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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 **HORTENCIA SUAZO, an individual,**
 11 **Plaintiff,**
 12 **vs.**
 13 **UNITED STATES,**
 14 **Defendant.**

CASE NO.: 2:20-cv-01245
STIPULATION AND ORDER TO STAY LITIGATION

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 17 Plaintiffs HORTECIA SUAZO, individually, (“Plaintiffs”) and Defendant UNITED
 18 STATES (“Defendant”), by and through their respective attorneys of record, hereby agree as
 19 follows:

20 On July 6, 2020, Plaintiffs filed suit against Defendants in the United States District
 21 Court District of Nevada, Case No. 2:20-cv-01245. In the Complaint, Plaintiffs alleged that she
 22 was injured in a motor vehicle accident that occurred on August 14, 2018.

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 24 On July 9, 2020 during a telephonic conference with Lance Turner, Special Agent (FBI)
 25 both parties came to an agreement to stay litigation pending the outcome of the defendant review
 26 of the plaintiff’s personal injury claim and attempt to negotiate a settlement.

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A brief stay of the current litigation will allow the parties to attempt to privately settle the matter, will preserve the status quo and minimize the expense of the parties' resources and those of the Court until such settlement negotiation can be concluded.

Additionally, it will prevent the risk of the court needlessly expending its energies to further manage the case when the case may well settle as a result of the parties' own accord at the upcoming settlement. Moreover, a stay of the litigation is requested so that the parties can participate in settlement prior to litigation.

As such, the parties stipulate as follows:

1. That the Federal Court action be stayed for ninety (90) days or until the parties have completed private settlement.
2. The stay shall include all current pre-trial deadlines, including dispositive motions propose discovery plan and Scheduling order, and trial dates.
3. Within 30 days after completion of settlement or the expiration of the 90 day stay, whichever is the earliest date, the parties will (1) submit a Stipulation and Order reflecting resolution of some or all of the claims and/or (2) advise the court the parties were unable to resolve the claims and will request the court new scheduling deadlines to continue litigation.
4. If the parties have not completed mediation prior to the expiration of the ninety day stay but still wish to continue settlement negotiations under a stay of litigation, the parties shall submit a propose discovery plan and scheduling order and/or stipulation to the Court, advising the Court why settlement was not completed and seeking approval of an appropriate extension of the stay. It will be within the Court's sole discretion to rule on any Stipulation for continued stay.

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CASE NO.: 2:20-cv-01245

Suazo v. United States

DATED this 25 day of August, 2020.

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DATED this 25th day of August, 2020

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ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 10th day of September, 2020.

U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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Maria Hernandez

From: Irvin, Brian (USANV) <Brian.Irvin@usdoj.gov> on behalf of Irvin, Brian (USANV)
Sent: Monday, August 24, 2020 4:19 PM
To: Maria Hernandez
Cc: Villalpando, Angelina (USANV); Beyer, Allyson (USANV)
Subject: RE: Suazo v. United States
Attachments: 2020.07.15 Stipulation and orde to stay litigation pending the outcome of settlement_.rtf

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Maria,

Now that the United States was served, I am attaching the proposed order to stay the litigation pending outcome of the agency action. I made some minor changes. If you approve, then you have my permission to use my e-signature and file. Thanks.

Brian Irvin

From: Maria Hernandez <maria@lesstovall.com>
Sent: Wednesday, July 15, 2020 3:33 PM
To: Irvin, Brian (USANV) <BIrvin@usa.doj.gov>
Cc: Turner, Lance D. (LV) (FBI) <ldturner@fbi.gov>
Subject: Suazo v. United States

Good Afternoon,

Enclosed please find the stipulation and order for your review and signature if agreeable to you.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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