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9 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
10 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

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12 JOHN FEESE,) Case No.: 1:17-cv-00054-GSA
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Plaintiff,)
14) **JOINT STUPULATION AND ORDER**
vs.) **FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**
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16 NANCY A. BERRYHILL)
Acting Commissioner of Social Security,)
17)
18 Defendant.)

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20 Defendant Nancy A. Berryhill, Acting Commissioner of Social Security (“Defendant”)
21 respectfully requests that the Court extend the time for Defendant to file her Opposition to
22 Plaintiff’s Motion for Summary Judgment, originally due on September 27, 2017, by 35 days,
23 through and including Wednesday, November 1, 2017. This is the Commissioner’s first request
24 for an extension of time in this matter.

25 An extension of time is needed in order to prepare Defendant’s opposition because
26 counsel will be on his honeymoon for the last three weeks of September and the beginning of
27 October, and faces a heavy caseload when he returns. This request is made in good faith with no
28 intention to unduly delay the proceedings. Counsel’s office conferred with Plaintiff’s counsel,
who had no objection to this request, on September 8, 2017.

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 8, 2017

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Dated: September 8, 2017

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ORDER

Pursuant to the parties' stipulation (Doc. 14), Defendant's Opposition shall be filed no later than **November 1, 2017**. Any Reply shall be filed no later than fifteen (15) days after the filing of the Opposition.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **September 11, 2017**

/s/ Gary S. Austin
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE