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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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8 GEORGE ALVAREZ,
9 Petitioner,

No. C 12-5623 SI (pr)

ORDER EXTENDING DEADLINES


10 v.

11 CONNIE GIPSON, warden,
12 Respondent.
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15 Respondent has filed an *ex parte* request for an extension of time to respond to the
16 petition for writ of habeas corpus. Having considered the request and the accompanying
17 declaration of attorney Gregory Ott, the court GRANTS respondent's request. (Docket # 8.)
18 The court now sets the following new briefing schedule: On or before **October 18, 2013**,
19 respondent must file and serve a motion to dismiss the petition or a notice that respondent is
20 of the opinion that a motion to dismiss is unwarranted. On or before **November 22, 2013**,
21 petitioner must file and serve his opposition to the motion to dismiss. On or before
22 **December 6, 2013**, respondent must file and serve his reply brief, if any.

23 IT IS SO ORDERED.

24 DATED: September 4, 2013

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27 SUSAN ILLSTON
28 United States District Judge