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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

ANTHONY FESTA, Case No.: 2:17-cy-00850-APG-NJK

Plaintiff **Order Denying Motion to Halt Summary Judgment as Moot and Setting Deadline**

for Response

NDOC, et al., [ECF No. 161]

Defendants

Plaintiff Anthony Festa moves for me to suspend summary judgment briefing until the defendants produce discovery that Festa has requested. ECF No. 161. Festa had filed a motion to compel. ECF No. 148. Magistrate Judge Koppe directed the parties to meet and confer to resolve the discovery dispute. ECF No. 164. Judge Koppe subsequently denied the motion to 12 compel without prejudice and ordered that any renewed motion to compel must be filed by April 13|| 19, 2022. ECF No. 166. No renewed motion to compel has been filed. Consequently, it appears 14 that the discovery dispute has concluded and there is no further impediment to Festa responding 15 to the summary judgment motion. I therefore deny his motion to halt summary judgment as 16 moot, and I set a deadline for his response to the summary judgment motion.

I THEREFORE ORDER that plaintiff Anthony Festa's motion to halt summary judgment 18|| (ECF No. 161) is DENIED as moot. Plaintiff Anthony Festa has until May 27, 2022 to file a response to the defendants' motion for summary judgment (ECF No. 149).

DATED this 27th day of April, 2022.

ANDREW P. GORDON

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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