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

10 11 MELISSA LOIS WALKER,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 15 HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN
15 AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF
15 MISSOURI, et al.,

16 Defendants.

17 Case No. 1:21-cv-00879-DAD-SAB

18 ORDER RE STIPULATION TO EXTEND
18 TIME FOR HIGHER EDUCATION LOAN
18 AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF
18 MISSOURI TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINT

19 (ECF No. 20)

20 DEADLINE: AUGUST 2, 2021

21 22 23 24 On June 25, 2021, a stipulation was filed to extend time for defendant Higher Education
21 22 23 24 Loan Authority of the State of Missouri to respond to the complaint by twenty-one (21) days,
21 22 23 24 which pursuant to Local Rule 144(a), did not need Court approval. (ECF No. 16.) On July 16,
21 22 23 24 2021, a stipulation was filed extending the time for Defendant Higher Education Loan Authority
21 22 23 24 of the State of Missouri until August 2, 2021, to allow for the continuation of productive
21 22 23 24 settlement discussions. (ECF No. 20.) The Court finds good cause to approve the stipulated
21 22 23 24 request.

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1 Pursuant to the stipulation of the parties, and finding good cause, IT IS HEREBY
2 ORDERED that Defendant Higher Education Loan Authority of the State of Missouri shall file a
3 pleading responsive to the complaint on or before **August 2, 2021**.

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5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 Dated: July 19, 2021


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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE