UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

Case No, EDCV 15-1782 JFW (FFM)	Date January 12, 2017		
TitleJEAN ANNE WARING v. CAROLYN W. COLVIN, ACTING COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY			
Present: The Honorable Frederick F. Mumm, United States Magistrate Judge James Munoz			
Deputy Clerk	Court Reporter / Recorder		
Attorneys Present for Plaintiff:	Attorneys Present for Defendant:		
None present	None present		

Proceedings: ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY THIS CASE SHOULD NOT BE DISMISSED

On September 1, 2015, plaintiff Jean Anne Waring ("plaintiff") filed a complaint (the "Complaint") for review of the decision of the Acting Commissioner of Social Security denying benefits. (Docket No. 1.) On September 25, 2015, the Court issued a case management order (the "CMO"). (Docket No. 7.) In pertinent part, the CMO directed plaintiff to file a motion for summary judgment or remand within thirty (30) days of the defendant's filing of her answer to the Complaint. (*Id.* at 3.)

Defendant filed her answer (the "Answer") on November 10, 2016. (Docket No. 20.) Plaintiff's motion for summary judgment or remand was thus due on or before December 10, 2016. As of the date of this order, plaintiff has not filed such a motion. (*See generally* Docket.)

Plaintiff's failure to file a motion for summary judgment or remand within 30 days of the Answer constitutes a failure to prosecute and a violation of the Court's CMO. Both are reasons for which the Complaint may be dismissed. *See Pagtalunan v. Galaza*, 291 F.3d 639, 640-43 (9th Cir. 2002) (affirming district court's *sua sponte* dismissal of habeas petition with prejudice "for failure to prosecute and failure to comply with a court order").

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Based on the foregoing, plaintiff is ordered to show cause, in writing and within fourteen (14) days of this Order, why the Complaint should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute and for failure to comply with a court order. Alternatively, plaintiff may satisfy this Order if she files a motion for summary judgment or remand within thirty days (30) of the date of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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