

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

COMMISSIONERS: Edith Ramirez, Chairwoman

In light of the foregoing, the parties argue there is good cause for the Commission to continue the administrative proceedings for 21 days. Specifically, they contend that, should the evidentiary hearing become moot, the requested continuance could relieve third parties of the burden and cost associated with preparing witnesses to testify and filing motions for *in camera* treatment of their confidential materials, which would need to start happening soon under the current schedule. The parties also argue that a continuance would not prejudice the Commission, even if the adjudication of this matter were to proceed.

Although the Commission is committed to moving forward as expeditiously as possible with adjudicative proceedings,² we find there is good cause here to grant the requested continuance given 4rm ktaTJ2(oul)-2(houg)4e2j EMC /Pglt, and cost thtCID 2 >>BDC 0 tng he 2(s)-1art h