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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SOUTHERN DIVISION

ANTHEM BLUE CROSS LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY, a California corporation; and BLUE CROSS OF CALIFORNIA DBA ANTHEM BLUE CROSS, a California corporation,

Plaintiffs,

v.

PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES – ST. FRANCIS, LLC; CHINO VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER AUXILIARY; PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES – ENCINO HOSPITAL, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES – GARDEN GROVE, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE HUNTINGTON BEACH, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE LA PALMA, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES – MONTCLAIR, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE PARADISE VALLEY, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES - SHASTA, LLC; PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES – SHERMAN OAKS, LLC; AND PRIME HEALTHCARE ANAHEIM, LLC,

Defendants.

Case No. 8:26-cv-00023-MRA-ADS

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATION TO EXTEND PRIME HOSPITALS’ DEADLINE TO ANSWER OR OTHERWISE RESPOND TO PLAINTIFFS’ COMPLAINT

Judge: Honorable Monica Ramirez Almadani
Date Action Filed: January 5, 2026

1 On March 26, 2026, the Parties filed a Stipulation to extend the deadline for
2 Defendants to answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiffs' Complaint by 28 days.

3 The Court, having considered the Stipulation, and finding good cause therefor,
4 hereby ORDERS as follows:

- 5 1. The Parties' Stipulation is **GRANTED**. The Defendants shall have up
6 to and including **April 27, 2026** to answer or otherwise respond to the
7 Complaint.
- 8 2. If Defendants respond to Plaintiffs' Complaint with a motion, the Parties
9 shall be subject to the following briefing schedule: Plaintiffs' deadline
10 to file an Opposition Brief shall be up to and including **June 12, 2026**;
11 Defendants' deadline to file a Reply Brief shall be up to and including
12 **June 26, 2026**.

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14 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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16 Dated: March 26, 2026 _____



HON. MONICA RAMIREZ ALMADANI
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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