UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES

In the Matter of

HEALTH RESEARCH LABORATORIES, LLC, a limited liability company,

WHOLE BODY SUPPLEMENTS, LLC, a limited liability company, and

DOCKET NO. 9397

KRAMER DUHON, individually and as an officer of HEALTH RESEARCH LABORATORIES, LLC and WHOLE BODY SUPPLEMENTS, LLC.

COMPLAINT COUNSEL'S MOTION SEEKING PERMISSION TO FILE RESPONSE TO RESPONDENTS' WAIVER

Complaint Counsel requests permission to file a short response to the waiver filed by Respondents on February 25, 2021. On February 12, 2021, Respondents filed a motion for leave to file an amended answer along with a proposed amended answer. Complaint Counsel filed an Opposition to that motion and the proposed amended answer on February 24, 2021.

Respondents' waiver substantially changes their original proposed amended answer, and Complaint Counsel therefore requests an opportunity to file a response. Despite its title, Respondents' waiver functionally serves as a new motion to file a second amended answer without two affirmative defenses.

Complaint Counsel therefore requests permission to file a response not to exceed 1500 words addressing remaining issues following the waiver and Respondents' original motion for leave to file an amended answer. Complaint Counsel respectfully requests one week to file the response (March 4, 2021).

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

Pursuant to Paragraph 4 of the Court's December 14, 2020 Scheduling Order, the undersigned counsel represents that she contacted Respondents' counsel, Joel Reese, by email on February 25, in a good faith effort to resolve by agreement the issues raised in this motion. In response, Mr. Reese stated he disagreed.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I served a copy of Complaint Counsel's Motion Seeking Permission to File a Response to Respondents' Waiver to counsel for the Respondents on February 25, 2021 via electronic mail.

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I also served one electronic copy via the Administrative E-Filing System and one electronic courtesy copy to the **Office of the Secretary** via email to ElectronicFilings@ftc.gov.

I served one electronic courtesy copy via email to the Office of the Administrative Law Judge:

The Honorable D. Michael Chappell Administrative Law Judge 600 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Room H-110 Washington, DC 20580

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[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING COMPLAINT COUNSEL'S MOTION TO FILE RESPONSE TO RESPONDENTS' WAIVER

This matter having come before the Chief Administrative Law Judge on February 25, 2021, upon Complaint Counsel's Motion Seeking Permission to File Response to Respondents' Waiver it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

- 1. The Motion is **GRANTED**; and
- Complaint Counsel may file a response not to exceed 1500 words no later than March 4, 2021.

ORDERED:	
	D. Michael Chappell
	Chief Administrative Law Judge
Date	