

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

LIBERTY LATIN AMERICA LTD., *et al.*

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:20-cv-03064-TNM

**JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE
OF JANUARY 5, 2021 HEARING**

The United States of America, jointly with Defendants Liberty Latin America Ltd., Liberty Communications of Puerto Rico LLC, and AT&T Inc., respectfully move for a continuance of the Court’s January 5, 2021 hearing until after February 3, 2021, when the comment period in this matter will be closed and a motion for entry of the proposed Final Judgment may be timely.

The Clayton Act, as amended by the Antitrust Procedures and Penalties Act (“APPA”), 15 U.S.C. § 16, requires that proposed consent judgments in antitrust cases brought by the United States be subject to a 60-day comment period and that the United States consider any comments submitted and file responses as appropriate, after which the Court may determine whether entry of the proposed Final Judgment “is in the public interest.” 15 U.S.C. § 16(e)(1). In this matter, the United States published the Complaint, proposed Final Judgment, and Competitive Impact Statement in the *Federal Register* on November 16, 2020, *see* 85 Fed. Reg.

73070 (Nov. 16, 2020), and publication of the required notices in newspapers of general circulation was completed on November 18, 2020. Accordingly, the 60-day comment period began on November 19, 2020, and will end on January 19, 2021.

During the telephonic status conference in this matter on October 26, 2020, the Court explained that it would hold the scheduled hearing if necessary to address any questions that remain after the 60-day comment period has concluded and the United States has filed its response to any comments submitted. Under the APPA, the United States is required to consider all comments, including those post-marked during the 60-day comment period, prepare responses to the comments as appropriate, and file the comments and responses with the Court. At or around the same time, the United States will decide whether to file with the Court a motion to enter the Final Judgment. Should comments be received, the United States anticipates that it will be able to fulfill its APPA obligations in advance of a hearing held after February 3. Thus, a brief delay will allow the hearing to serve its intended purpose.

For these reasons, the parties move for a continuance.

Dated: December 16, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Court this _____ day of _____, 20___,
that the hearing currently scheduled for January 5, 2021, shall be rescheduled for February __,
2021 at ____ am/pm.

United States District Judge