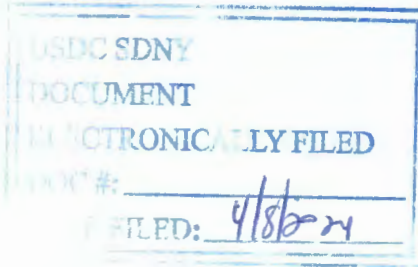


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Honorable Colleen McMahon
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Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan
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*4/8/2024
No deadline in the
docket should be
there. File your best
counsel motion on
Day 61. We will
plan*

Re: **Blum v. Anavex Life Sciences Corp., No. 1:24-cv-1910-CM**

Dear Judge McMahon:

We represent Defendants Anavex Life Sciences Corporation and Christopher Missling ("Defendants") in the above-captioned matter. We have conferred with counsel for Plaintiff and write to request a stay of the deadline to respond to the currently operative complaint pending resolution of the lead plaintiff process pursuant to the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act ("PSLRA"), 15 U.S.C. § 78u-4. Plaintiff consents to this request.

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schedule
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We observe that section IV.M of Your Honor's Individual Practices and Procedures provides that, in cases subject to the PSLRA, the Court shall set a schedule for filing a consolidated amended complaint and briefing motions to dismiss after selection of a lead plaintiff. In the meantime, however, there are deadlines on the docket for Defendants to respond to the currently operative complaint. Consistent with the apparent intent of the Court's Individual Practices and to promote efficiency in light of the required lead plaintiff process, the parties propose that deadlines to respond to the current complaint be stayed pending selection of a lead plaintiff and the filing of a consolidated amended complaint (or notification that the lead plaintiff wishes to proceed under the currently operative complaint).

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appropriate)*

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Theodore L. Kornobis

cc: Adam M. Apton, Levi & Korsinsky LLP
Stephen G. Topetzes, K&L Gates LLP

*for the filing of
a consolidated
complaint followed
by the obligatory
motion to
dismiss.*