

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

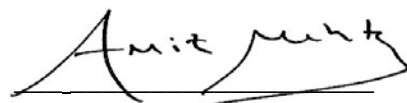
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JASON G. VOGEL,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
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v.)	Case No. 16-cv-01598 (APM)
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GO DADDY GROUP, INC. et al.,)	
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Defendants.)	
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ORDER

Plaintiff filed a third motion for extension of time to complete preliminary discovery in this matter on March 20, 2017, which the court granted, thereby giving Plaintiff an additional 120 days to determine the identities of the four John Doe defendants named in Plaintiff’s Complaint and serve them with the Complaint. *See* Pl.’s Mot. for Extension of Time to Complete Discovery, ECF No. 7; Order, ECF No. 8. On April 3, 2017, prospective amicus curiae Freedman + Taitelman LLP filed a motion seeking leave to file a brief in opposition to the court’s Order. *See* Mot. for Leave to File as Amicus Curiae, ECF No. 9, Exhibit Br., ECF No. 9-2. The anticipated brief asks the court to dismiss this case for lack of jurisdiction. *See id.* at 4–8.

At this time, the court declines to rule on whether to accept the prospective amicus’s filing. Rather, the court hereby orders Plaintiff to file a brief, on or before April 17, 2017, that addresses the court’s jurisdiction. All discovery in this matter is stayed pending resolution of whether the court has jurisdiction.

Dated: April 3, 2017



Amit P. Mehta
United States District Judge