IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS FORT WORTH DIVISION

FREDRIC RUSSEL MANCE, JR. et al.,

VS.

Civil Action No. 4:14-CV-00539-O

ERIC HOLDER, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES, and B. TODD JONES, DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO, FIREARMS & EXPLOSIVES

JOINT MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING DATE

Plaintiffs and Defendants hereby jointly move for a continuance of the hearing scheduled for December 30, 2014.

On December 12, 2014, the Court entered an Order setting a hearing on Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, or in the Alternative, for Summary Judgment, and Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment for December 30, 2014. *See* ECF No. 34. In support of this motion, the parties state as follows:

- 1. Lead counsel for Plaintiffs, Mr. Gura, will be out of the office on a family vacation from December 22, 2014 to January 2, 2015, and will return to the office on January 5, 2015. Mr. Gura is also unavailable on the following dates: January 8-9, 13-16, 21-22, and 26-29.
- 2. Plaintiffs' local counsel, Mr. Mateja, will also be out of town on a family vacation on December 30, 2014.

¹ The parties received notice of this Order via the Court's ECF system on December 15, 2014.

- 3. Lead counsel for Defendants, Ms. Farby, will also be out of the office on a family vacation from December 24, 2014, through January 2, 2015, and will return to the office on January 5, 2015. Ms. Farby is also unavailable on January 5 and 12.
- 4. The parties therefore respectfully request that the Court reset the hearing for a date other than the dates listed above. All counsel of record are available on the following dates in January: January 6, 7, 20, and 23.
 - The parties shall submit a proposed order in conjunction with this motion. 5.

Dated: December 16, 2014 Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Alan Gura (with permission)_

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On December 16, 2014, I electronically submitted the foregoing document with the clerk of court for the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Texas, using the electronic case filing system of the court. I hereby certify that I have served all parties electronically or by another manner authorized by Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5(b)(2) or the local rules.

/s/ Lesley Farby Lesley Farby