

relevant to this FCC proceeding.

2. Depositions on reasonable notice which has already been provided, shall be *limited to 12 hours total (hours per witness to be allocated by NFL), and the clock stops and restarts for requested breaks.*
3. There shall be no repetitive questioning on matters previously questioned and answered by a deponent in New York depositions.²
4. The agreed deposition of Mr. Paul Tagliabue, former NFL Commissioner, shall proceed as scheduled, to be taken by Comcast on March 31, 2009, unless there is a change of schedule by agreement of the parties.³

SO ORDERED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION⁴



Richard L. Sippel
Chief Administrative Law Judge

² NFL asserts in pleadings that it already “has provided Comcast with its statement as to what it views as the contours of these depositions.” NFL shall provide that statement to the Presiding Judge forthwith by e-mail, unless there are factors of privilege.

³ There shall be no *tit for tat* depositions under any circumstance. There must be a stated or self-evident need for a deposition, and the deposition must be needed to prepare for trial. Counsel should be mindful of these depositions possibly being received as substantive evidence without a live witness being called solely in the interest of expediting.

⁴ Courtesy copies of these rulings are provided to counsel by email on date of the *Order's* issuance