

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR VETERANS CLAIMS**

**SHERRY CRAIG-DAVIDSON,**

Appellant,

v.

**DENIS MCDONOUGH,**

Secretary of Veterans Affairs,

Appellee.

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Vet. App. No. 20-4372

**APPELLEE’S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO RESPOND TO APPELLANT’S BRIEF UNTIL MARCH 6, 2023**

Pursuant to U.S. Vet. App. R. 26(b), Appellee, Denis McDonough, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, respectfully moves the Court for a 45-day extension of time within which to respond to Appellant’s Brief. If not for this motion, the Secretary’s response would be due on January 20, 2023.

The request for more time is being made due to Appellate Attorney’s current deadlines and workload considerations in other cases pending before the Court, which preclude completion of Appellee’s response at this time.

Appellant has previously been granted 45-days of extension in the merits portion of this case, and 119 days of extension case thus far. Appellee has not requested any extensions in the merits portion of the case, and 45 days of extension case thus far.

On behalf of the Secretary, counsel expresses regret to the Court and Appellant for any inconvenience caused by the delay in filing the Secretary's response. However, in view of the aforesaid circumstances, an extension of 45 days is requested.

Counsel for the Appellant does not oppose this motion.

**WHEREFORE**, Appellee, Denis McDonough, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, respectfully moves the Court for an extension of time to file a response to Appellant's Brief, until March 6, 2023.

Respectfully submitted,

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