

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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4 DIANA LYNN WEST,

5 Plaintiff,

No. C 13-00087 PJH

6 v.

**ORDER DIRECTING PLAINTIFF TO
INFORM COURT WHETHER SHE
CONSENTS TO MAGISTRATE JUDGE
FOR ALL PURPOSES**

7 CAROLYN W. COLVIN,
Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

8 Defendant.
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10 In cases initially assigned to a district judge, the parties may consent at any time to
11 reassignment of the case to a magistrate judge for all purposes, including entry of final
12 judgment. See Civil L.R. 73-1(b). This option is being made available because the
13 magistrate judges in this district have smaller civil dockets and no felony criminal cases and
14 may be able to adjudicate this case more expeditiously than the undersigned district judge.
15 On February 28, 2013, defendant filed a consent to proceed before a magistrate judge.

16 Accordingly, plaintiff is hereby DIRECTED to advise the court, no later than **March**
17 **22, 2013**, whether she consents to have a magistrate judge conduct all further proceedings
18 in the instant action. Normally the parties would be directed to so inform the court in their
19 Joint Case Management Statement filed in connection with the initial case management
20 conference. However, because this case involves a review of an administrative record, a
21 case management conference has not been scheduled. The parties are advised that they
22 may jointly request assignment to a specific magistrate judge. For plaintiff's convenience, a
23 consent form is attached hereto; forms are also available at <http://cand.uscourts.gov>, in the
24 "Forms" section.

25 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

26 Dated: February 28, 2013

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PHYLLIS J. HAMILTON
United States District Judge

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In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Section 636(c), the undersigned party or parties to the above-captioned civil matter hereby voluntarily consent to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in the case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Appeal from the judgment shall be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.

Dated: _____

Signature

Attorney for _____

(Plaintiff, Defendant or indicate "Pro Se")