

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

ARTHUR L. BRASHER, <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	Case No. 11-CV-0991
v.	)	
	)	Honorable James B. Zagel
BROADWIND ENERGY, INC., <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
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**STIPULATION REGARDING SCHEDULING**

The parties to this action, by their undersigned counsel and subject to the approval of the Court, hereby stipulate as follows:

1. On November 16, 2012, Plaintiffs filed a Motion for Withdrawal and Substitution of Lead Plaintiff (“Motion”) (Dkt. No. 111).
2. On December 7, 2012, Defendants filed a Memorandum in Opposition to Plaintiff’s Motion for Substitution of Lead Plaintiff (Dkt. No. 123).
3. Pursuant to the parties’ previous stipulation (Dkt. No. 114) and the Court’s Minute Entry entered on November 26, 2012 (Dkt. No. 116), Plaintiff’s Reply brief in support of the Motion (“Reply”) is due by December 14, 2012.
4. Because the parties recently resumed settlement discussions, Plaintiff and Defendants filed a stipulation agreeing to a one-week extension of the deadline for Plaintiff to file his Reply and setting a new deadline for December 21, 2012 (Dkt. No. 124).
5. Because the parties are still engaging in settlement discussions, they agree to extend the Reply deadline further and set the new deadline for December 28, 2012. Judge Wayne Anderson (ret.), who is serving as the settlement mediator, believes the parties are making progress in negotiations and endorses the request for additional time to allow the parties to focus their efforts on the negotiations.

Pursuant to the Court’s Case Management Procedures, a copy of this Stipulation Regarding Scheduling is being submitted to the Court via email.

Dated this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2012.

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, William B. Federman, one of Plaintiffs' attorneys, hereby certify that on December 19, 2012, service of the foregoing Stipulation Regarding Scheduling was accomplished pursuant to ECF as to Filing Users and in compliance with LR 5.5 as to any party who is not a Filing User or represented by a Filing User.

/s/William B. Federman