UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

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Deputy Clerk

STANDING ORDER REGARDING ASSIGNMENT OF APPEALS OF

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION DECISIONS

The parties in an appeal of the decision of the Social Security Administration may choose to file consent to the appeal being decided by a Magistrate Judge of this District, with judgment entered following the Magistrate Judge's decision on the Social Security appeal. Any appeal from the Magistrate Judge's ruling would be to the Second Circuit Court of Appeals. The plaintiff may file his/her consent anytime from commencement of their case through fourteen (14) days from the defendant's notice of appearance. The defendant must file his/her consent within fourteen (14) days of the filing of his/her notice of appearance.

If a party does not consent within the time limit for that party as described above, the Social Security appeal will then be assigned to a District Judge.

Pending random assignment to either a Magistrate Judge or District Judge, all Social Security appeals will be temporarily assigned to the docket of the Chief Judge.

A copy of the Consent Form is attached to this Standing Order.

SO ORDERED.

Dated at New Haven, Connecticut, this 27th day of April, 2017.

/s/ Janet C. Hall
Janet C. Hall, Chief Judge
United States District Court