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- 2. On April 11, 2014, the current Scheduling Order was granted by the Court (ECF #49) setting revised discovery deadlines. Since that time, the parties discussed and settled the issues of liability and causation in this Federal Tort Claims Act case.
- 3. On July 10, 2014, the parties filed a stipulation with regard to liability and causation (ECF #54). On July 11, 2014, the Court granted the parties' stipulation (ECF #55).
- 4. The parties will now engage in settlement discussions to settle the remaining issue of damages. Should the parties come to an agreement, it would bring this matter to a full resolution.
- 5. Undersigned counsel and Plaintiff's counsel have agreed a sixty (60) day extension of time is needed, postponing the deadline for the close of discovery until September 29, 2014. Should the parties fail to reach a settlement, the Government intends to conduct a very limited amount of damages related discovery.
 - 6. The instant motion is filed in good faith and not for the purposes of delay.

WHEREFORE, for the above reasons, the United States respectfully requests the instant Motion extending the close of discovery deadline for sixty (60) days to September 29, 2014, be granted.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of July 2014.

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Assistant United States Attorney

IT IS SO ORDERED:

GEÖRGE FOLEY, JR.

United States Magistrate Judge

DATED: July 31, 2014