

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Britax Child Safety, Inc.

CPSC Docket No. 18-1

July 12, 2018

Order Regarding Motion for Stay

On June 27, 2018, I ordered the parties to file objections, if any, to the manner of my appointment or ratification of the prehearing conference scheduling order in light of the Supreme Court's in *Lucia v. SEC*, No. 17-130. The parties now jointly move to extend the deadline for filing such objections. Good cause for that extension has been shown, and any objections will now be due August 17, 2018.

However, good cause has not been shown to similarly stay discovery. I have now granted three requested extensions of time pertaining to discovery. I am pleased that the parties are communicating and behaving professionally with regard to potential discovery disputes, and I encourage them to make every effort to reach agreement where practicable. However, this case must be resolved expeditiously, and it is still my expectation that discovery will close on December 1, 2018. Although I will rule on whatever objections the parties ultimately file, it is not presently clear that the Securities and Exchange Commission's post-*Lucia* course of action will have any bearing on my ruling.

The parties' Joint Motion for Stay and Extension of Time to File Motions Regarding Appointment is therefore GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART.



Cameron Elliot
Administrative Law Judge