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 11 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 12 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – SACRAMENTO**

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 14 FADI G. HADDAD, M.D.,
 15 Plaintiff,

16 v.

17 SMG LONG TERM DISABILITY
 18 PLAN, AND HARTFORD LIFE
 AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE
 19 COMPANY,
 20 Defendants.

Case No. 2:16-cv-01700-WHO

**STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR
 EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
 JOINT STATUS REPORT**

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 22 Plaintiff Fadi G. Haddad, M.D. (“Haddad”) and Defendant Hartford Life and
 23 Accident Insurance Company (“Hartford”) hereby stipulate and request a short
 24 extension to submit a joint status report to the District Court on how to proceed in
 25 this litigation. On September 22, 2020, the Court set a deadline (in 90 days) for the
 26 parties to file a joint status report. [Dkt. 91] The parties are currently meeting and
 27 conferring on the report, but due to the holidays and the complexity of certain
 28 issues, they simply need more time. Accordingly, the parties request a short

1 extension through and including January 8, 2021 to file their joint status report.

2 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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Dated: December 21, 2020

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By: /s/ Laurence F. Padway
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ATTESTATION PURSUANT TO GENERAL ORDER 45

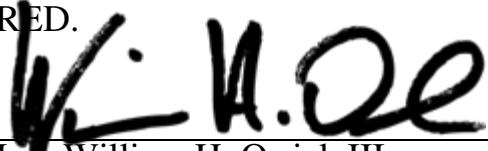
I, Michael B. Bernacchi, attest that concurrence in the filing of this document has been obtained from the other Signatory.

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ORDER

Good cause appearing, IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 22, 2020


Hon. William H. Orrick III
United States District Judge