

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT

In re Vitamin Antitrust Litigation

) MDL No. 1285

) Misc. No. 99-0197 (TFH)

This document relates to:

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Hill's Pet Nutrition, Inc. v. F. Hoffman
LaRoche, Ltd., et al.
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STIPULATION AND ORDER

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the undersigned, that the time in which defendants UCB, Inc. and UCB S.A. shall have to answer, move against or otherwise respond to the Complaint in this matter is extended until April 18, 2000.

If UCB, Inc. or UCB S.A. files a motion in response to the Complaint, any response shall be due 21 days after service of such motion, and any reply shall be due 14 days after service of such response.

This Stipulation and Order is not intended to waive and does not waive any rights of plaintiff or defendant, or any defense that the defendant may have, including, without limitation, the defense of insufficiency of process or lack of personal jurisdiction.

Dated: April 10, 2000

Respectfully submitted,

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~~SO ORDERED~~

This 11th day of April, 2000.

Thomas F. Hogan
Hon. Thomas F. Hogan
United States District Judge