

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA
CEDAR RAPIDS DIVISION**

THOMAS SAXTON, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

**THE FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE
AGENCY, *et al.*,**

Defendants.

No. C15-0047

AMENDED BRIEFING SCHEDULE

This matter comes before the Court on the Joint Motion to Modify Briefing Schedule and for Leave to Exceed Page Limitations (docket number 63) filed by the parties on February 16, 2016. Citing anticipated motions to dismiss in response to Plaintiffs' recent amended complaint, the parties ask the Court to establish a briefing schedule and permit extended briefs. For the reasons stated by the parties in their motion, the Court finds the request should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Joint Motion to Modify (docket number 63) is **GRANTED** as follows:

1. Defendants' motions to dismiss must be filed not later than **March 18, 2016**.
2. Defendant FHFA's motion to dismiss and supporting brief must not exceed forty-five (45) pages.
3. Defendant Treasury's motion to dismiss and supporting brief must not exceed thirty-five (35) pages.
4. Plaintiffs' resistance to Defendants' motions to dismiss, including their brief in resistance, must be filed not later than **April 18, 2016**.

5. Plaintiffs' resistance, including their brief, must not exceed eighty (80) pages.

6. Defendants' replies, if any, must be filed not later than **May 18, 2016**.

7. Defendants' reply briefs must not exceed twenty-five (25) pages each.

These deadlines, agreed to by the parties and adopted by the Court, are considered firm deadlines. The parties are advised that no further extensions will be granted.

DATED this 18th day of February, 2016.



JON STUART SCOLES
CHIEF MAGISTRATE JUDGE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA