

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION**

WALT DISNEY PARKS AND RESORTS U.S., INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

No. 4:23-cv-163-MW-MJF

RON DESANTIS, in his official capacity
as Governor of Florida, et al.,

Defendants.

**JOINT STIPULATION REGARDING
BRIEFING SCHEDULE AND SERVICE OF PROCESS**

The parties jointly file this stipulation regarding the briefing schedule for Defendants' forthcoming motions to dismiss and issues related to service of process.

In support, they state as follows.

1. In this action, Walt Disney Parks and Resorts U.S. Inc. has sued the Governor, the Secretary of the Department of Economic Opportunity, members of the Board of Supervisors for the Central Florida Tourism Oversight District (CFTOD), and the Administrator of CFTOD. The Governor and the Secretary will be represented by the Attorney General; the CFTOD Board and Administrator will be represented by Cooper & Kirk, PLLC, and Lawson Huck Gonzalez, PLLC.

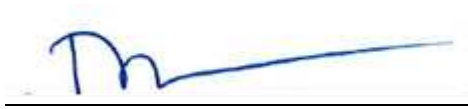
2. All Defendants intend to file motions to dismiss the amended complaint.

Defendants request, and Plaintiff does not oppose, that the Court set the following briefing schedule for the motions to dismiss:

- Defendants' Motions to Dismiss: **Due 6/26/23**
- Plaintiff's Responses: **Due 7/26/23**
- Defendants' Replies: **Due 8/9/23**

3. As for service of process, the parties dispute whether service has been properly effected on all Defendants. Without waiving any party's right to litigate that issue in another forum, however, Defendants agree to waive service of the Amended Complaint as of the date of this filing, and will not contest the sufficiency of service in this action or move to dismiss the Amended Complaint under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(4)–(5) (while reserving the right to raise arguments regarding the date that service was effective).

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**pro hac vice motion forthcoming
**admission to the Northern District of
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on May 22, 2023, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was filed with the Court's CM/ECF system, which will provide service to all parties.

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