

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY
CENTRAL DIVISION
FRANKFORT

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, in his official capacity
as President of the United States, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Civil No. 3:21-cv-00055-GFVT

ORDER

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This matter is before the Court on the Defendants' Unopposed Motion to Extend Deadline to Respond to Complaint and to Enter Briefing Schedule. [R. 66.] After granting the Plaintiffs' motion for preliminary injunction, this Court stayed proceedings pending final resolution of the Defendants' appeal. [R. 50; R. 61.] The Sixth Circuit issued its mandate on March 7, 2023, and the time to petition for a writ of certiorari has passed. [R. 65.] The Plaintiffs do not oppose the Defendants' proposed briefing schedule. [R. 66 at 4.] Accordingly, and the Court being sufficiently advised, it is hereby **ORDERED** as follows:

1. The Defendants' motion [R. 66] is **GRANTED**;
2. The stay in this matter [R. 61] is **LIFTED**;
3. The Defendants shall have up to and including **July 14, 2023**, to respond to the complaint;
4. The Defendants shall have up to and including **July 14, 2023**, to file a motion to dismiss;
5. The Plaintiffs shall have up to and including **August 4, 2023**, to respond to the Defendants' motion to dismiss; and

6. The Defendants shall have up to and including **August 18, 2023**, to file a reply in support of their motion to dismiss.

This the 14th day of June, 2023.

The image shows a handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Gregory F. Van Tatenhove", written over a circular official seal. The seal contains an eagle with spread wings and the text "UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT" and "EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY".

Gregory F. Van Tatenhove
United States District Judge