STIPULATION

WHEREAS the Court issued an order on September 8, 2011, denying Plaintiff Ariba, Inc.'s ("Ariba") motion to dismiss Defendant Rearden Commerce, Inc. and Ketera Technologies, Inc.'s (together, "Defendants") second, third, and fourth counterclaims and denying without prejudice Ariba's motion to strike portions of Defendants' counterclaims (Docket No. 40);

WHEREAS the Court, in its September 8, 2011 order, permits Ariba to amend its complaint to include additional allegations regarding other settlement offers made in this case;

WHEREAS the Court instructed the parties to meet and confer regarding the extent of the allegations in both the amended complaint and counterclaim in order to remain within the parameters of Fed. R. Evid. 408;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a)(4)(A), Ariba's answer to Defendants' counterclaims is due on September 22, 2011;

WHEREAS the parties have met and conferred to discuss the Court's order and scheduling going forward:

Ariba, by and through counsel Matthew J. Jacobs, and Defendants, by and through counsel Stuart L. Gasner, hereby stipulate and agree to the following schedule. Ariba's amended complaint will be filed on October 10, 2011. Defendants' answer and counterclaims to Ariba's amended complaint will be filed on October 24, 2011. Ariba's answer to Defendants' counterclaims will be filed on November 7, 2011.

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13		and KETERA TECHNOLOGIES, INC.
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-{PROPOSED}-ORDER

PURSUANT to the agreement and stipulation of the parties and for good cause shown, Ariba's amended complaint will be filed on October 10, 2011; Defendants' answer and counterclaims to Ariba's amended complaint will be filed on October 24, 2011; and Ariba's answer to Defendants' counterclaims will be filed on November 7, 2011. SEE BELOW

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _September 19, 2011 ____

Honorable Elizabeth D. Laporte

United States Magistrate Judge

A case management conference is scheduled for November 29, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. A joint case management statement shall be filed no later than November 22, 2011.