IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

IN RE:

Master Docket 1:15-mc-700 (JBS)

HURRICANE SANDY FEMA DIRECT FLOOD LITIGATION

ORDER

In further effort to manage the cases on this docket efficiently and effectively, and with consent of the Court's Hurricane Sandy Litigation Committee;

IT IS, this <u>22nd</u> day of <u>December</u>, 2015, hereby ORDERED:

1. That the time for the United States Attorney's Office to file its next biweekly update of settlement activity will be enlarged to <u>Tuesday, January 5, 2016</u>, and then resume as scheduled on Friday, January 15, 2016; and

2. That the Court is considering vacating the temporary stay of cases on this docket pursuant to the Order of November 13, 2015 [Docket Item 36], upon the expiration of that Order on January 11, 2016, for cases that have not been reported as tentatively settled by that date, thus restoring unresolved Sandy cases to the active docket. Any party opposing the lifting of the stay is requested to show cause in a letter filed upon this Miscellaneous Docket on or before January 11, 2016, why the temporary stay should be extended.

> s/ Jerome B. Simandle JEROME B. SIMANDLE Chief U.S. District Judge