

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DANIEL J. BERNSTEIN,

*Plaintiff,*

v.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF  
STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY et al.,

*Defendants.*

Civil Action No. 22-2319 (DLF)

**CONSENT MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b), Defendants respectfully move by and through the undersigned counsel for a two business-day extension, to October 18, 2022, of the deadline to file a Joint Status Report (“JSR”). Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 7(m), the undersigned has conferred with Plaintiff’s counsel, who consents to this relief. Good cause to extend this deadline exists. The agency counsel assigned to this matter—who possesses the knowledge of the status of the search for, processing of, and production of records responsive to Plaintiff’s request under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, necessary to draft a JSR—is currently sick and out of the office, and the undersigned has been unable to reach him. A two business-day extension hopefully will enable agency counsel to recover over the weekend and provide the undersigned with the information necessary to draft a JSR. A proposed order is attached.

Dated: October 14, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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By: /s/

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**[PROPOSED] ORDER**

UPON CONSIDERATION of Defendants' Consent Motion for Extension of Time, it is hereby ORDERED that Defendants' motion is GRANTED. The parties shall file a Joint Status Report by October 18, 2022.

SO ORDERED.

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Dated

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DABNEY L. FRIEDRICH  
United States District Court Judge