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- 4. On February 20, 2020, Plaintiffs filed a Joint Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings (ECF 2606) (the "Joint Motion").
- 5. During the Status Conference, Plaintiffs stated that they would be filing the Joint Motion, and it was agreed that the schedule for responses and replies to the Joint Motion would be as the parties had agreed in the not yet final Proposed Scheduling Order and Discovery Plan.
- 6. In addition, the parties were in substantial agreement on the provisions to be included in the Proposed Scheduling Order and Discovery Plan concerning coordination, to the extent feasible, with respect to the filing of motions, the grounds for motions, briefs supporting motions, and page limits with respect to briefs concerning motions.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereby stipulate and agree as follows:

- 1. The party groups (i.e., Plaintiffs and Principal Defendants) will coordinate their respective responsive and reply briefs with respect to the Joint Motion, and will do their best to file joint responses or replies.
- 2. Plaintiffs and Principal Defendants potentially have common issues to brief. To the extent feasible, the party groups (i.e., Plaintiffs and Principal Defendants) shall separately work as a group to file a single brief on a common issue. No page limit will be imposed on a response or reply to the extent that multiple common issues are incorporated into a single brief.
- 3. If a response or reply is filed by individual parties rather than as a group, the Local Rules of the Court concerning page limitations shall apply.

| 1        | 4. Responses to the Joint Motion will be due within 90 days of its service, and |  |
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| 2        | replies to responses will be due within 45 days of service of the responses.    |  |
| 3        | Dated: February 26, 2020.   |  |
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## **ORDER**

While the court approves of the briefing schedule regarding the "Joint Motion" (¶ 4, ECF No. 2607 at p. 3), due to the extended time provided in the briefing schedule, the court will not approve any future request to further extend the briefing schedule.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: February 27, 2020

William G. Cobb UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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