UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

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Mailed: November 1, 2016

Opposition No. 91205982 (Parent Case)

Opposition No. 91205984

Opposition No. 91210386

Fertitta Hospitality, LLC

v.

Fertitta Business Management LLC

Veronica P. White, Paralegal Specialist:

Applicant's consented motion (filed October 25, 2016) to further suspend this proceeding for 90-days to accommodate the parties' continued settlement discussions is granted for good cause shown.

Accordingly, proceedings are suspended up to, and including January 28, 2017, subject to the right of either party to request resumption at any time. See Trademark Rules 2.117(c), and 2.127(a); and TBMP § 605.02.

In the event that there is no word from either party concerning the progress of their negotiations, upon conclusion of the suspension period, <u>proceedings shall resume January 29, 2017 without further notice or order from the Board</u>, upon the schedule set forth below.

Applicant is allowed until February 28, 2017 in which to answer the notice of opposition. Conferencing, disclosure, discovery and trial dates are reset as follows:

| Time to Answer | 2/28/2017 |
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| Deadline for Discovery Conference | 3/30/2017 |
| Discovery Opens | 3/30/2017 |
| Initial Disclosures Due | 4/29/2017 |
| Expert Disclosures Due | 8/27/2017 |
| Discovery Closes | 9/26/2017 |
| Plaintiff's Pretrial Disclosures | 11/10/2017 |
| Plaintiff's 30-day Trial Period Ends | 12/25/2017 |
| Defendant's Pretrial Disclosures | 1/9/2018 |
| Defendant's 30-day Trial Period Ends | 2/23/2018 |
| Plaintiff's Rebuttal Disclosures | 3/10/2018 |
| Plaintiff's 15-day Rebuttal Period Ends | 4/9/2018 |

In each instance, a copy of the transcript of testimony together with copies of documentary exhibits, must be served on the adverse party within thirty days after completion of the taking of testimony. Trademark Rule 2.125.

Briefs shall be filed in accordance with Trademark Rules 2.128(a) and (b). An oral hearing will be set only upon request filed as provided by Trademark Rule 2.129. If, during the suspension period, either of the parties or their attorneys should have a change of address, the Board should be so informed.

As a final matter, the parties are reminded of their continuing obligation to provide a detailed progress report with all future extension and suspension requests filed with the Board. Absent such a report, any future motion to extend or suspend may be denied, even if agreed to by the parties.¹

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¹ If the parties are (or during the pendency of this proceeding become) parties to another proceeding involving the subject application, the parties must notify the Board so the Board can consider whether consolidation or suspension of proceedings is appropriate.