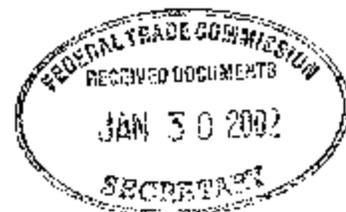


UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION



In the Matter of _____
MSC.SFTWARE CORPORATION, _____
a corporation. _____

Docket No. 9299

ORDER ON RESPONSE TIME

On January 25, 2002, Respondent MSC Software Corporation ("MSC") filed a motion to compel Complaint Counsel to respond to written discovery ("motion to compel"). Complaint Counsel's response to that motion is due by February 4, 2002. On January 30, 2002, MSC filed a supplemental memorandum in support of its motion to compel based upon Complaint Counsel's revised interrogatory answers ("supplemental memorandum").

Complaint Counsel is hereby ORDERED to include a response to the supplemental memorandum with its response to the motion to compel by February 4, 2002.

ORDERED:



D. Michael Chappell
Administrative Law Judge

Date: January 30, 2002