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14 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 15 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

16 BRIAN WHITAKER,
 17 Plaintiff,
 18 vs.
 19 WILLIAMS-SONOMA STORES, INC., a
 20 California corporation,
 21 Defendant.

Case No. 2:21-cv-00446-JAM-KJN
**JOINT STIPULATION TO EXTEND
 DEFENDANT’S DEADLINE TO
 RESPOND TO RESPOND TO
 PLAINTIFF’S COMPLAINT; ORDER**

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 JOINT STIPULATION TO EXTEND DEFENDANT’S DEADLINE TO RESPOND TO PLAINTIFF’S
 COMPLAINT

1 WHEREAS, based on the parties' prior stipulation, Defendant Williams-Sonoma Stores,
2 Inc.'s ("Defendant") responsive pleading deadline currently is September 3, 2021;

3 WHEREAS, the parties are in the process of discussing potential informal resolution of
4 this matter including exchanging informal discovery, and would like additional time to continue
5 these discussions; and

6 WHEREAS, the parties' respective counsel have met and conferred and stipulated to a 30-
7 day extension of time for Defendant to respond to Plaintiff Brian Whitaker's ("Plaintiff")
8 Complaint. Successfully resolving this matter at the pleading stage promotes judicial economy
9 by allowing the Court to focus its scarce resources on other matters.

10 THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and through the
11 parties' respective counsel as follows:

12 Defendant's deadline to file a responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Complaint shall be
13 extended by 30 days (continued to the first non-holiday weekday), to October 4, 2021.

14 Dated: September 3, 2021

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15 By /s/ Amanda Seabock

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18 Dated: September 3, 2021

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23 **ORDER**

24 After considering the Parties' stipulation and good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY
25 ORDERED that: Defendant's deadline to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint shall be extended to
26 October 4, 2021.

27 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

28 Dated: September 7, 2021

/s/ John A. Mendez

THE HONORABLE JOHN A. MENDEZ
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE