UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA FORT MYERS DIVISION

WILLIAM J. MCCONNELL,

Plaintiff,

v. Case No: 2:17-cv-540-FtM-29CM

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,

Defendant.

ORDER

This matter comes before the Court upon review of the parties' Joint Motion to Extend Deadlines for 90 Days (Doc. 10) filed on October 24, 2017. Defendant seeks a ninety (90) day extension, up to and including January 24, 2018 to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint (Doc. 1). Doc. 10 \P 6. The parties also request a 90-day extension, up to and including February 5, 2018, to meet in person to prepare a Case Management Report. *Id.* As grounds, the parties state that they have agreed to participate in mediation and that should the mediation be successful, Plaintiff will voluntarily dismiss this action. *Id.* at \P 5. The parties also note the upcoming holidays in support of their joint motion. *Id.* at \P 6. Given the parties' representations, the Court finds good cause to grant the requested extension.

ACCORDINGLY, it is hereby

ORDERED:

Joint Motion to Extend Deadlines for 90 Days (Doc. 10) is **GRANTED**. Defendant shall have up to and including **January 24, 2018** to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint. The parties shall have up to and including **February 5, 2018** to meet in

person to prepare a Case Management Report.

DONE and **ORDERED** in Fort Myers, Florida on this 30th day of October, 2017.

CAROL MIRANDO

United States Magistrate Judge

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