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- 2. On March 26, 2014, the Court entered a Minute Order scheduling the deadline to produce settlement documents and file motions for good faith settlement determinations as May 27, 2014. See Doc. 286. The Court further set the trial of this matter for June 16, 2014. Id.
- 3. The Parties are still awaiting approval of Plaintiff Lonnie C. Carton's appointment as special administrator of the Estate of Edwin B. Carton, which must occur before Ms. Carton can execute the settlement documents. This approval is pending before the Honorable Patricia Gorman of the Middlesex County Probate and Family Court in Cambridge, Massachusetts. The parties are informed that the petition is before the Judge for final stages of review. Although the Court Clerk could not give a deadline, she estimates that the petition will be approved shortly and could be delivered to Mrs. Carton as early as next week (week of May 26. 2014). However, it is possible that approval will not be received until after the May 27, 2014 deadline to file motions for good faith settlement determinations.
- 4. In light of the impending May 27, 2014 deadline, the Parties jointly file this Motion to Extend the Deadline to Produce Settlement Documents and File Motions for Good Faith Settlement Determinations and the corresponding trial date and calendar call by sixty days. The Parties expect that within the expiration of sixty days, the probate proceedings will have concluded, all settlement papers will have been executed, and all motions for good faith settlement determinations will have been filed.
- 5. If granted, the deadline to produce settlement documents and file motions for good faith settlement determinations would be set for July 28, 2014. The Parties respectfully request that the trial of this matter and the corresponding calendar call be continued until dates subsequent to July 28, 2014.
- 6. Plaintiffs further represent that Aviva and American General are the only defendants remaining in this case that are not in default. See Motion for Default Judgment [Doc 291] filed on April 25, 2014 and Stipulations for Dismissal with Prejudice [Docs. 292, 295, & 296] filed on May 19, 2014.
- WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Parties respectfully request that this Court extend the deadline to produce settlement documents and file motions for good faith settlement

1	determinations, as well as the corresponding trial date, by sixty (60) days
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19	ORDER
20	IT IS SO ORDERED this 2nd day of June, 2014.
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