

In the United States Court of Federal Claims

No. 13-465C
(Filed: April 13, 2017)

 FAIRHOLME FUNDS, INC. et al., *
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 Plaintiffs, *
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 v. *
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 THE UNITED STATES, *
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 Defendant. *

ORDER

On April 11, 2017, defendant filed an unopposed motion for a 43-day enlargement of time within which to (1) complete the review of its privilege log, as required by the court’s March 7, 2017 order; (2) produce any documents that are no longer privileged, or which must otherwise be produced in light of the rulings of this court and the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit; and (3) file a status report indicating that it has complied with the court’s March 7, 2017 order. That same day, plaintiffs filed a response, noting that if the motion is granted, defendant will have had 12 weeks to review the documents. Although plaintiffs do not oppose the motion, they ask the court to make clear, if it grants the motion, that no further extensions will be allowed.

While the court will not, at this time, preclude defendant from seeking any future enlargements, the court cautions defendant that such motions will not be viewed favorably, absent extraordinary circumstances that preclude defendant from completing its review. With respect to defendant’s current motion, however, for good cause shown—defendant has completed its review of approximately 40-50 percent of the 11,000 documents and seeks additional time to complete its review of the remaining documents—the court **GRANTS** defendant’s motion. Defendant’s status report indicating compliance with the court’s March 7, 2017 order is now due on or by May 30, 2017.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s Margaret M. Sweeney
 MARGARET M. SWEENEY
 Judge