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Opposition No. 91227911

*Elite IT Partners, Inc.*

*v.*

*1601054 Alberta Ltd.*

Christen M. English, Interlocutory Attorney:

The parties' stipulated motion, filed March 9, 2017 is granted. Proceedings remain suspended and will resume on March 29, 2017 on the schedule set forth below. In addition, pursuant to the parties' stipulation, Applicant is allowed until: (1) April 10, 2017, to respond to Opposer's motion to extend, filed February 17, 2017; and (2) April 20, 2017 to respond to Opposer's second set of discovery requests, served February 17, 2017.

Expert Disclosures Due	<b>3/21/2017</b>
Discovery Closes	<b>4/20/2017</b>
Plaintiff's Pretrial Disclosures Due	<b>6/4/2017</b>
Plaintiff's 30-day Trial Period Ends	<b>7/19/2017</b>
Defendant's Pretrial Disclosures Due	<b>8/3/2017</b>
Defendant's 30-day Trial Period Ends	<b>9/17/2017</b>
Plaintiff's Rebuttal Disclosures Due	<b>10/2/2017</b>
Plaintiff's 15-day Rebuttal Period Ends	<b>11/1/2017</b>

Generally, the Federal Rules of Evidence apply to Board trials. Trial testimony is taken and introduced out of the presence of the Board during the assigned testimony periods. The parties may stipulate to a wide variety of matters, and many

requirements relevant to the trial phase of Board proceedings are set forth in Trademark Rules 2.121 through 2.125. These include pretrial disclosures, the manner and timing of taking testimony, matters in evidence, and the procedures for submitting and serving testimony and other evidence, including affidavits, declarations, deposition transcripts and stipulated evidence.

Trial briefs shall be submitted in accordance with Trademark Rules 2.128(a) and (b). Oral argument at final hearing will be scheduled only upon the timely submission of a separate notice as allowed by Trademark Rule 2.129(a).