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counsel continues to have a full workload in the next month, including one district court oral

argument, about five pending district court briefs (some of which have also been extended multiple times), and two Equal Employment Opportunity Commission matters, including one involving briefing and another one involving discovery, that was just assigned to Defendant's counsel this week as an emergency assignment and that could not be extended or assigned to another attorney. Therefore, Defendant is respectfully requesting additional time up to and including July 22, 2017, to fully review the record and research the issues presented by Plaintiff's motion for summary judgment in this case as Defendant's counsel addresses her workload, including new and unanticipated matters with pressing immediate deadlines. This request is made in good faith with no intention to unduly delay the proceedings.

The parties further stipulate that the Court's Scheduling Order shall be modified accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 14, 2017 LAW OFFICES OF LAWRENCE D. ROHLFING

s/ Monica Perales by C.Chen\*
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**ORDER** 

APPROVED AND SO ORDERED.

DATED: June 19, 2017.

HON. EDMUND F. BRENNAN

UNITED STATE MAGISTRATE JUDGE