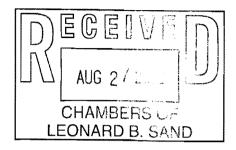
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August 27, 2012



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:

Upon the request of counsel for Avoine - Servicio De Consultadoria E Marketing, LDA ("Avoine"), who has requested additional time to respond to the Government's motion for, *inter alia*, the interlocutory sale of all assets of several Absolute Poker-affiliated entities (D.E. 237), the Government respectfully requests that the briefing schedule for that motion be amended as follows:

1. Avoine shall have until September 4, 2012 to respond to this motion.



2. The Government shall have until September 14, 2012 to file a reply relating to this motion.

The Government also respectfully requests that it have until September 4, 2012 to file its reply brief in regard to its motion to strike the claim of Avoine in this action.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: counsel for Avoine (by email)

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The Honorable Leonard B. Sand United States District Judge