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10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
11 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

12 BRADLEY SMITH,)
13 Plaintiff,) Case No: 2:12-cv-02141-APG-VCF
14 v.)
15 ROBERT A. MCDONALD, Secretary,)
Department of Veterans Affairs,)
16 Defendant.)
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18 **FEDERAL DEFENDANT’S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**
19 **(First Request)**

20 Federal Defendant Robert A. McDonald, Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs,
21 respectfully requests an extension of time of seven (7) days until May 1, 2015, to file a reply to
22 Plaintiff’s Opposition (ECF #51) to Federal Defendant’s Motion for Summary Judgment (ECF
23 #49).

24 In support of the instant Motion, the Federal Defendant submits the following:

25 1. This Motion is brought in order to accommodate the undersigned counsel for the
26 Federal Defendant.

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2. On March 23, 2015, the Federal Defendant filed a Motion for Summary Judgment. Plaintiff filed his Opposition on April 7, 2015. The Federal Defendant's reply is currently due April 24, 2015.

3. The requested extension of time is necessary in order for Government counsel to obtain additional information and documentation from the agency which is needed to file an adequate reply.


WHEREFORE, for the above reasons, the Federal Defendant respectfully requests the instant Motion extending time to file a reply until May 1, 2015, be granted.

Respectfully submitted this 24th day of April 2015.

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IT IS SO ORDERED:


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

DATED: April 27, 2015