UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

ACA INTERNATIONAL and SPECIALIZED COLLECTION SYSTEMS, INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

No. 4:25-cv-00094

CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION BUREAU and RUSSELL VOUGHT, in his official capacity as Acting Director of the CFPB,

Defendants.

STATUS REPORT

Defendants Consumer Financial Protection Bureau and Russell Vought, in his official

capacity as Acting Director of the Bureau, respectfully submit this status report pursuant to the

Court's February 13 Order, ECF No. 28. The Bureau is still evaluating its position with respect

to the rule at issue in this action, "Prohibition on Creditors and Consumer Reporting Agencies

Concerning Medical Information (Regulation V)," 90 Fed. Reg. 3276 (Jan. 14, 2025).

Defendants will provide another status report to the Court on or before May 14.

Date: April 14, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of this Status Report was filed electronically through the Court's ECF system.

DATE: April 14, 2025

/s/ Amanda J. Krause