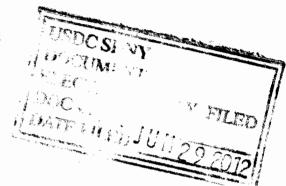


## United States Attorney Southern District of New York

The Silvio J. Mollo Building One Saint Andrew's Plaza New York, New York 10007

June 29, 2012



## **BY HAND**

Honorable Leonard B. Sand United States District Judge United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street, Room 1650 New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v, Pokerstars, et al.,

11 Civ. 2564 (LBS)

## Dear Judge Sand:

The Government respectfully writes to request a brief adjournment of certain upcoming deadlines in this action in order to facilitate, and hopefully, to successfully conclude, certain ongoing settlement communications.

Specifically, we request the following amendments to the current scheduling order:

- 1. Motions to dismiss and/or answers from those parties whose time has not expired to file such motions and answers, and motions to strike claims shall be filed by July 9, 2012, instead of the current deadline of July 2, 2012.
- 2. Opposition to all motions to dismiss and strike shall be filed by July 30, 2012 instead of July 23, 2012.
- 3. Replies shall be filed by August 13, 2012 instead of August 3, 2012.
- 4. Amended pleadings filed as a matter of course pursuant to Rule 15(a)(1) shall be filed by August 6, 2012 instead of July 30, 2012.

All other deadlines shall remain the same.

The undersigned has provided notice of this application to all parties in this action. All parties that have contacted the Government have provided their consent. None have opposed.

Respectfully submitted,

PREET BHARARA

United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York

By:

Sharon Cohen Levin Michael D. Lockard

Jason H. Cowley

Assistant United States Attorney

(212) 637-1060/2193/2479

cc: counsel for all parties (by email)

SO ORDERED:

JUN 29 2012

The Honorable Leonard B. Sand

United States District Judge