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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

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DOCKET NO. 16-17

**CONNIE LANE CHRISTY and
CHRISTY COLLECTION INTERNATIONAL, INC. on behalf of
THE ANNIE GRACE FOUNDATION FOR THE CHILDREN OF BALI, INDONESIA**

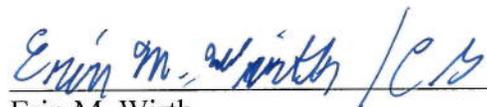
v.

AIR 7 SEAS TRANSPORT LOGISTICS INC.

**ORDER ENLARGING TIME TO ANSWER OR
OTHERWISE RESPOND TO COMPLAINT**

Commission rules require Respondent to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint on or before December 16, 2016. On December 15, 2016, Respondent filed a motion asking that the time to answer or otherwise respond be enlarged. The motion states that Respondent retained counsel within the last three business days, that additional time is needed because of the holiday season, that counsel's wife is having a surgical procedure on December 26, 2016, and that counsel has contacted Complainant Connie Lane Christy, who has not accepted the offer to meet and confer by telephone about the motion, has refused to agree to an extension, but wants Respondent to agree to mediation. Respondent seeks an extension of twenty-eight days to January 13, 2017, contending that granting "such an extension under these circumstances is consistent with prior Commission precedent and procedures and will promote the administration of justice and the efficient disposition of this case." (Motion for Extension of Time to File Responsive Pleadings at 2.) Good cause having been stated, it is hereby

ORDERED that Respondent's motion be **GRANTED**. Time to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint is enlarged to January 13, 2017.



Erin M. Wirth
Administrative Law Judge