

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of )
Game Show Network, LLC, ) MB Docket No. 12-122
Complainant )
v. ) File No. CSR-8529-P
Cablevision Systems Corp., )
Defendant )

ORDER

Adopted: January 10, 2017

Released: January 10, 2017

By the Associate General Counsel, Administrative Law Division:

1. Pending before the Commission is a Motion for Extension of Time (Motion) filed by Game Show Network, LLC (GSN) on January 5, 2017. GSN requests an extension of time for replying to Cablevision Systems Corporation's (Cablevision) Petition to Stay Chief Administrative Law Judge Sippel's initial decision in this proceeding.

2. GSN seeks a three-day extension of the time in which it may file its opposition to the Stay Petition (from January 10, 2017 to January 13, 2017). GSN states that January 13, 2017 is the date on which it will file its replies to Cablevision's (1) Exceptions to the Initial Decision, and (2) Opposition to Petition to Compel Compliance. Those filing dates are pursuant to a schedule approved by an Order granting a previous Motion for Extension of Time by GSN.

1 Cablevision Sys. Corp., Petition to Stay the Initial Decision, Game Show Network, LLC v. Cablevision Sys. Corp., MB Docket No. 12-122; File No. CSR-8529-P (Jan. 3, 2017) (Stay Petition); Game Show Network, LLC v. Cablevision Sys. Corp., MB Docket No. 12-122; File No. CSR-8529-P, Initial Decision, 16D-1 (Nov. 23, 2016) (Initial Decision).

2 Motion at 1-2.

3 Id. at 1 (noting that section 1.45(d) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.45(d), requires oppositions to a request for stay to be filed within seven days after the request is filed).

4 Game Show Network, LLC v. Cablevision Sys. Corp., MB Docket No. 12-122; File No. CSR-8529-P, Order, DA 16-1430 (OGC Dec. 21, 2016) (consolidating filing dates to simplify the schedule and alleviate scheduling conflicts) (Consolidation Order).

5 Motion at 2.

relates closely to its Opposition to GSN's Petition to Compel Compliance.<sup>6</sup>

3. While it is the Commission's policy that extensions of time are not routinely granted,<sup>7</sup> GSN's request is supported by good cause and consistent with the reasoning in the Consolidation Order.<sup>8</sup> Three additional days will allow parties to more efficiently respond to related pleadings by aligning due dates without creating undue delay. Additionally, all parties to the hearing consent to the proposed extension.

4. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED that pursuant to the authority set forth in 47 C.F.R. § 0.251(b)(1), GSN's January 5, 2017 Motion for Extension of Time IS GRANTED, and oppositions to Cablevision's Petition to Stay the Initial Decision will be due no later than January 13, 2017.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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<sup>6</sup> *Id.* ("In aligning the deadlines, GSN believes it will be able to respond to Cablevision's pleadings more efficiently and in a more streamlined manner, without causing significant delay.").

<sup>7</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.46(a).

<sup>8</sup> *See* Consolidation Order at 2, para. 4.