UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS

LOUIS P. KNIPP,   )
)
          Appellant,   )
)
       v.   )   Vet. App. No. 18-4434
)
ROBERT L. WILKIE,   )
Secretary of Veterans Affairs,   )
)
          Appellee.   )
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APPELLANT'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE APPELLANT'S REPLY BRIEF

Pursuant to Rule 26(b) of this Court's Rules of Practice and Procedure, counsel for the Appellant, Louis P. Knipp, respectfully requests a thirty (30) day extension of time to file his reply brief in support of his appeal. If not for this motion, the Appellant's reply brief would be due on November 7, 2019. Extending this deadline by thirty (30) days will make the new due date Monday, December 9, 2019.

The request for additional time is made to accommodate the schedule of counsel for the Appellant. In addition to the deadline to file the Appellant's brief in this matter, counsel's calendar has also required meeting discovery and briefing deadlines in other matters pending before this court as well as in the State of Wisconsin.

In compliance with Rule 26(b)(1), the undersigned counsel notifies the Court that the Appellant has requested and received three prior extensions: (1) a two day extension that was granted on May 30, 2019; (2) a seven day extension that was granted on June 3, 2019; and (3) a thirty-six day extension that was granted on June 7, 2019. The Secretary has requested and received one prior extension of forty-five (45) days that was granted on September 9, 2019.

In compliance with Rule 27(a), the undersigned counsel notifies the Court that he has conferred with counsel for the Secretary, and that the Secretary is unopposed to this motion.

WHEREFORE, counsel for the Appellant, Louis P. Knipp, respectfully moves the Court for an extension of time of thirty (30) days to file the Appellant's reply brief.

Dated this 7th day of November, 2019.

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