IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS

STEVEN P. KIVARI,	)	
	)	
Appellant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Vet. App. No. 18-5538
	)	
ROBERT L. WILKIE,	)	
Secretary of Veterans Affairs,	)	
	)	
Appellee.	)	

APPELLEE'S MOTION TO CONTINUE STAY OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS

Pursuant to U.S. Vet. App. R. 5 and 45(g), the Secretary respectfully moves the Court for an additional 30-day stay of proceedings. The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Office of General Counsel has not yet received from Appellant paperwork necessary to serve and file the Record of Proceedings. The Secretary respectfully requests that the Court stay proceedings for Appellant to provide the VA Office of General Counsel with the necessary paperwork to allow it to file the ROP in this case.

Appellant is *pro se* and was not contacted with regard to this motion.

WHEREFORE, Appellee respectfully moves the Court for a 30-day stay of proceedings until February 3, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On the 2nd day of January 2020, a copy of the foregoing was mailed, postage prepaid, to:

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I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

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