UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

KIMBERLY WHITEHEAD, Plaintiff, v. LIBERTY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF BOSTON, Defendant.	))))))))))	Case No.: 1:17-cv-01204-LJO- JLT ORDER APPROVING THE STIPULATION FOR AN EXTENTION OF TIME FOR DEFENDANT TO RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT (Doc. 12)

On October 20, 2017, the parties filed a stipulation for an extension of time for Defendant to file and serve its response to Plaintiff's Complaint. (Doc. 12 at 1) Pursuant to Local Rule 144(a), the parties may stipulation to an extension of time "no more than twenty-eight (28) to respond to a complaint … without approval of the Court if the extension is signed on behalf of all parties who have appeared in the action and are affected by the stipulation."

Accordingly, pursuant to the terms of the stipulation, the motion for an extension of time is **GRANTED** and Defendant **SHALL** file a response to the complaint no later than **November 6, 2017**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **October 24, 2017**

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE