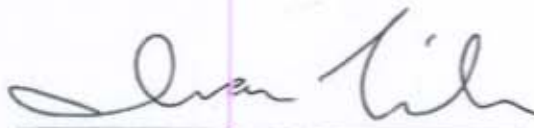


agreement and final order ("CAFO").

Therefore, Complainant and Respondent jointly move that the date to file the answer to the Complaint be extended from October 31, 2007, until December 14, 2007, to allow the parties sufficient time to resolve the allegations and execute a CAFO.

Respectfully submitted,

DATE: 10/19/07



Ivan Lieben
Assistant Regional Counsel
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DATE: 10/17/07



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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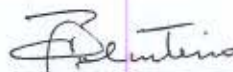
and that a true and correct copy of the Motion was placed in the
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