Northern District of California

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA SAN JOSE DIVISION

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Plaintiff,

v.

AGODA COMPANY PTE. LTD.,

Defendant.

Case No. 16-cv-07243-BLF

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S MINISTRATIVE MOTION TO NUE CLASS-CERTIFICATION ERT-WITNESS DESIGNATION DLINES: GRANTING ENDANT'S ADMINISTRATIVE OTION TO CONTINUE CLASS-CERTIFICATION BRIEFING AND HEARING DEADLINES

[Re: ECF 53, 57]

On September 21, 2018, Plaintiff filed an administrative motion to extend the time to designate class-certification expert witnesses so that Plaintiff has enough time to complete nonexpert discovery. See ECF 53. On September 25, 2018, Defendant filed an opposition to Plaintiff's motion in which it agreed to Plaintiff's request, and also requested that the classcertification briefing and hearing deadlines be continued commensurate with the expert witness designation deadline extension. See ECF 57. Defendant argues that extending only the expert deadlines will force Defendant to complete a large volume of work over the winter holidays, between December 13, 2018 and January 10, 2019. See id. The Court construes Defendant's opposition to be an administrative motion seeking additional relief. Plaintiff did not oppose this motion but did discuss in its motion that it believes extension of the other deadlines would be unnecessary. See ECF 53 at 1.

The Court finds good cause to extend the deadlines for expert witness designation and to extend the class certification hearing date as set forth in the table below, so as to avoid prejudicing Defendant. The parties are directed to meet and confer and submit a joint stipulation on a briefing

schedule by October 19, 2018. The final class certification brief must be filed no later than 15 days in advance of the hearing date.

EVENT	EXISTING DEADLINE	NEW DATE OR DEADLINE
Expert-Witness Designation	September 24, 2018	December 13, 2018
Deadline for Experts	September 24, 2016	December 13, 2018
Offered in Support of, or in		
Opposition to, Class-		
Certification Motions		
Rebuttal-Expert-Witness	October 29, 2018	January 10, 2019
Designation Deadline for		
Experts Offered in Support of,		
or in Opposition to, Class-		
Certification Motions		
Hearing on Motions for Class	Manak 21, 2010	M 2 2010
Certification	March 21, 2019	May 2, 2019

Accordingly, Plaintiff's administrative motion is GRANTED, and Defendant's administrative motion is GRANTED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 3, 2018

BETH LABSON FREEMAN United States District Judge