rights action brought pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. (ECF Nos. 1 & 5.) This matter proceeds against Defendant Duvall on Plaintiff's First Amendment retaliation and Fourth

grant in part and deny in part Defendant's request for judicial notice, and to grant in part and deny in part Defendant's motion to dismiss. (ECF No. 23.) The parties were afforded fourteen days to file written objections to the findings and recommendations.

On December 22, 2014, Defendant moved to extend time to file objections to January 9, 2015 due to defense counsel's participation in an unanticipated federal

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appeal of an unrelated state court order. (ECF No. 24.) Also on December 22, 2014, Plaintiff moved to extend time to file objections by ninety days to conduct additional legal research. (ECF No. 25.)

Defendant has presented good cause for a minimal extension of time. Plaintiff also has presented good cause; however, in light of the limited nature of the findings and recommendations, which are largely in Plaintiff's favor, a ninety day extension is unwarranted. The parties will be afforded thirty (30) days from the date of service of this order to file and serve written objections to the findings and recommendations.

Based on the foregoing, it is HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. Defendant's motion for extension of time (ECF No. 24) is GRANTED;
- Plaintiff's motion for extension of time (ECF No. 25) is GRANTED IN PART;
- 3. Any party may file and serve written objections to the findings and recommendations within thirty (30) days of the service of this order; and
- 4. Any reply to the objections shall be filed and served within fourteen (14) days after service of the objections.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 6, 2015 /s/ Michael Y. Seng
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE