

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE: ) M.D.L. No. 1285  
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VITAMINS ANTITRUST LITIGATION ) Misc. No. 99-0197 (TFH)  
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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: ) )  
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HILL'S PET NUTRITION, INC., ) )  
) )  
Plaintiff, ) )  
v. ) Docket No. 00-4001-RDR  
) )  
F. HOFFMAN LAROCHE, LTD., et al., ) )  
) )  
Defendants. ) )

**STIPULATED ORDER REGARDING BRIEFING SCHEDULE  
ON MOTION TO DISMISS FILED BY JOHN L. FISCHER**

This Stipulation and Proposed Order is made with reference to the following facts:

1. Defendant John L. Fischer has moved to dismiss the Complaint filed by Hill's Pet Nutrition, Inc. ("Hill's").
2. The response to the aforementioned Motion to Dismiss is currently due on April 4, 2000.
3. To accommodate Plaintiffs' counsel conflicting schedule, the parties agree to extend the date on which Hill's response is due through and including May 2, 2000.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between counsel for the undersigned parties, that:

1. Hill's shall have through and including May 2, 2000 to file its response to the Motion to Dismiss filed by John L. Fischer.

2. John L. Fischer shall have through and including May 16, 2000 to file any reply.

Respectfully submitted,



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SO ORDERED:

Dated: 4/4/00



Thomas F. Hogan  
United States District Judge

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