

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
WEST PALM BEACH DIVISION**

Case No.: 13-CV-81105-RYSKAMP/HOPKINS

MARC GROUP, on behalf of himself and all
others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

WALGREEN CO.,

Defendant.

ORDER STAYING PROCEEDINGS

THIS CAUSE comes before the Court on parties joint motion to stay proceedings [**DE 37**] filed on July 28, 2014. Parties have agreed to a global settlement in this matter which is pending approval in the Southern District of New York. *See Quinn v. Walgreen Co.*, No. 12-cv-8187 (S.D.N.Y.). As part of the settlement, parties agreed to move for a stay of all proceedings connected to the settlement, including this action.

“A district court has the authority to issue a stay of the proceedings pending resolution of a related matter in another court.” *Ortega Trujillo v. Conover & Co. Commc’ns, Inc.*, 221 F.3d 1262, 1264 (11th Cir. 2000). The Court has reviewed parties’ motion, and finds good cause to stay and administrative close this action. Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. Parties’ motion to stay proceedings [**DE 37**] is **GRANTED**.
2. This action is **STAYED** until further order of the Court, and parties shall file a joint status report on the progress of the settlement proceedings in sixty (60) days.

3. If resolution of the global settlement concludes before sixty (60) days, parties shall immediately move to reopen this case and file a joint stipulation with prejudice.
4. The Clerk of Court is directed to **ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSE** this case and to **DENY** all pending motions as **MOOT**. Such motions may be subject to renewal when the stay is lifted.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at West Palm Beach, Florida this 7 day of August, 2014.

/s/ Kenneth L. Ryskamp
KENNETH L. RYSKAMP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE