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10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
11 **FRESNO DIVISION**

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13 JUAN CARLOS CRUZ, ) Case No.: 1:18-cv-00222-GSA  
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Plaintiff, ) STIPULATION AND PROPOSED  
15 ) ORDER TO EXTEND BRIEFING  
vs. ) SCHEDULE  
16 NANCY A. BERRYHILL, Acting ) (SECOND REQUEST)  
Commissioner of Social Security, )  
17 )  
18 Defendant )

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20 TO THE HONORABLE GARY S. AUSTIN, MAGISTRATE JUDGE OF  
21 THE DISTRICT COURT:

22 The parties, by and through their respective counsel, hereby stipulate to  
23 extend the deadline in which plaintiff must file his opening brief for a period of 30  
24 days from November 12, 2018, to and including December 12, 2018, and that all  
25 subsequent deadlines set forth in the Court's Scheduling Order, Doc. No. 5, are  
26 extended accordingly.

1 This is plaintiff's second request for an extension in this matter. Counsel for  
2 plaintiff has experienced an emergency due to the recent "Woolsey Fire." Counsel  
3 has not been able to and will not be able to attend to any work matters in the near  
4 future as a result of the need to deal with personal matters. On behalf of counsel  
5 for plaintiff, the parties respectfully request the granting of this request for the  
6 proper briefing.

7 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

8 DATE: November 13, 2018 Respectfully submitted,

9 LAW OFFICES OF LAWRENCE D. ROHLFING

10 /s/ *Brian C. Shapiro*

11 BY: \_\_\_\_\_

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14 Date: November 13, 2018

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16 United States Attorney

17 BY: /s/ *Chantal R. Jenkins*

18 CHANTAL R. JENKINS

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20 Attorneys for Defendant NANCY A.

21 BERRYHILL, Acting Commissioner of Social  
22 Security (Per email authorization)

23 IT IS SO ORDERED.

24 Dated: November 14, 2018

25 /s/ Gary S. Austin

26 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE