GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CONTRACT APPEALS BOARD

APPEAL OF:	
KATCO ASSOCIATES, INC.) CAB No. D-1590
Under Contract No. CW62098)

ORDER SCHEDULING A MERITS HEARING, AND PARTIALLY GRANTING JOINT MOTION TO ENLARGE TIME TO FILE MEMORANDUM OF OPPOSING POINTS AND AUTHORITIES AND PROPOSED SCHEDULING ORDER

Filing ID #71500868

Presently before the Board is a November 20, 2023, joint motion by the parties in the above-captioned appeal, which seeks an enlargement of time (1) for Appellant to file a memorandum of opposing points and authorities in response to the District's November 14, 2023, motion to dismiss; and (2) for the parties to file a joint proposed scheduling order. (*See generally* Joint Mot. to Enlarge Time to File Mem. of Opposing P. & A. & Proposed Scheduling Order ("Joint Mot. to Enlarge") at 1-3.) In their motion, the parties state that an enlargement of time will allow them to explore a possible settlement of the claims herein. (*See id.* at 2.)

Upon review of the parties' joint motion to enlarge, and the entire record herein, the Board hereby grants the parties' motion in relevant part, and orders that (1) the deadline for Appellant's response to the District's motion to dismiss shall be enlarged to March 19, 2024; (2) the merits hearing in this appeal shall be scheduled for April 22-25, 2025; and (3) the parties shall submit a joint proposed scheduling order that incorporates the above merits hearing dates within 15 days of Appellant's filing of its response to the District's motion to dismiss. *See* D.C. Mun. Regs. tit. 27, § 123.1 (2020).

SO ORDERED.

Date: <u>November 29, 2023</u>

/s/ Marc D. Loud, Sr. MARC D. LOUD, SR. Chief Administrative Judge

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