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# STATES DISTRICT COURT **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

ROBERT FLORES, an individual,

Plaintiff,

VS.

WAL-MART STORES, INC., a foreign corporation d/b/a Wal-Mart Neighborhood Market #3355; JONATHAN SOROLA, an individual; DOES 1 through 10, inclusive; ROE CORPORATIONS 11 through 20, inclusive; and ABC LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES 21 through 30, inclusive,

Defendant(s).

CASE NO.: 2:17-cv-01991-JAD-NJK

STIPULATION TO EXTEND **DISCOVERY DEADLINES (FIRST REQUEST**)

Plaintiff, Robert Flores ("Plaintiff"), by and through his counsels of record, Brian D. Nettles, Esq., Christian M. Morris, Esq., and Edward J. Wynder, Esq., of Nettles Law Firm, and Defendant, Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. d/b/a Wal-Mart Neighborhood Market #3355 ("Defendant"), by and through its counsel of record, Timothy D. Kuhls, Esq., Esq., of Phillips, Spallas & Angstadt, LLC, hereby stipulate to the extension of all remaining discovery deadlines by sixty (60) days pursuant to LR 26-4.

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#### **STIPULATED APPLICATION**

WHEREAS, the parties have begun discovery but still have substantial discovery to complete before they will be ready for trial, the parties request a sixty (60) day extension of certain discovery deadlines as set forth below.

#### A. <u>DISCOVERY COMPLETED TO DATE</u>

- 1. The parties participated in the Fed. R. Civ. P 26(f) conference on August 15, 2017.
- 2. Plaintiff made his pre-discovery disclosures pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P 26.1(a)(1) on August 28, 2017. Defendant served its pre-discovery disclosures pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26.1(a)(1) on September 15, 2017.
- 3. Defendant propounded written discovery to Plaintiff on September 18, 2017 and Plaintiff responded to Requests for Admissions on October 11, 2017 and Requests for Production of Documents on October 16, 2017 and Interrogatories on October 16, 2017.
- 4. Plaintiff propounded written discovery to Defendant on November 1, 2017.

## B. SPECIFIC DESCRIPTION OF THE DISCOVERY TO BE COMPLETED

Plaintiff has been unable to designate a medical expert or produce a report due to scheduling conflicts of the expert. Defendant's responses to Plaintiff's written discovery is due December 1, 2017. The parties have conducted one deposition of Defendant's girlfriend, the deposition of one of Defendant's employees is currently scheduled. The parties intend to depose several individuals including Plaintiff, Defendant's Rule 30(b)(6) designee(s), treating medical professionals, expert witnesses and other employees of Defendant.

## C. REASONS FOR EXTENSION TO COMPLETE DISCOVERY

Despite the good faith efforts of the parties to comply with the Court's discovery deadlines, various scheduling conflicts have occurred. As set forth above, Plaintiff has experienced a delay in producing a medical expert report due to the scheduling conflicts of the medical expert. Accordingly, the parties believe a sixty (60) day extension to discovery is warranted and prudent. This request is made in good faith and not for the purpose of delay.

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#### 2 Last date to complete discovery: 3 Currently: Friday, February 9, 2018 4 Proposed: Tuesday, April 10, 2018 5 Last date to amend pleadings and add parties: 6 Currently: Friday, November 10, 2017 7 Proposed: Tuesday, January 9, 2018 8 Last date to disclose experts pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2): 9 Currently: Monday, December 11, 2017 10 Proposed: Friday, February 9, 2018 (702) 434-8282 / (702) 434-1488 (fax) 11 Last date to disclose rebuttal experts: 12 Currently: Wednesday, January 10, 2018 13 Proposed: Monday, March 12, 2018 14 Last date to file interim status report: 15 Currently: Monday, December 11, 2017 16 Proposed: Friday, February 9, 2018 17 Last date to file dispositive motions: 18 Currently: Friday, March 9, 2018 19 Proposed: Tuesday, May 8, 2018 20 Last date to file joint pretrial order: 21 Currently: Friday, April 6, 2018 22 Proposed: Tuesday, June 5, 2018 23 24 25 26

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D. PROPOSED NEW DISCOVERY PLAN DEADLINES

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## 1 2 3 4 mentioned above. 5 6 **NETTLES LAW FIRM** 7 8 /s/ Christian M. Morris, Esq. BRIAN D. NETTLES, ESQ. 9 Nevada Bar No. 7462 10 CHRISTIAN M. MORRIS, ESQ. 1389 Galleria Drive Suite 200 Henderson, NV 89014 (702) 434-8282 / (702) 434-1488 (fax) Nevada Bar No. 11218 11 EDWARD J. WYNDER, ESQ. 12 Nevada Bar No. 13991 Attorneys for Plaintiff 13 14 15 16 IT IS SO ORDERED: 17 Dated: November 13, 2017 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27

#### **CONCLUSION**

Therefore, based upon the foregoing, the parties respectfully request that this Stipulation to Extend Discovery (First Request) be granted and that the Court adopt the proposed dates

DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017. DATED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017.

PHILLIPS, SPALLAS & ANGSTADT LLC

/s/ Timothy D. Kuhls, Esq. TIMOTHY D. KUHLS, ESQ. Nevada Bar No. 13362 Attorneys for Defendant

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UNITED STATES MACISTRATE JUDGE