

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA | * | CIVIL ACTION |
| Plaintiff | * | NUMBER: 12-1924 |
| v. | * | SECTION: E |
| THE CITY OF NEW ORLEANS | * | JUDGE SUSIE MORGAN |
| Defendant | * | DIVISION 2 |
| | | MAG. WILKINSON |
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**MOTION TO CONTINUE FIFTH PUBLIC MEETING FOR MONITOR
SELECTION**

Defendant, the City of New Orleans (“City”), respectfully moves this Court for leave to continue the date of the fifth public meeting to select a Consent Decree Monitor from May 14, 2013 at 12:00 pm to May 28, 2013. The Parties are working diligently to attempt to reach agreement on a proposed monitoring team and are making progress. During the last two weeks, the parties have gathered additional information related to the qualifications of the members of the candidates for the monitor. In fact, just today, the parties received additional information related to costs of the monitor. To allow the parties to fully evaluate the additional information they have received and to continue the ongoing good faith efforts to reach an agreement, the City moves this Court for a two week continuance of the public meeting currently scheduled for May 14, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading has been served on all counsel of record through the Court's CM/ECF electronic filing system this 10th day of May, 2013.

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MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO CONTINUE FIFTH PUBLIC MEETING

Defendant, the City of New Orleans (“City”), respectfully moves this Court for leave to continue the date of the fifth public meeting to select a Consent Decree Monitor from May 14, 2013 at 12:00 pm to May 28, 2013. The Parties are working diligently to attempt to reach agreement on a proposed monitoring team and are making progress. During the last two weeks, the parties have gathered additional information related to the qualifications of the members of the candidates for the monitor. In fact, just today, the parties received additional information related to costs of the monitor. In addition, public comments continue to be provided to the parties and to this Honorable Court. To allow the parties to fully evaluate the additional information they have received and to continue the ongoing good faith efforts to reach an agreement, the City moves this Court for a two week continuance of the public meeting currently scheduled for May 14, 2013.

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| | | MAGISTRATE WILKINSON |

ORDER

CONSIDERING THE FOREGOING Motion to Continue the Fifth Public Meeting for Monitor Selection, filed on behalf of the Defendant, City of New Orleans (“City”):

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the City’s Motion is **GRANTED**.

This _____ day of _____, 2013, New Orleans, Louisiana.

JUDGE SUSIE MORGAN