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#### IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### FOR THE DISTRICT OF IDAHO

ADREE EDMO,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 1:17-cv-151-BLW

v.

IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; HENRY ATENCIO, in his official capacity; JEFF ZMUDA, in his official capacity; HOWARD KEITH YORDY, in his official and individual capacities; CORIZON, INC.; SCOTT ELIASON; MURRAY YOUNG; RICHARD CRAIG; RONA SIEGERT; CATHERINE WHINNERY; AND DOES 1-15;

Defendants.

DEFENDANTS' JOINT STATUS REPORT

COME NOW, Defendants, Corizon Inc., Scott Eliason, Murray Young, and Catherine Whinnery, by and through their counsel of record, Parsons Behle & Latimer, and the Idaho

Department of Correction, Henry Atencio, Jeff Zmuda, Howard Keith Yordy, Richard Craig, and Rona Siegert, by and through their counsel of record, Moore Elia Kraft & Hall, LLP (collectively referred to as "Defendants"), and hereby submit their Joint Status Report.

## A. Potential Appeals.

Defendants filed their respective notices of appeal to the Ninth Circuit on January 9, 2019.

## **B.** Potential Stay of Case.

Defendants filed a Joint Motion to Stay Pending Appeal on January 9, 2019. Defendants respectfully request the Court expedite briefing on this motion.

# C. Action Taken Under the Court's Memorandum Decision and Opinion.

Defendants have taken steps to provide further treatment to Plaintiff Adree Edmo, including steps to provide Ms. Edmo with Gender Confirmation Surgery ("GCS"). Corizon has contracted with an offsite consultant and gender dysphoria specialist, Dr. Marvin Alviso, who has recently been managing Ms. Edmo's hormone therapy. Dr. Alviso saw Ms. Edmo last week, and Corizon has requested the notes from this appointment. When Corizon receives these notes, they will serve a supplemental disclosure on the parties with the updated records.

Corizon's Regional Office plans to utilize Dr. Alviso as the intermediary physician to assist with pre-operative tasks and requirements, such as labs, and help arrange Ms. Edmo's GCS. Corizon's Regional Office has consulted directly with Dr. Alviso regarding the steps necessary to conduct GCS for Ms. Edmo. Dr. Alviso has identified Geoffrey D. Stiller, M.D., FACS ("Dr. Stiller") as a surgeon with Palouse Surgeons in Moscow, Idaho, who could potentially perform GCS for Ms. Edmo. It is Defendants' understanding that Dr. Stiller is qualified to perform GCS surgery and is also the only qualified GCS surgeon in Idaho. Corizon and Dr. Alviso are in the process of determining possible dates for the GCS surgery with Dr. Stiller, as well as discussing the logistical challenges of such.

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Defendants are also considering the possibility of using an out-of-state surgeon.

Defendants have received a list of out-of-state GCS surgeons provided by Ms. Edmo's counsel

and are considering those surgeons as possibilities as well as the corresponding logistic difficulties

involved with transporting Ms. Edmo, an inmate, out of state. Corizon is working with IDOC to

coordinate security, transportation, and where Ms. Edmo will be placed after the surgery. IDOC

has appointed two employees as points-of-contact to coordinate with Corizon regarding security,

transportation, and other logistical issues. Corizon Defendants understand that Ms. Edmo will

require extensive rehabilitation after the GCS surgery, so Defendants are considering options for

Ms. Edmo's incarcerated housing. Corizon is working to schedule a follow-up date with Dr.

Alviso to go over the next steps for preparing for Ms. Edmo's GCS surgery. Defendants

understand the deadline for Ms. Edmo to have surgery, per court order, is June 13, 2019, and

Defendants are actively working to schedule the GCS surgery prior to that date.

DATED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019.

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By: /s/ Dylan A. Eaton

Dylan A. Eaton Counsel for Defendants Corizon Inc., Scott Eliason, Murray Young, and

Catherine Whinnery

DATED this 15th day of January, 2019.

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By: /s/ Brady J. Hall

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019, I filed the foregoing electronically through the CM/ECF system, which caused the following parties or counsel to be served by electronic means, as more fully reflected on the Notice of Electronic Filing:

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