

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

In the Matter of)
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TK ACCESS SOLUTIONS CORP. f/k/a) CPSC DOCKET NO.: 21-1
THYSSENKRUPP ACCESS CORP.)
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Respondent.)
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ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO FILE REPLY AND SURREPLY BRIEFS ON COMPLAINT
COUNSEL’S MOTION TO COMPEL DISCOVERY AND RESPONDENT’S OPPOSITION

On April 5, 2022, Complaint Counsel filed a Motion to Compel Discovery with supporting memorandum, seeking discovery concerning the corporate and financial relationships between Respondent TK Access Solutions Corp. f/k/a thyssenkrupp Access Corp. (“Respondent”) and other affiliated entities. On April 15, Respondent filed its opposition to that motion. On April 18, Complaint Counsel requested the opportunity to file a reply brief of no more than five pages to address “numerous factual and legal inaccuracies” in Respondent’s opposition brief, pursuant to 16 C.F.R. § 1025.23(c). On April 19, Respondent opposed Complaint Counsel’s request, and in the alternative, requested the opportunity to file a surreply of no more than five pages and limited to the allegations of fact and law reflected in Complaint Counsel’s reply.

After considering the motions filed, and 16 C.F.R. § 1025(c), Complaint Counsel may file a short reply brief of no more than five pages within three days of this Order; and

Respondent may file a surreply brief of no more than five pages in response to Complaint Counsel's reply brief, within three days of the filing of Complaint Counsel's reply brief.

So ordered.

Done and dated April 19, 2022
Arlington, VA

Mary F. Withum
Administrative Law Judge