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 10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 11 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

12 CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, et al.,)	Case No.: 3:15-cv-05754-JST
13 Plaintiffs,)	THIRD STIPULATED REQUEST TO EXTEND TIME TO FILE MOTION FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES
14 vs.)	
15 U.S. FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE, et al.,)	and
16 Defendants,)	PROPOSED ORDER
17 and)	(Civ. L.R. 6-2)
18 SISKIYOU COUNTY, et al.,)	
19 Defendant Intervenors.)	

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 21 WHEREAS, by stipulated order dated December 4, 2017 (ECF Doc. 82), the deadline for
 22 Plaintiffs to file a motion for attorneys' fees and costs in this case is currently February 23, 2018;

23 WHEREAS, Plaintiffs and Defendants have exchanged written offers of settlement;

24 WHEREAS, Plaintiffs and Defendants require additional time to continue their good faith
 25 settlement negotiations;

26 WHEREAS, if Plaintiffs and Defendants reach an agreement in principle, the extension
 27 proposed below would enable them to draft settlement documents and obtain the necessary
 28 approvals from officials within the Department of Justice and the Department of Interior;

1 NOW, THEREFORE, the parties, by and through their undersigned counsel of record,
2 stipulate and request that the February 23, 2018, deadline for Plaintiffs to file a motion for an award
3 of fees and costs under 16 U.S.C. § 1540(g)(4) be extended by 60 days, to April 24, 2018.

4 Respectfully submitted,

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8 Dated: Jan. 31, 2018

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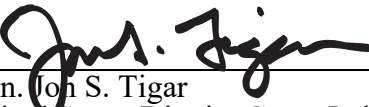
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~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER

Pursuant to stipulation, IT IS SO ORDERED. The deadline for Plaintiffs to file a motion for an award of attorneys' fees and other expenses under 16 U.S.C. § 1540(g)(4) is extended to April 24, 2018.

Dated: January 31, 2018



Hon. John S. Tigar
United States District Court Judge