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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of	
REALCOMP II LTD.,	Docket No. 9320
a corporation.	
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In the Matter of	
MIREALSOURCE, INC.,	Docket No. 9321
a corporation.	·

JOINT MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER

Pursuant to Rule 4.3(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, Complaint Counsel and Respondents Realcomp II Ltd. and MiRealSource, Inc. ("MiRealSource"), move to extend the time for each Respondent to file its respective Answer to the Commission's Complaints from November 6, 2006 to November 20, 2006. The bases for this motion are the following:

- 1. The Complaints in these matters were served on the Respondents on October 17, 2006, making the Answer of each Respondent due November 6, 2006. *See* Rule 3.12(a).
- 2. Complaint Counsel and counsel for Respondents are in the process of meeting and conferring concerning the possibility of consolidating these cases for pretrial purposes. Although these discussions are at an early stage, the parties may be able to reach agreement on this issue. Pretrial consolidation may avoid duplicative discovery, reduce discovery disputes, and avoid the waste of judicial resources. The parties, however, are attempting to work through a number of issues relating to the procedures to be used in managing consolidated discovery.
- 3. An extension of time for Respondents to file their Answers to the Commission's Complaints would allow the parties sufficient time to complete the meet and

confer process before the Scheduling Conferences, possibly resulting in an agreement or allowing the parties to narrow the issues (if any) to be presented to the Court.

- 4. An extension of time to allow the parties sufficient time to complete the meet and confer process is also appropriate in light of MiRealSource's retention of new counsel, who entered an appearance on October 26, 2006.
- 5. Good cause exists to justify this brief extension as described above. A proposed order is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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ORDER ON JOINT MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER UPON THE MOTION of Complaint Counsel and Respondents pursuant to Section 4.3(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice; and		
IT APPEARING TO THE COURT that good ca Respondents to file their Answers to the Commission's		
ORDERED that the time for Respondents to file their Answers is hereby extended to November 20, 2006.		
	Stephen J. McGuire Chief Administrative Law Judge	
Dated:, 2006		

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that on October 31, 2006, I caused a copy of the attached Joint Motion For An Extension Of Time To Answer to be served upon the following persons by Electronic Transmission, Overnight Courier or Hand-Delivered:

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