UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSIO

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COMMISSIONERS: Edith Ramirez, Chairwoman

Maureen K. Ohlhausen Terrell McSweeny



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In the Matter of)	PUBLIC
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LabMD, Inc.,)	Docket No. 9357
a corporation,)	
Respondent.)	
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JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINES FOR COMPLAINT COUNSEL'S APPEAL BRIEF AND RESPONDENT'S ANSWERING BRIEF

Pursuant to Rules 3.22 and 3.52, 16 C.F.R. §§ 3.22 and 3.52, Complaint Counsel and Respondent LabMD, Inc. hereby move the Commission for an Order extending the deadlines by which Complaint Counsel's Appeal Brief and Respondent's Answering Brief, respectively, are due to be filed. The parties respectfully request that the Commission order that Complaint Counsel's Appeal Brief be due on Wednesday, December 23, 2015 and that Respondent's Answering Brief be due on Friday, February 5, 2016. Additionally, Complaint Counsel and Respondent LabMD, Inc. hereby further request that the Commission order that any permitted Cross-Appeal Briefs filed by the parties be due on Wednesday, December 23, 2015, and any permitted Answering Briefs be due on Friday, February 5, 2015.

On Friday, November 13, 2015, the Honorable D. Michael Chappell issued an Initial Decision and Order ("ALJ Order") in the above-captioned action. The Office of the Secretary effected service of the ALJ Order on Wednesday, November 18, 2015. Complaint Counsel is today filing its Notice of Appeal.

Absent an Order of the Commission extending the deadlines for appellate briefing,

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Complaint Counsel's Appeal Brief would be due on Tuesday, December 15, 2015, interfering

with Complaint Counsel's long-standing commitments related to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Similarly, absent an Order of the Commission extending the deadlines for appellate briefing,

Respondent's Answering Brief would be due on January 14, 2016, interfering with Respondent

counsel's long-standing commitments related to the Christmas and winter holidays. The parties

are not requesting an extension of the deadline by which a Reply Brief would be due to be filed

pursuant to Rule 3.52(b)(2), 16 C.F.R. § 3.52(b)(2).

The relief requested herein is for good cause and will not result in undue delay in the

adjudication of this case. The enlargements of time required for the filing of the parties'

appellate briefing are necessitated by the parties' attorneys' holiday commitments. No other

enlargements of time related to the appeal have been requested.

Accordingly, Complaint Counsel and Respondent respectfully request that the Court

grant their Joint Motion and issue an Order setting the deadlines for Complaint Counsel's Appeal

Brief as Wednesday, December 23, 2015 and Respondent's Answering Brief as Friday, February

5, 2016. Additionally, Complaint Counsel and Respondent LabMD, Inc. hereby further request

that the Commission order that any permitted Cross-Appeal Briefs filed by the parties be due on

Wednesday, December 23, 2015, and any permitted Answering Briefs be due on Friday,

February 5, 2015.

Dated: November 24, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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Upon consideration of the parties'	Joint M	lotion to Extend Deadlines for Complaint
Counsel's Appeal Brief and Respondent's	s Answei	ring Brief,
IT IS ORDERED that the deadling	ne for Co	omplaint Counsel to file its Appeal Brief is
Wednesday, December 23, 2015, and the	deadline	e for Respondent to file its Answering Brief is
Friday, February 5, 2016, and it is further		
ORDERED that any permitted Cr	ross-App	peal Briefs filed by the parties be due on
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February 5, 2015.		
By the Commission, Commission	er Brill n	not participating.
		Donald S. Clark Secretary

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November 24, 2015

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