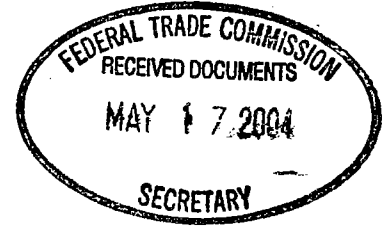


UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES



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 ASPEN TECHNOLOGY, INC., )  
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 Respondent. )  
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Docket No. 9310

**THIRD REVISED SCHEDULING ORDER**

On May 14, 2004, the Parties filed a joint motion to amend the scheduling order. The Parties have demonstrated good cause for revising the scheduling order. The motion is **GRANTED**.

The Scheduling Order is revised as follows:


- June 16, 2004 Exchange proposed stipulations of law, facts, and authenticity.
- June 16, 2004 Parties provide a written status report to Chief Administrative Law Judge.
- June 22, 2004 Respondent's Counsel files pretrial brief, not to exceed 50 pages.
- June 23, 2004 File final stipulations of law, facts, and authenticity. Any subsequent stipulations may be filed as agreed by the parties.
- June 23, 2004 Deadline for depositions of experts (including rebuttal experts).
- June 25, 2004 Deadline for Complaint Counsel to file reply pretrial brief, not to exceed 15 pages.
- June 30, 2004 Final prehearing conference to be held at 10:00 a.m. in room 532, Federal Trade Commission Building, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. The parties are to meet and confer prior to the conference regarding trial logistics and proposed stipulations of law, facts, and authenticity and any designated deposition testimony. Counsel may present any objections to the final proposed witness lists and exhibits, including the designated

testimony to be presented by deposition. Trial exhibits will be admitted or excluded to the extent practicable.

July 1, 2004

Commencement of Hearing, to begin at 10:00 a.m. in room 532, Federal Trade Commission Building, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

ORDERED:

  
Stephen J. McGuire  
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Date: May 17, 2004