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Re: PRB-021-2022

Dear Hearing Panel,

The parties have agreed to a settlement in principle and are currently drafting a stipulation of facts and proposed conclusions of law and sanctions to submit to the Panel for review. The parties have agreed to pause discovery while negotiating the language of the stipulation and would like to stay all deadlines in the current schedule until the stipulation is submitted and considered by the Panel. If the parties cannot come to an agreement regarding the language for the stipulation, or the Panel rejects it, the parties will submit a revised scheduling order to proceed with the case at that time. We write to inform the panel of this proposal and request permission to stay discovery.

Should the Panel have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

/s/ Ian P. Carleton
/s/ Hannah C. Waite

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