amicable resolution to current concerns between the parties.

For the reason stated, Respondents respectfully request that a brief extension on the time to file be granted.

Dated: May 30, 2013

Respectfully submitted,

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**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

Having reviewed Respondents' Unopposed Motion to Extend Deadline for Dispositive Motions, it is hereby

ORDERED that Respondents' Unopposed Motion to Extend Deadline for Dispositive Motions is GRANTED, and, it is further

ORDERED that Respondents shall file any Dispositive Motions no later than June 10, 2013.

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D. Michael Chappell  
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated:

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that this 30th day of May, 2013 I filed the foregoing **UNOPPOSED MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE FOR DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS** via FTC e-file, with the paper original and a true and correct copy of the paper original via hand delivery to:

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I also certify that I delivered via electronic mail and hand delivery a copy of the foregoing **UNOPPOSED MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE FOR DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS** to:

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**CERTIFICATE FOR ELECTRONIC FILING**

I certify that the electronic copy sent to the Secretary of the Commission is a true and correct copy of the paper original and that I possess a paper original of the signed document that is available for review by the parties and the adjudicator.

May 30, 2013

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