Title: IF a Dividend is Announced (Today, or Later), Here's a Loose Timeline of What Happens Next, and

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The announcement of a dividend, today or sometime in the future, will likely be the beginning of a journey that will last *at least* 90-120 days, a period that could see MOASS occur at any time, or several foreshock MOASSes to occur before the main event.

Here's a loose timeline of events to happen:

(Event 0) D-10: The Notification

The exchange must be notified 10 days prior to any planned Dividend announcement. Has the Exchange been notified? What would happen when it is? Would certain inside players attempt to drive down the price? I know I would.

(Event 1) D-0: The Declaration

The day of the public announcement/press release, is known as the Declaration Date. The Declaration happens at the end of a trading day.

The Declaration Date will announce the dividend details (Cash/Shares/NFT), and, most importantly, the **Date of Record**, which will be the future date that will be used to determine which shareholders of the stock will receive a dividend. The trading day before the Date of Record, known as the **ex-Dividend Date**, is essentially the cutoff date for getting your hands on a dividend.

In order to ensure you receive a dividend, you MUST own stock at least ONE DAY BEFORE the ex-Dividend Date (aka two business days before the Date of Record.) Remember, settlement takes two days. You need to accommodate for that.

There's some flexibility in how far out after the announcement the Date of Record is. I'm going to assume 10 days. This makes the ex-Dividend Date D+9.

(Rollercoaster 1) D+1 thru D+9: Volatility

In a normal circumstance, knowing that a purchased share will yield you cold-hard cash in short order, the price of a stock would typically rise in relation to the dividend value itself (and any speculative conclusions made from an earnings reports, etc., assuming they were announced together.

In GME's circumstance, and assuming the dividend is an NFT, we... don't know what will happen. I personally have faith that retail sentiment alone will drive the price up to new record levels. There should be a **"oh my fuck, they were right!"-moment** amongst retail and traditional investors who had previously expressed doubt in GME.

I would expect short-sellers to either increase their short positions or do absolutely nothing. They won't want to contribute to the rising price at this time.

I would expect disinformation about the peak already coming and going at this time. Damage control by the Financial Industry will be in full-effect.

(Rollercoaster 2) D+1 thru D+9: Margin Calls, or Lack Thereof

^{**}Remember how Evergrande "made their payments" for the last 2 months? That will likely happen here.**

Don't expect a rising price to trigger a Margin Call.

Combined with the above, expect the lack of a Margin Call to be presented as *it having already happened* and the peak having already arrived and gone. This will be the tactic of the Financial Industry and Financial Media.

It's going to be real hard to deny their claims that the peak came and went. It's your job to be strapped in and ready for the ride.

(Rollercoaster 3) D+1 thru D+9: The Legal Challenges

This is a foregone conclusion. Someone will challenge that an NFT isn't a valid dividend, and will seek to offer cash in-kind.

The Overstock verdict helps us in this regard, but there remains a risk that a legal challenge could accomplish two things before our ultimate victory: Halt trading in our stock; or delay payment of the dividend. Both may result in price momentum loss and/or a severe dip.

This will be further represented as the end of MOASS. Anyone still holding stock at this point will be declared bag-holders and the pressure to sell will mount if you're not aware of this tactic.

(Event 2) D+10(?): The Date of Record

Assuming legal challenges don't alter that date, the Date of Record is the finish line for those wishing to have an NFT.

If Margins are not Called by then, it is probable that price flatlines or even dips severely after this date.
The pressure to buy for the NFT will diminish (since you won't be eligible for it if you do) and the incentive to short will increase.

The resultant price movement will be used as further evidence that MOASS is over.

(Event 3) D+10+30: Payment Date

Stockholders should receive their dividends within days of ~~announcement~~ the Date of Record passing. In practice, they have ~30 days to dispense them.

Price movement will continue to be suppressed due to Event 2 having passed.

(Event 4) D+10+31: The Refusal To Distribute Dividends

As brokerages find themselves unable to distribute NFT dividends due to lack of supply vs. claims (thanks naked short selling and synthetics), they will ultimately stop distribution. After the typical ~30 day deadline for payment, they will notify GameStop that they cannot/will not distribute the dividend.

This cannot be stressed enough: **The ownership of shares in brokerages is THE ULTIMATE CATALYST FOR MOASS.** None of this works without our apes holding shares in brokerage. MOASS only happens when someone is owed something they can't be given. (e, 3:19p EST): This isn't an encouragement not to DRS or to detract from it's importance, just a recognition that DRS means nothing unless DRS 100% + More in Brokerage exists. Also, DRS is a separate MOASS effort that doesn't affect Dividend MOASS.)

CS holders will receive their dividends via whatever method GameStop has accommodated. And so will many brokerage apes (assuming the float isn't locked up by then.)

It's you heroes who can't DRS who will be helping to make this happen. Not receiving a dividend doesn't make your shares worthless. To the contrary: It makes them the most valuable.

(e, 3:34p EST): Legal Challenges will happen during this time by investors suing the DTCC and brokers for a) Not being able to deliver their dividends; and b) diluting the value of their shares via synethics.

(Event 5) D+10+32: The Filing To Change Exchanges

With the refusal to distribute a dividend, GameStop will exercise the verbiage they placed into their corporate documents and declare their intention to leave the standard exchanges.

This starts a 90-day clock.

(Rollercoaster 4) D+10+32 thru D+10+32+90: Liftoff

If we survive the legal challenges and we HODL like the movie montage trained us to do, and Margin Calls continue not to happen, MOASS definitely happens during this 90-day period.

Shorts are closed as brokerages prepare to give their holders real shares for the coming exodus. The price reaches obscenely-high levels for what it is.

(Event 6) D+10+32+91: Touchdown

We've arrived on the Moon. Those who cashed out are sitting pretty with a windfall they didn't expect to have just 12 months ago.

Our remaining GME shares have been converted into blockchain holdings. The share price plummets from its MOASS peak to an accurate reflection of the company's worth - a price several times higher than its quote as of this writing.

MOASS is over. The proof-of-concept re: a new stock exchange has become reality. And other companies begin to follow suit.