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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11 SUKHPAL SINGH,	)	No. 2:11-cv-02291-MCE -CKD
12 Plaintiff,	)	
13 v.	)	JOINT STIPULATION AND ORDER RE:
14 DISTRICT DIRECTOR OF SAN FRANCISCO,	)	EXTENSION OF TIME FOR
15 <i>et al.</i> ,	)	DEFENDANTS TO FILE ANSWER
16 Defendants.	)	

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18 This is an immigration case in which Plaintiff has challenged the delay in the adjudication of  
 19 his application to adjust status to that of lawful permanent resident by United States Citizenship  
 20 and Immigration Services. The parties respectfully inform the Court that they are continuing to  
 21 attempt to seek a resolution to the matter at the administrative level. To this extent, Defendants  
 22 request an additional 45 days to file an answer to the complaint. Counsel for Plaintiff does not  
 23 oppose this request.

24 The parties therefore stipulate that the time for filing Defendants' answer be extended to  
 25 January 2, 2012.

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28 *Joint Stipulation and  
 Order Re: Extension of Time for  
 Defendants to File Answer  
 No. 2:11-cv-02291-MCE -CKD*

1 Dated: November 10, 2011

Respectfully submitted,

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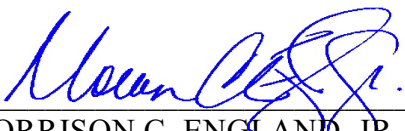
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13 **ORDER**

14 Pursuant to this Joint Stipulation and for the reasons stated therein, IT IS HEREBY  
15 ORDERED that the Defendants' Answer is due on January 2, 2012.

16 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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18 Dated: November 16, 2011

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20 MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR.  
21 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE