## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION, and AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION FOUNDATION,

Plaintiffs,

v.

NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY, DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, and DEPARTMENT OF STATE,

Defendants.

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## JOINT STIPULATION AND ORDER

WHEREAS Plaintiffs American Civil Liberties Union and American Civil Liberties Union Foundation seek to further amend their Complaint for disclosure of records from Defendants pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552; and

WHEREAS Defendants consent to Plaintiffs' request to file a Second Amended Complaint; now therefore,

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the undersigned counsel, subject to the approval of the Court, that:

- Plaintiffs may file a Second Amended Complaint in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 2. Within two weeks of the date of this Joint Stipulation, the parties will submit to the

Court an agreed-upon schedule for the search and processing of records responsive to the FOIA request submitted by Plaintiffs on July 29, 2014 to the National Security Division of the Department of Justice. In the event that that the parties cannot reach an agreement as to the search and processing schedule, they will each submit their respective proposed schedules to the Court for a decision.

- 3. Defendants will file their Answer to the Second Amended Complaint no later than thirty days after it is filed.
- Nothing in this Stipulation shall affect existing orders of the Court setting certain deadlines for Defendants' search, review, and processing of potentially responsive documents.

Dated: October 30, 2014

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SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 30, 2014

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United States District Judge