UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

JIMMY D. DONALD,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 5:16-cv-11303 Judge Judith E. Levy Magistrate Judge Anthony P. Patti

v.

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

ORDER GRANTING IN PART and DENYING IN PART PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF LOCAL COUNSEL (DE 7)

Plaintiff has filed a motion requesting leave to proceed in this matter without

local counsel as provided for in E.D. Mich. LR 83.20(f); alternatively, Plaintiff

seeks an extension of time within which to obtain local counsel. Upon

consideration, Plaintiff's motion (DE 7) is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN

PART. Plaintiff may not proceed without local counsel. However, she may have

until April 27, 2016 by which to obtain local counsel.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 22, 2016

s/Anthony P. Patti Anthony P. Patti UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing documents was sent to parties of record on April 22, 2016, electronically and/or by U.S. Mail.

s/Michael Williams Case Manager for the Honorable Athony P. Patti