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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 10 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 **FRESNO DIVISION**

12 TERRY ADAMS,)
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 13 Plaintiff,)
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 14 v.)
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 15 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,)
 Acting Commissioner of)
 16 Social Security,)
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 17 Defendant.)
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CIVIL NO. 1:08-CV-00156-OWW-GSA

STIPULATION AND ORDER TO EXTEND TIME

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 19 The parties hereby stipulate by counsel, with the Court's approval as indicated by issuance of the
 20 attached Order, that Defendant shall have an extension of time of 14 days to respond to Plaintiff's
 21 opening brief up to and including May 5, 2009. Due to a heavy work load, which has included
 22 answering, briefing or engaging in settlement negotiations in 15 district court cases and 2 appellate cases
 23 between March 19 and April 19, 2009, and work-related travel on April 16-17, 2009, which came upon
 24 short notice, the undersigned attorney for the Commissioner needs additional time in order to complete
 25 the Commissioner's responsive brief.

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1 The parties further stipulate that the Court's Scheduling Order be modified accordingly.

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3 Respectfully submitted,

4 */s/ Sengthiene Bosavanh*

5 Dated April 22, 2009,

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Sengthiene Bosavanh
(as authorized on January 20, 2009)
Attorney at Law

7 Attorney for Plaintiff

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12 By:

13 */s/ Elizabeth Firer*

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18 **ORDER**

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20 IT IS SO ORDERED.

21 Dated: April 23, 2009

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/s/ Gary S. Austin
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE