## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

ELECTRONIC PRIVACY INFORMATION CENTER,

Plaintiff,

V.

Civil Action No. 17-2274

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE NATIONAL SECURITY DIVISION,

Defendant.

## **JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Plaintiff, the Electronic Privacy Information Center ("EPIC"), and Defendant,

Department of Justice National Security Division ("NSD"), hereby submit this Joint Status

Report pursuant to the Court's January 25, 2018, Minute Order.

Since the Court granted the parties' motion, Plaintiff provided to Defendant a bill of attorney's fees and costs. The parties are currently attempting to resolve the fee issue through settlement. The parties respectfully request that the Court provide for additional time until March 23, 2018 to allow the parties to complete their efforts to resolve Plaintiff's claim for attorney's fees and costs.

March 5, 2018 Respectfully submitted,

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