

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

NATERA, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

1:23-CV-629

NEOGENOMICS LABORATORIES,
INC.,

Defendant.

**JOINT STIPULATION AND ORDER REGARDING
EXTENSION OF DEADLINES TO EXCHANGE
FINAL INFRINGEMENT AND INVALIDITY CONTENTIONS**

Pursuant to the Court’s operative Scheduling Order, Doc. 213, as modified at Doc. 256), and subject to the Court’s approval, Plaintiff Natera, Inc. (“Natera”) and Defendant NeoGenomics Laboratories, Inc. (“NeoGenomics”) respectfully submit this Joint Stipulation to extend by approximately one week the Parties’ respective deadlines to exchange and serve Final Infringement Contentions and Final Invalidity Contentions, as set forth below.

Although NeoGenomics does not believe that it is required to supplement its interrogatory response prior to the time that Natera provides its final infringement contentions, in the interest of compromise NeoGenomics has agreed to serve its first supplemental response to Natera’s Interrogatory No. 4 on June 7, 2024. That interrogatory states: “For each limitation of each asserted claim of the Asserted Patents, Identify, in claim chart form, all bases (if any), including all supporting evidence, on which You contend You do not infringe, and Identify persons with knowledge of Your contentions”;

As the requested extensions apply only to exchanges of documents to be served between the Parties, rather than to any materials to be filed with the Court, and further because the requested extensions will not impact any of the other case deadlines set forth in the Court's operative Scheduling Order, the Parties respectfully request the Court enter the following **STIPULATION**:

1. Natera's deadline to serve its Final Infringement Contentions on NeoGenomics shall be extended from June 7, 2024 to June 14, 2024;
2. NeoGenomics' deadline to serve its Final Invalidity Contentions on Natera shall be extended from June 28, 2024 to July 8, 2024;¹ and
3. All other case deadlines set forth in the Court's operative Scheduling Order entered February 12, 2024, Doc. 213, as modified by the Court's April 2, 2024 Order, Doc. 256, shall remain in effect.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

Respectfully submitted, this 6th day of June, 2024.

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¹ NeoGenomics' deadline is extended to the following Monday to account for the 4th of July holiday.

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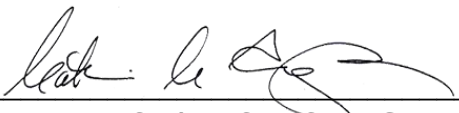
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PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, it is ORDERED that

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This 7th day of June, 2024.



CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I caused the foregoing document to be electronically filed with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will give notice of such filing to all attorneys currently of record in the above-captioned case.

Dated: June 6, 2024

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