

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
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Cancellation No. 92055081

Academy of Motion Picture
Arts and Sciences

v.

Alliance of Professionals &
Consultants, Inc.

**M. Catherine Faint,
Interlocutory Attorney:**

On December 11, 2012 the Board held a telephone conference involving Ulana Holubec, counsel for petitioner, Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, and Marcia M. Roseboro, counsel for respondent, Alliance of Professionals & Consultants, Inc. Before the Board was respondent's request, filed November 15, 2012, for Board participation in the discovery conference, petitioner's response thereto, and respondent's reply.

During the teleconference, counsel for the parties reported that the discovery conference had been held between them on November 27, 2012.

In view thereof, the request for Board participation in the discovery conference is moot.

The parties reported that they were involved in settlement negotiations, but do not seek to suspend the case at this time.

The parties may telephone the Interlocutory Attorney in the future if they need further help in speedy resolution of procedural issues, or to discuss ACR options.

The Board reminded the parties of the dates as set out in the Board's order of September 27, 2012, as copied below:

Initial Disclosures Due:	12/27/2012
Expert Disclosures Due:	4/26/2013
Discovery Closes:	5/26/2013
Plaintiff's Pretrial Disclosures Due:	7/10/2013
Plaintiff's 30-day Trial Period Ends:	8/24/2013
Defendant's Pretrial Disclosures Due:	9/8/2013
Defendant's 30-day Trial Period Ends:	10/23/2013
Plaintiff's Rebuttal Disclosures Due:	11/7/2013
Plaintiff's 15-day Rebuttal Period Ends:	12/7/2013

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.

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