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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

RONALD L. PORTER,

CASE NO. 1:06-CV-00880-LJO-SMS

Plaintiff,

**ORDER DIRECTING DEFENDANT
TO FILE REPLY BRIEF**

vs.

DONALD C. WINTER, Secretary of the
Department of the Navy

Defendant.

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This Court orders defendant Donald C. Winter to file a reply to plaintiff Ronald L. Porter's opposition filed on March 18, 2013. (Doc. 88). The brief shall address Mr. Porter's argument that review under the Administrative Procedures Act does not apply, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. § 704, because Mr. Porter has an adequate judicial remedy by pursuing attorney's fees under Title VII. (Doc. 88-1). Defendant Winter may also address any further issues he deems relevant. The reply brief is due within seven (7) days of electronic service of this order. The brief shall not exceed ten (10) pages.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 19, 2013

/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE