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12 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 13 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 14 SACRAMENTO DIVISION

15 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

16 Plaintiff,

17 v.

18 DAVID A. SOUZA and D.A. SOUZA
 19 INVESTMENTS, LLC,

20 Defendants.

Case No. 2:09-CV-02421-FCD-KJM

**THIRD STIPULATION FOR
 EXTENSION OF TIME TO
 ANSWER OR OTHERWISE
 RESPOND TO COMPLAINT AND
 ORDER**

21 Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) and defendants David A.
 22 Souza and D.A. Souza Investments, LLC (collectively, “Defendants”), through their respective
 23 counsel, stipulate and agree as follows:

- 24 1. On September 18, 2009, the parties entered into a Stipulation granting Defendants
 25 two weeks’ additional time, to and including October 5, 2009, to answer or
 26 otherwise respond to the complaint in this action served on Defendants on
 27 August 30, 2009;

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2. In order to explore settlement of this action, the parties entered into a Second Stipulation extending the time for Defendants' response to and including October 13, 2009;

3. To allow settlement negotiations to continue, Defendants have requested additional time, to and including October 19, 2009, to respond to the complaint, to which the Commission has agreed.

ACCORDINGLY, THE PARTIES HEREBY STIPULATE AND AGREE, subject to approval by the Court, that Defendants may have an additional week, to and including October 19, 2009, to answer or otherwise respond to the complaint in this action.

DATED: October 13, 2009

/s/ Roger Jaffe
Roger V. Jaffe
Attorney for Defendants DAVID A. SOUZA and
D.A. SOUZA INVESTMENTS, LLC
[Original signature retained by office of Judith L. Anderson, Attorney for Plaintiff]


DATED: October 13, 2009

/s/ Judith L. Anderson
Judith L. Anderson
Attorney for Plaintiff
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

ORDER

For good cause shown, IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 14, 2009


FRANK C. DAMRELL, JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE