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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RONALD MOORE, Plaintiff, vs. JUAN CISNEROS, et al., Defendants.	No. 1:12-CV-00188-LJO-SKO **STIPULATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR DEFENDANT HECTOR M. SERRANO dba SERRANO CHIPOTLE MEXICAN RESTAURANT TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINT; ORDER**

WHEREAS, Defendant Hector M. Serrano dba Serrano Chipotle Mexican Restaurant ("Defendant") just recently retained counsel to represent him in this matter and such counsel has not had time to investigate the underlying claims and defenses in this action;

WHEREAS, Defendant's responsive pleading was due on March 16, 2012 and the extension of time requested herein exceeds twenty-eight (28) days from March 16, 2012;

WHEREAS, Plaintiff Ronald Moore ("Plaintiff" and together with Defendant, the "Parties") and Defendant desire to have an opportunity to explore settlement without the need to expend additional attorney fees and to conserve the resources of the Court;

WHEREAS, a scheduling conference is set in this matter for June 5, 2012 and this request for an extension of time shall not alter or affect said date;

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IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED between the Parties, through their respective counsel, that Defendant may have to and including May 3, 2012 to file a responsive pleading in this matter. This extension of time is Defendant's first extension and does not alter the date of any event or any deadline already fixed by Court order.

Date: April 4, 2012

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/s/Tanya E. Moore
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Date: April 4, 2012

LAW OFFICE OF MYRON M. SMITH

/s/ Myron F. Smith
Myron F. Smith, Attorney for Defendant
Hector M. Serrano dba Serrano Chipotle
Mexican Restaurant

ORDER

The Parties having so stipulated and good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendant Hector M. Serrano dba Serrano Chipotle Mexican Restaurant shall have to and including May 3, 2012, within which to answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **April 4, 2012**

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE