UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of

CERTAIN VAPORIZER DEVICES, CARTRIDGES USED THEREWITH, AND COMPONENTS THEREOF

INV. NO. 337-TA-1368

ORDER NO. 17: GRANTING JOINT MOTION TO TAKE FACT DEPOSITIONS OUT OF TIME

(February 8, 2024)

Complainants JUUL Labs, Inc. and VMR Products LLC, and respondents NJOY, LLC, NJOY Holdings, Inc., Altria Group, Inc., Altria Group Distribution Company, and Altria Client Services LLC move for leave to conduct "a two-hour deposition of Respondents' witness Mr. Murray Garnick on February 16, 2024, and to take the deposition of Complainants' witness Jan Andreis Verleur, should it be necessary" after the January 26, 2024, close of fact discovery. Motion Docket No. 1368-08 (EDIS Doc. ID 813608) at 1. The motion states it is unopposed by the Staff. *Id.*

The private parties state that: (1) at the November 29, 2023, case management conference, I stated that the parties should confer regarding Mr. Garnick's deposition, Tr. at 31 (EDIS Doc. ID 809507); (2) the parties agreed that his deposition will take place on February 16, 2024; and (3) complainants' witness Jan Andreis Verleur had to cancel his previously-scheduled deposition during the fact discovery period due to health reasons, and "[s]hould it occur," the parties agreed that it will take place after the close of fact discovery. *Id.* at 1–2.

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There being no opposition and for good cause shown, Motion No. 1368-08 is GRANTED. The parties are directed to meet and confer concerning whether Jan Andreis Verleur's deposition is necessary and establish a date certain for the deposition.

SO ORDERED.

Doris Johnson Hines Administrative Law Judge