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**BY ECF**

Honorable Jessica G. L. Clarke  
 United States District Judge  
 United States District Court  
 Southern District of New York  
 500 Pearl Street  
 New York, NY 10007

**MEMO ENDORSED**

Re: Marcelino Castro v. Janet Smith, 16-CV-8147 (JGLC)(GWG)

Your Honor:

I am Senior Counsel in the office of the Hon. Sylvia O. Hinds-Radix, Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, attorney for defendant Janet Smith in the above-referenced action. I write on behalf of all parties to inform the Court that the parties are still working in good faith to negotiate a global settlement of this matter and respectfully request that the Court postpone entering judgment from January 18, 2024 until January 25, 2024, to allow the parties time to continue their negotiations.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Application GRANTED. The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate ECF No. 180.

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 Joseph Zangrilli  
*Senior Counsel*

SO ORDERED.

cc All counsel (via ECF)

*Jessica Clarke*

JESSICA G. L. CLARKE  
 United States District Judge

Dated: January 19, 2024  
 New York, New York