Thomas v. Colvin Doc. 15

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO

Civil Action No. 13-cv-02033-AP

MAURICE THOMAS,

Plaintiff,

v.

CAROLYN W. COLVIN, Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

Defendant.

JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR SOCIAL SECURITY CASES

1. APPEARANCES OF COUNSEL AND PRO SE PARTIES

For Plaintiff: Kristina Vasold, Esq. Sawaya, Rose, McClure & Wilhite, P.C. 1600 Odgen Street Denver, CO 80218 Telephone (303) 551-7701

E-mail: kvasold@sawayalaw.com

For Defendant:
John F. Walsh
United States Attorney

Alexess D. Rea Special Assistant United States Attorney Assistant Regional Counsel Office of the General Counsel Social Security Administration 1961 Stout Street, Suite 4169 Denver, CO 80202 (303) 844-7101 Alexess.rea@ssa.gov

J. BENEDICT GARCIA Assistant United States Attorney District of Colorado J.B.Garcia@usdoj.gov

2. STATEMENT OF LEGAL BASIS FOR SUBJECT MATTER JURISDICTION

The Court has jurisdiction based on section 205(g) of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. 405(g).

3. DATES OF FILING OF RELEVANT PLEADINGS

- **A. Date Complaint Was Filed:** July 31, 2013
- B. Date Complaint Was Served on U.S. Attorney's Office: August 16, 2013
- C. Date Answer and Administrative Record Were Filed: September 30, 2013

4. STATEMENT REGARDING THE ADEQUACY OF THE RECORD

The parties, to the best of their knowledge, state that the administrative record is complete and accurate. However, the Plaintiff reserves the right to supplement the record if necessary at the time of the Opening Brief.

5. STATEMENT REGARDING ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE

The parties do not anticipate submitting additional evidence.

6. STATEMENT REGARDING WHETHER THIS CASE RAISES UNUSUAL CLAIMS OR DEFENSES

The parties, to the best of their knowledge, do not believe this case raises unusual claims or defenses.

7. OTHER MATTERS

There are no other matters anticipated. Plaintiff's current claim does not involve any prior judicial proceedings.

8. BRIEFING SCHEDULE

Attorneys for both parties agree to the following proposed briefing schedule:

A. Plaintiff's Opening Brief Due: November 21, 2013

B. Defendant's Response Brief Due: December 20, 2013

C. Plaintiff's Reply Brief (If Any) Due: January 6, 2014

9. STATEMENTS REGARDING ORAL ARGUMENT

A. Plaintiff's Statement: Plaintiff does not request oral argument.

B. Defendant's Statement: Defendant does not request oral argument.

10. CONSENT TO EXERCISE OF JURISDICTION BY MAGISTRATE JUDGE

All parties have not consented to the exercise of jurisdiction of a United States Magistrate Judge.

11. OTHER MATTERS

THE PARTIES FILING MOTIONS FOR EXTENSION OF TIME OR CONTINUANCES MUST COMPLY WITH D.C.COLO.LCivR 7.1(C) BY SUBMITTING PROOF THAT A COPY OF THE MOTION HAS BEEN SERVED UPON THE MOVING ATTORNEY'S CLIENT, ALL ATTORNEYS OF RECORD, AND ALL PRO SE PARTIES.

12. AMENDMENTS TO JOINT CASE MANAGEMENT PLAN

The parties agree that the Joint Case Management Plan may be altered or amended only upon a showing of good cause.

DATED this	16 th da	y of October	, 2013
------------	---------------------	--------------	--------

BY THE COURT:

<u>s/John L. Kane</u>_

U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

APPROVED:

s/Kristina J. Vasold

Sawaya, Rose, McClure & Wilhite, P.C.

1600 Ogden Street

Denver, CO 80218

Telephone (303) 551-7701

E-mail: kvasold@sawayalaw.com

Attorney for the Plaintiff

JOHN F. WALSH

United States Attorney

s/Alexess Rea

Special Assistant

Assistant Regional Counsel

Office of the General Counsel

Social Security Administration

1961 Stout Street, Ste. 4169

Denver, CO 80294-4003

(303) 844-7237

Alexess.rea@ssa.gov

J. Benedict Garcia

Assistant United States Attorney

1225 Seventeenth Street, Suite 700

Denver, Colorado 80202

(303) 454-0100

E-mail: J.B.Garcia@usdoj.gov

Attorneys for Defendant.