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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 LASSEN GOLD MINING, INC.,

CASE NO.: 2:17-cv-02056-TLN-CMK

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO EXTEND  
 DEFENDANT’S TIME TO RESPOND TO  
 COMPLAINT**

14 LASSEN MUNICIPAL UTILITY  
 DISTRICT,

15 Defendant.

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 18 Plaintiff LASSEN GOLD MINING, INC. (LGMI) and Defendant LASSEN MUNICIPAL  
 19 UTILITY DISTRICT (LMUD), by and through their respective counsel, hereby stipulate:

20 Whereas, LGMI served the Complaint in the above-captioned action on LMUD on  
 21 October 10, 2017;

22 Whereas, on October 23, 2017, the parties stipulated to an extension of time for LMUD to  
 23 respond to the Complaint in order to allow the parties to continue pursuing settlement  
 24 negotiations that could avoid additional expenditure of time and resources on litigation;

25 Whereas the October 23, 2017, stipulation extended the time to respond the Complaint for  
 26 twenty-eight (28) days, until November 28, 2017, and therefore did not require the Court’s  
 27 approval pursuant to Local Rule 144(a);

28 Whereas, the parties continue to engage in active settlement negotiations and seek to

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1 avoid additional expenditure of time and resources on litigation;

2 Whereas, the parties now seek a second extension of time for LMUD to respond to the  
3 Complaint in order to allow the parties to continue pursuing settlement negotiations that could  
4 resolve this action without further litigation;

5 Whereas, Local Rule 144(a) requires that a second extension of time to respond to the  
6 Complaint be approved by the Court;

7 Whereas, Rule 6 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure allows the Court to extend  
8 deadlines for good cause;

9 **THEREFORE, THE PARTIES HEREBY STIPULATE** that the parties agree, and  
10 seek the Court’s approval, to allow LMUD to respond to the Complaint in the above-captioned  
11 action by January 16, 2018, in order to continue negotiating toward a settlement of this action.

12 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

13 DATED: November 17, 2017

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16 By: /s/ Kathryn L. Oehlschlager  
17 KATHRYN L. OEHLISCHLAGER  
18 Attorneys for Defendant  
19 LASSEN MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

20 DATED: November 17, 2017

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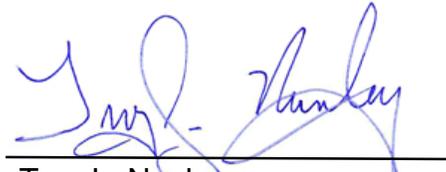
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**ORDER**

Based on the parties' Stipulation, and good cause having been shown, the Court hereby ORDERS that the time for Defendant LASSEN MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT to respond to the Complaint be extended until January 16, 2018.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: November 21, 2017

  
Troy L. Nunley  
United States District Judge