

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

JASON LEOPOLD, et al.,)
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 Plaintiffs,)
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 v.) Civil Action No. 12-0245 (BAH)
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 CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY,)
 et al.,)
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 Defendants.)

DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR FURTHER ENLARGEMENT OF TIME

Pursuant to Rule 6(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, defendants respectfully request an enlargement of time, to and including May 31, 2012, in which to respond to plaintiffs' Complaint in this case. The parties have been engaging in settlement negotiations in an effort to narrow or eliminate the issues which would require judicial resolution. The time requested is necessary for the parties to have additional time to explore possible settlement¹ and, if unsuccessful, to provide the necessary time for defendants to complete and file their response to plaintiffs' Complaint.

The current due date for defendants' response is April 30, 2012. This is defendants' third request for an extension of

¹ Counsel for plaintiffs and defendant will be out of their respective offices for certain time periods during May, which is why an extension to the end of May is being requested.

time, and the granting of this motion will have no effect on any other deadlines currently existing in this case.

Plaintiffs' counsel has consented to this motion.

For the foregoing reasons, defendants respectfully request that this unopposed motion be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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ORDER

Upon consideration of defendants' unopposed motion for further extension of time, and the entire record in this case, and it appearing to the Court that the unopposed motion should be granted for good cause shown, it is hereby

ORDERED that defendants' unopposed motion is granted; and it is further

ORDERED that defendants may have to and including May 31, 2012, in which to respond to plaintiffs' Complaint.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE