

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

No. 6:20-cv-00176

**R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. et al.,**

*Plaintiffs,*

v.

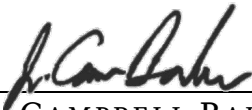
**United States Food and Drug Administration et al.,**

*Defendants.*

**ORDER**

For the reasons stated in the court's order (Doc. 33) postponing the effective date of the challenged rule<sup>1</sup> and the further equitable reasons given in plaintiffs' motion for an extension of that relief (Doc. 90), plaintiffs' motion to extend postponement is granted. Doc. 99. The court continues the extension of the postponement of the rule's effective date. The court orders that the effective date of the rule is postponed for an additional 90 days, until October 6, 2023. Any obligation to comply with the Tobacco Control Act's warning requirements, 15 U.S.C. § 1333(a)(1) and (b)(1), and the additional requirements in 21 U.S.C. §§ 387c(a)(2) and 387t(a), is also postponed for an additional 90 days, as is any other obligation to comply with a deadline tied to the effective date of the rule.

*So ordered by the court on August 10, 2022.*

  
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J. CAMPBELL BARKER  
United States District Judge

<sup>1</sup> Tobacco Products; Required Warnings for Cigarette Packages and Advertisements, 85 Fed. Reg. 15,638 (Mar. 18, 2020).