IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND (SOUTHERN DIVISION)

BARRY D. BRAAN, SR. *

Plaintiff, *

v. * CASE NO. 8:21-cv-02023-DKC

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND *

MEDICAL SYSTEM
CORPORATION, et al. *

RESPONSE TO SHOW CAUSE ORDER

Plaintiff, BARRY D. BRAAN, SR., by his undersigned counsel, files this Response to the Show Cause Order (ECF No. 4) entered by the Court in this case and states:

- 1. Plaintiff's undersigned counsel has been in discussions with Mark Saudek, Esq., Gallagher Evelius & Jones LLP, who has agreed to accept service on behalf of all Defendants in this case pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 4(d).
- 2. The reason for the delay is that Counsel have been discussing the scope of Plaintiff's claims and Defendants' defenses, and are exchanging cases applicable to the issues in the case. Based on these discussions, Plaintiff's counsel anticipates that an Amended Complaint will be filed.
- 3. Accordingly, as counsel are in good faith attempting to focus the issues, it is anticipated that motions practice will be minimized, and the issues in the case will be streamlined for the Court.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, BARRY D. BRAAN, SR., respectfully requests that the case proceed in the ordinary course.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this <u>17th</u> day of December, 2021, a copy of the foregoing pleading was sent via email and U.S. Mail to Mark Saudek, Esq., 218 North Charles Street, Suite 400, Baltimore, MD 21201, attorneys for Plaintiffs.

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