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14	FREECYCLESUNNYVALH a California unincorporated a		CASE NO. C06-003	24 CW			
15	Plaintiff,						
16	v.		REVISED STIPUL ORDER CHANGIN	ATED REQUEST I NG TIME UNDER (	FOR CIVIL		
17	THE FREECYCLE NETWO	ORK,	L.R. 6-2				
18	an Arizona corporation,						
19	Defendant	t.	Before: Honorable C	Claudia Wilken			
20	THE FREECYCLE NETWO	)RK INC an	-				
	Arizona Corporation,						
21	Countercl	aimant,					
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23	FREECYCLESUNNYVAL	E, a California					
24	unincorporated association,						
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PURSUANT TO CIVIL L.R. 6-2, Plaintiff FreecycleSunnyvale and Defendant The Freecycle Network, Inc., respectfully request this Court to enter an order changing time.

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## INTRODUCTION

4 The above-captioned lawsuit concerns The Freecycle Network's claim of trademark rights 5 over the term "freecycle" and a stylized logo depicting that term. FreecycleSunnyvale seeks a 6 declaration of non-infringement or, in the alternative, that the alleged trademarks are generic or 7 that The Freecycle Network has engaged in naked licensing. The Freecycle Network filed 8 counterclaims, alleging trademark infringement, contributory infringement, and unfair 9 competition under the Lanham Act, as well as California state-law claims for unfair competition. 10 Counsel for both parties appear pro bono. This Court's Case Management Order presently sets 11 the fact discovery cutoff for August 1, 2006. See Minute Order (Docket # 18). For the following 12 reasons, FreecycleSunnyvale and The Freecycle Network respectfully request a ninety (90) day 13 extension of the fact discovery cutoff and all other deadlines in the Case Management Order.

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## II. REASONS FOR THE REQUESTED ENLARGEMENT OF TIME

First, fact discovery should be extended because the issues that will be litigated before this Court have not been framed. The Court ruled on FreecycleSunnyvale's motions to dismiss and strike The Freecycle Network's counterclaims on July 25, 2006. In its order, this Court granted The Freecycle Network leave to amend within two weeks of the date of the order. Thus, the Freecycle Network is not required to file amended counterclaims until after the current fact discovery cutoff. Accordingly, there is uncertainty as to how the parties will opt to proceed. Second, the parties believe that additional discovery is necessary in this case. For

example, the parties have scheduled depositions but have not yet completed their production of
documents.

24 Third, assuming that fact discovery will be extended, the other deadlines in this Court's
25 Case Management Order should be similarly extended by ninety (90) days.

## 26 III. DISCLOSURE OF PREVIOUS TIME MODIFICATIONS

The parties have not previously sought an order modifying time in this case.

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## IV. EFFECT OF THE TIME MODIFICATION ON THE SCHEDULE OF THE CASE

The parties attach a proposed order that revises this Court's Case Management Order by extending the fact discovery cutoff and all other deadlines by approximately ninety (90) days. If a ninety-day extension of a deadline would fall on a weekend or holiday, the parties propose that the new deadline be the following business day. The following table summarizes the proposed changes to the Case Management Order and to the schedule of the case.

Deadlines	Current Cutoff	Proposed Cutoff
Completion of Fact Discovery:	08/01/06	11/01/06
Disclosure of identities and reports of expert witnesses:	09/01/06	12/01/06
Completion of Expert Discovery:	10/27/06	01/29/07
Plaintiff to file dispositive motion and notice for hearing on 12/8/06 at 10:00 a.m.:	10/27/06	01/29/07
Defendant opposition and any cross motion (contained in one brief):	11/10/06	02/12/07
Plaintiff reply/opposition:	11/17/06	02/20/07
Surreply:	11/27/06	02/27/07
Further Case Management Conference and all case- dispositive motions to be heard at 10:00 a.m. on or before:	12/08/06	03/16/07
Final Pretrial Conference at 1:30 p.m. on:	[to be set]	[to be set]
A Trial will begin at 8:30 a.m. on:	[to be set]	[to be set]
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1	The parties' proposed order will not affect the ADR process. On June 13, 2006, the					
2	parties engaged in court-connected mediation, which was conducted by William N. Herbert,					
3	Esquire. That mediation was unsuccessful in settling the lawsuit or narrowing the issues to be					
4	litigated.					
5	V. CONCLUSION					
6	For the foregoing reasons, the parties respectfully request an order changing time that					
7	grants a ninety (90) day extension of the fact discovery cutoff and all other deadlines in the Case					
8	Management Order.					
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