IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Wazee Street Opportunities Fund IV LP, Douglas Whitley, and Lisa Brown, On Behalf of Themselves and All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

The Federal Housing Finance Agency; Melvin L. Watt, in his official capacity as Director of the Federal Housing Finance Agency; and the U.S. Department of the Treasury,

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION

No. 2:18-cv-03478-NIQA

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

STIPULATION EXTENDING DEFENDANTS' TIME TO RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT AND FOR SCHEDULE FOR FORTHCOMING BRIEFING

Plaintiffs and Defendants hereby stipulate, subject to the Court's approval, to extend

Defendants' time to respond to the Complaint and to set a schedule for the briefing of

forthcoming dispositive motions the parties intend to file. Specifically, Plaintiffs and Defendants

stipulate as follows:

- 1. On August 16, 2018, Plaintiffs filed their Complaint.
- 2. Plaintiffs agree that Defendants Federal Housing Finance Agency ("FHFA") and Melvin L. Watt (together, the "FHFA Defendants") and Defendant the U.S. Department of the Treasury may have until **November 16, 2018** to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint.
- 3. Defendants have advised Plaintiffs that they intend to file motions to dismiss as their responses to the Complaint. Plaintiffs have advised Defendants that they intend to file a cross-motion for summary judgment. The parties agree that the motions to dismiss and the motion for summary judgment will raise legal issues that can be resolved without the need for

discovery. The parties reserve their right to conduct discovery, if necessary, after the motions are decided.

- 4. The parties have agreed upon the following briefing schedule for the forthcoming dispositive motions, subject to the Court's approval:
 - a. Defendants shall file their motions to dismiss by **November 16, 2018**.
 - b. Plaintiffs shall file their opposition or oppositions to Defendants' motions to dismiss, and their motion for summary judgment, by **December 21, 2018**.
 - c. Defendants shall file their replies in support of their motions to dismiss, as well as their oppositions to Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment, by <u>January</u>
 25, 2019.
 - d. Plaintiffs shall file their reply in support of their motion for summary judgment on or before February 8, 2019.

WHEREFORE, the parties respectfully request that the Court approve this stipulation.

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