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18 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 19 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

20 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
 21 Plaintiff,
 22 v.
 23 ROGER J. LAPANT, JR., *et al.*,
 24 Defendants.

25 Case No. 2:16-cv-01498-KJM-DB

26 **SIXTH STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR
 27 EXTENSION OF DEADLINES AND S.J.
 28 HEARING**

1 Plaintiff United States of America and Defendant Roger J. LaPant, Jr. have met and
2 conferred and hereby stipulate and propose for the Court's approval an extension of deadlines
3 and the summary judgment hearing date. Specifically:

4 1. Beginning February 12, 2020, the parties have been appearing before The
5 Honorable Kendall J. Newman, United States Magistrate Judge, for settlement conferences.

6 2. Since the most recent settlement conference on September 23, the parties have
7 made substantial progress.

8 3. Indeed, the parties have nearly completed edits to a draft proposed consent
9 decree and settlement agreement and accompanying appendices.

10 4. Currently, as set forth in the Minute Order dated September 4, 2020 (ECF No.
11 150), reply briefs associated with cross motions for summary judgment (ECF Nos. 113 & 121)
12 are due October 28, 2020.

13 5. To allow the parties to complete their settlement efforts, the parties stipulate and
14 propose for the Court's approval an extension of the deadline for reply briefs from October 28
15 to November 24, 2020.

16 6. Likewise, the parties stipulate and propose for the Court's approval an extension
17 of the summary judgment hearing date from November 6 to December 11, 2020.

18 7. At this time, the parties do not propose any change to the deadline for the Joint
19 Pretrial Statement (February 5, 2021).

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22 Dated: October 16, 2020

23 Respectfully submitted,

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ORDER

Upon due consideration, the Court approves the foregoing stipulation and amends the schedule as follows:

(1) Reply briefs associated with cross motions for summary judgment (ECF Nos. 113 & 121) are now due November 24, 2020.

(2) The hearing date for the cross motions for summary judgment is reset for December 11, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.

(3) The Joint Pretrial Statement remains due February 5, 2021.

Dated: October 19, 2020.



CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE