UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

No. 12-1924

CITY OF NEW ORLEANS, Defendant **SECTION "E"**

ORDER

Before the Court is a joint motion filed by the City of New Orleans and the United States of America (together, the "Parties"). The Parties seek leave to reschedule the fifth public meeting to select a Consent Decree Court Monitor ("Monitor") in the above-captioned matter. The Parties represent that they "are working diligently to attempt to reach agreement on a proposed monitoring team and are making progress." Having considered the motion, the Court finds the Parties have shown just cause for leave to reschedule the fifth public meeting.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is **GRANTED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the fifth public meeting to select a Monitor is **RESCHEDULED** to **Tuesday, May 14, 2013, at 12:00 p.m. noon.** The meeting will be held in the Bienville Club Lounge at the Mercedez-Benz Superdome, 1500 Poydras Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70112.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, in the event the Parties are unable to agree on

¹ R. Doc. 227.

² R. Doc. 227 at p. 1.

a Monitor, the Parties shall so inform the Court no later than Tuesday, May 14, 2013,

at 11:59 p.m. The Court will then select the Monitor pursuant to paragraph 478 of the

Consent Decree entered as a judgment of this Court on January 11, 2013.³

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, in the event the Parties are unable to agree on

a Monitor, no later than Tuesday, May 14, 2013, at 11:59 p.m., each party shall file a

memorandum, not to exceed twenty pages excluding exhibits, setting forth its arguments

in support of the party's respective choice. Each party shall also deliver a binder containing

a hard copy of its memorandum and supporting exhibits to chambers of the undersigned

no later than Wednesday, May 15, 2013, at 9:00 a.m. Each exhibit must be indexed,

tabbed, and marked with its identifying CM/ECF document number stamp.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Parties shall file in the record copies of all

written comments received regarding the Monitor no later than **Thursday**, **May 2**, **2013**,

at 5:00 p.m.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 30th day of April, 2013.

SUSIE MORGAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

³ R. Docs. 159 and 160.

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