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

In the Matter of

IQVIA Holdings Inc., a corporation

and

Propel Media, Inc., a corporation Docket No. 9416

COMPLAINT COUNSEL'S OPPOSITION TO RESPONDENTS' MOTION TO EXTEND SCHEDULING ORDER DEADLINES

Complaint Counsel writes in opposition to Respondents' motion to extend the scheduling order deadlines in this proceeding by two weeks. The parties have been aware of the deadlines both in this proceeding and the federal preliminary injunction proceeding for months. Pursuant to the existing Scheduling Order, Complaint Counsel has already conducted outreach to third parties informing them of the deadlines for *in camera* treatment of confidential information, and changing the deadlines now risks confusing third parties about the timing of their motions.

Moreover, a two-week delay shifts deadlines to the week between federal holidays, increasing the burden on all parties, including Judge Chappell and his staff. For example, Respondents' proposed amended schedule would set the deadlines for motions *in limine* and third party motions for *in camera* treatment on December 26—the day after Christmas—and require responses by December 29.¹

¹ Since many of the extended deadlines fall on or before the expected date of the federal court decision, December 29, Respondents' proposed extension does not save the resources of parties or nonparties.

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For these reasons, Complaint Counsel respectfully requests that the Court deny

Respondents' motion.

Dated: December 4, 2023 Respectfully submitted,

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