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9 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

10 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

11 DAMIAN HALL,	
12	Plaintiff,
13 vs.	
14 DR. GENE YUP, et al.,	
15	Defendant.

Case No. 3:15-cv-00242-RCJ-VPC

**MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO  
FILE REPLY IN SUPPORT OF  
DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR  
SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

16 Defendants, Dr. Romeo Aranas, John Keast and Dr. Gene Yup (Defendants), by and through  
17 counsel, Adam Paul Laxalt, Attorney General of the State of Nevada, and Ian Carr, Deputy Attorney  
18 General, hereby submits this Motion for Extension of Time to File a Reply in Support of Defendants'  
19 Motion for Summary Judgment. This Motion is based on Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b)(1)(A),  
20 the following Memorandum of Points and Authorities, and all papers and pleadings on file in this  
21 action.

22 **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

23 **I. ARGUMENT**

24 Defendants respectfully request a twenty-one (21) day extension of time to file a Reply in  
25 Support of their Motion for Summary Judgment. Counsel for Defendants is confronted with numerous  
26 competing deadlines and a high workload due to staffing changes in the Office of the Attorney General.  
27 However, such obstacles are currently being resolved and the requested extension of time will afford  
28 Defendants adequate time to file a Reply in this matter.

1 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b)(1) governs extensions of time and provides as follows:


2 When an act may or must be done within a specified time, the court may,  
3 for good cause, extend the time: (A) with or without motion or notice if  
4 the court acts, or if a request is made, before the original time or its  
5 extension expires; or (B) on motion made after the time has expired if the  
6 party failed to act because of excusable neglect.

7 Defendants' request is timely and its limited nature will not hinder or prejudice Plaintiff's case,  
8 but will allow for thorough briefing in response to Plaintiff's Opposition (ECF No.89). In his  
9 Opposition (ECF No. 89), Plaintiff makes allegations against Defendants' professional qualifications  
10 and honor, and Defendants require additional time to formulate arguments to contradict Plaintiff's  
11 allegations. The requested twenty-one (21) day extension of time will permit Defendants time to  
12 adequately research and respond to Plaintiff's Opposition (ECF No. 89). Defendants assert that the  
13 requisite good cause is present to warrant the requested extension of time.

14 For these reasons, Defendants respectfully request a twenty-one (21) day extension of time to  
15 file a Reply in Support of their Motion for Summary Judgment, with a new deadline to and including  
16 Thursday, December 7, 2017.

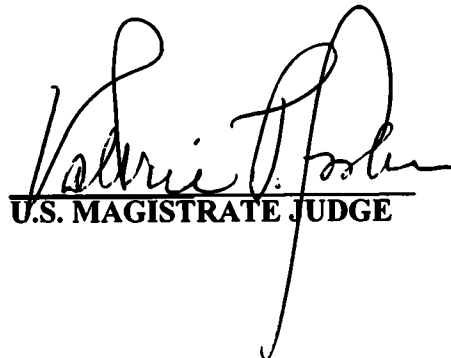
17 DATED this 16th day of November, 2017.

18 ADAM PAUL LAXALT  
19 Attorney General

20 By:   
21 IAN CARR  
22 Deputy Attorney General  
23 Bureau of Litigation  
24 Public Safety Division  
25 Attorneys for Defendants

26 IT IS SO ORDERED.

27 DATED: November 17, 2017

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U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I am an employee of the Office of the Attorney General, State of Nevada, and that on this 16th day of November, 2017, I caused a copy of the foregoing, **MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT**, to be served, by U.S. District Court CM/ECF Electronic Filing on the following:

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