

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

EAST TEXAS BAPTIST UNIVERSITY,
et al.,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

SECRETARY KATHLEEN SEBELIUS,
et al.,

Defendants.

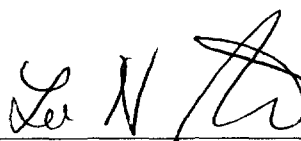
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CIVIL ACTION NO. H-12-3009

ORDER

The Government's Motion for a Stay of Litigation Schedule in Light of Lapse of Appropriations is granted. The docket control order is amended to stay the case, with the stay to end automatically when the shutdown ends. At that time, the current deadlines and hearing dates will be automatically extended by the amount of time that lapses before funding is restored. The only exception is that if the shutdown ends before October 14, 2013, the October 25, 2013 hearing will take place as scheduled.

SIGNED on October 3, 2013, at Houston, Texas.



Lee H. Rosenthal
United States District Judge