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 14 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 15 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

16 Retiree Support Group of Contra Costa
 17 County,
 18 Plaintiff,
 19 v.
 20 Contra Costa County,
 21 Defendant.

CASE NO. C 12-00944 (JSW)

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND TIME FOR
 FILING FIRST RESPONSIVE
 PLEADING; [~~PROPOSED~~] ORDER
 AS MODIFIED**

N.D. Local Rule 6-1(a)

1 Defendant Contra Costa County (the "County") and Plaintiff Retiree Support Group of
2 Contra Costa County ("RSG"), (collectively the "Parties"), through their respective counsel of
3 record , hereby agree and stipulate as follows.

4 1. RSG filed and served its complaint in this action on February 24, 2012, seeking
5 declaratory and injunctive relief against the County with respect to retiree health benefits.

6 2. The County requires additional time to prepare a response to the complaint, beyond
7 the time allotted by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 12.

8 3. Pursuant to Northern District Local Rule 6-1(a), the Parties have agreed that the
9 County shall have through and including April 16, 2012 in which to file its responsive pleading
10 herein.

11 4. The County intends to file a motion to dismiss or other motion instead of an answer
12 to the complaint (the "Motion"). The Parties request that the Court set the Motion to be heard at
13 9:00 a.m. on June 15, 2012, which is currently an available hearing date on the Court's calendar
14 and the date the Case Management Conference has been scheduled at 1:30 p.m. The Parties
15 stipulate that any opposition brief to the Motion shall be due on or before May ¹¹~~18~~, 2012 and any
16 reply brief shall be due on or before ^{May 22}~~June 1~~, 2012.

17 5. Providing this extension of time to file a responsive pleading (which amounts to a
18 31 day extension) beyond the time allotted under the Federal Rules of Civil procedure will not
19 affect any of the dates set pursuant to the Order Setting Initial Case Management Conference and
20 Requiring joint Case Management Conference Statement previously entered herein.


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ORDER

PURSUANT TO THE FOREGOING STIPULATION, ~~IT IS SO ORDERED.~~
AS MODIFIED ABOVE, IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: March 9, 2012



HONORABLE JEFFREY S. WHITE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT