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

RENEE JOHNSON MONROE

Plaintiff,

vs.

METROPOLITAN LIFE  
INSURANCE COMPANY, a New  
York corporation; and DOES 1 to 10,  
inclusive

Defendants.

Case No.: 2:15-cv-02079-TLN-CKD

United States District Court Judge  
Honorable Troy L. Nunley

Action Filed: August 24, 2015

Trial Date: April 20, 2018

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**ORDER GRANTING STIPULATION  
TO AUGMENT THE  
ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD WITH  
SOCIAL SECURITY DOCUMENTS**

[Filed Concurrently with Stipulation]

1 Pursuant to the Stipulation of Plaintiff Renee Johnson Monroe and Defendant  
2 Metropolitan Life Insurance Company (“MetLife”) (collectively the “Parties) to  
3 Augment the Administrative Record with Social Security Documents, and for good  
4 cause appearing,

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6 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 7 1. Administrative Law Judge Vincent A. Misenti’s September 29, 2017  
8 written decision in Ms. Monroe’s Social Security matter and his cover  
9 letter to Ms. Monroe enclosing his decision, attached to the Stipulation  
10 and bates-stamped PLTF000079-89, is admitted as evidence at trial.
- 11 2. The Social Security Administration’s October 4, 2017 letter to Ms.  
12 Monroe identifying the amount of her Social Security disability benefit,  
13 attached to the Stipulation and bates-stamped PLTF000090-91, is  
14 admitted as evidence at trial.
- 15 3. The Social Security Administration’s December 13, 2017 letter to Ms.  
16 Monroe identifying the amount of her Social Security disability benefit,  
17 attached to the Stipulation and bates-stamped PLTF000092-94, is  
18 admitted as evidence at trial.
- 19 4. The Administrative Record in the above-captioned action is hereby  
20 augmented with these documents from Ms. Monroe’s Social Security  
21 disability benefits matter.
- 22 5. The Parties are permitted to cite to in their trial briefs and use as  
23 evidence at the trial of this action these Social Security documents.

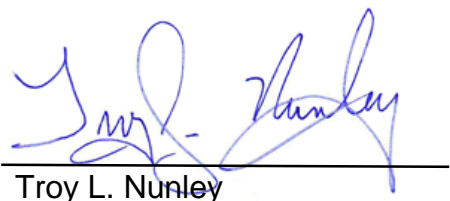
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6. The Parties are free to argue the weight of the documents at trial and in their trial briefs.

Dated: January 2, 2018



Troy L. Nunley  
United States District Judge





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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I am employed in the County of Orange, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action; my business address is 20321 SW Birch St., #200, Newport Beach, California 92660; Fax 949-385-5165; E-mail address: dc@mckennonlawgroup.com.

I hereby certify that on December 28, 2017, I served the foregoing documents described as: **[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING STIPULATION TO AUGMENT THE ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD WITH SOCIAL SECURITY DOCUMENTS.** on the interested parties as follows:

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