

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR VETERANS CLAIMS

MISC. NO. 08-13

IN RE: LAPSE IN FUNDING FOR DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

ORDER

In Miscellaneous Order 07-13 (Oct. 4, 2013), the Court acknowledged the Secretary's assertion that funding for the operation of VA's Office of General Counsel would become exhausted as of October 17, 2013. Accordingly, the Court granted in part a stay of the time to file pleadings due by the Secretary on or after October 17, 2013. Misc. Order 07-13 further stated that the Court would review this stay as necessary and extend or modify the stay to permit the Court to perform its constitutional and statutory duty to decide cases.

Funding for federal offices, to include VA's Office of General Counsel has been restored, and the Court will therefore modify the stay established in Misc. Order 07-13. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that any pleading originally due for filing by the Secretary between October 17 and October 23, 2013, is now due for filing on October 24, 2013, unless ordered otherwise by the Court subsequent to the date of this order. It is further

ORDERED that any pleading originally due for filing by the Secretary on or after October 24, 2013, remains due on its original due date, unless ordered otherwise by the Court subsequent to the date of this order.

DATED: October 17, 2013

BY THE COURT:



Bruce E. Kasold
Chief Judge