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9 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
10 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 RAUL SANCHEZ ZAVALA,  
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13 Plaintiff,  
14 v.  
15 HECTOR RIOS, et al.,  
16 Defendants.

Case No. 1:09-cv-00679-MJS

**STIPULATION AND PROPOSED  
ORDER TO CONVERT INITIAL  
SCHEDULING CONFERENCE TO  
TELEPHONIC STATUS  
CONFERENCE**

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18 The parties to this action, in light of the pending Motion to Withdraw as Counsel for Plaintiff  
19 (ECF No. 51) and Motion for Leave to Amend Fifth Amended Complaint (ECF No. 58), respectfully  
20 request that the Initial Scheduling Conference scheduled for March 8, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. PST be  
21 converted to a telephonic status conference and that the scheduling of this case be deferred until it is  
22 resolved (1) whether Plaintiff's counsel will be permitted to withdraw and (2) whether Plaintiff will  
23 be permitted to assert additional claims in this action.

24 Respectfully submitted,

25 Dated: March 1, 2013

LAW OFFICE OF DENNIS C. CUSICK

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27 /s/ Dennis C. Cusick [Authorized 3/1/13]  
DENNIS C. CUSICK  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
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1 Dated: March 1, 2013

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3 /s/ Benjamin E. Hall  
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6 Attorney for Defendant  
7 Alicia Gonzaga

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9 **ORDER**

10 Good cause appearing, the above stipulation is approved and it is ORDERED that the hearing  
11 scheduled for 10:00 a.m., March 8, 2013, shall be a Status Conference at which counsel for all  
12 parties shall appear telephonically via Court Call or such other conferencing system arranged by one  
13 party for the benefit of all others and the Court.

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18 IT IS SO ORDERED.

19 Dated: March 4, 2013

20 /s/ Michael J. Seng  
21 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE