

UNITED STATES COPYRIGHT ROYALTY JUDGES
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<i>In re</i> Distribution of Cable Royalty Funds	DOCKET NO. 2012-6 CRB CD 2004-09 (Phase II)
<i>In re</i> Distribution of Satellite Royalty Funds	DOCKET NO. 2012-7 CRB SD 1999-2009 (Phase II)

JOINT STIPULATED ORDER AMENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

The MPAA-represented Program Suppliers, Settling Devotional Claimants (“SDC”), and Independent Producers Group (“IPG”) (collectively the “Phase II Parties”) participated in a telephonic status conference with the Copyright Royalty Judges (“Judges”) on February 19, 2015. In that status conference, the Judges directed the Phase II Parties to submit a joint proposal to amend the procedural schedule set in the consolidated dockets¹ to accommodate IPG’s witness, Dr. Laura Robinson, who is unable to testify during the currently scheduled hearing week of March 23, 2015.² The Judges also directed the Phase II Parties to propose other necessary revisions to the procedural schedule.

The Phase II Parties submitted the following proposed amended schedule to the Judges on February 23, 2015:

Amended Distribution Proceeding Case Schedule

Case Event	Date
File Written Rebuttal Statement re distribution; voluntary exchange of all underlying documents related to each Phase II Parties’ Written Rebuttal Statement.	March 13, 2015
Parties submit and exchange (i) witness lists, (ii) witness time estimates and exhibit lists, and (iii) all exhibits, indexed and tabbed in 3-ring binders.	March 13, 2015
Parties submit preliminary motions and written objections to exhibits.	March 20, 2013

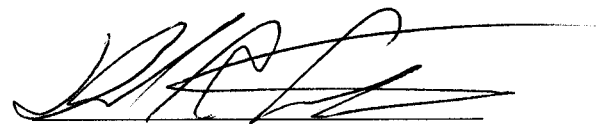
¹ See Order of Consolidation and Amended Case Schedule, Docket Nos. 2012-6 CRB CD 2004-2009 (Phase II) and 2012-7 CRB SD 1999-2009 (Phase II) at Exhibit A (August 29, 2014).

² On February 13, 2015, IPG filed a motion seeking a continuance of the start date of the distribution hearing in the instant proceeding due to the unexpected unavailability of Dr. Robinson. SDC opposed IPG’s motion. In light of this Joint Stipulated Order, the Judges **DENY** IPG’s motion as moot.

Case Event	Date
Hearing (opening statements; direct cases of MPAA, SDC, and initial direct case witness for IPG).	March 23-26, 2015
Hearing (remainder of IPG direct case; rebuttal cases of IPG, MPAA, and SDC; closing arguments).	April 13-16, 2015 ³
File Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.	May 16, 2015 (30 days post hearing)
File replies to Proposed Findings and Conclusions	June 16, 2015
Initial determination	TBD ⁴

The Judges find this proposed amended proceeding case schedule reasonable, and adopt it to govern future proceedings in this matter.

SO ORDERED.



David R. Strickler
Copyright Royalty Judge

DATED: February 26, 2015

³ The Phase II Parties have agreed that SDC witness John Sanders may present his rebuttal testimony on April 16, 2015, to accommodate his travel schedule.

⁴ In light of the impact on the CRB's docket of the Phase II Parties' requested changes to the case schedule for this proceeding, the Phase II Parties have acknowledged that they have no objection to the Judges issuing their Initial Determination after the date specified in 17 U.S.C. § 803(c)(1), should additional deliberation time be required.