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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 SHERRI HUBBLE

12 Plaintiff(s),

13 v.

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15 THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE
16 INSURANCE COMPANY; and STWEART
17 WELFARE BENEFIT TRUST LONG TERM
18 DISABILITY PLAN,

19 Defendant.
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Case No.: 1: 10-CV-00603 AWI JLT

AMENDED SCHEDULING ORDER (Fed.
R. Civ. P. 16)

Discovery Deadlines:
None

Non-Dispositive Motion Deadlines:
None

Dispositive Cross Motion Deadlines:
Opening Briefs: March 7, 2011
Opposing Briefs: March 21, 2011

PreTrial Conference:
None

Trial/Hearing on Dispositive Motions:
April 4, 2011, at 1:30 p.m.
Courtroom 2, 4 hour estimate

23 **I. Date of Scheduling Conference**

July 28, 2010.

24 **II. Appearances of Counsel**

25 Lissa Martinez appeared on behalf of Plaintiff.

26 Robert Pohls appeared on behalf of Defendant.
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1 B. Counsels' Estimate of Trial Time: not more than 4 hours.

2 C. Counsels' attention is directed to Local Rules of Practice for the Eastern
3 District of California, Rule 285.

4 **VII. Pre-Trial Conference**

5 Due to the nature of the hearing/trial as described above, no pre-trial conference
6 will be scheduled.

7 **VIII. Settlement Conference**

8 The parties have agreed to attempt informal settlement and failing this, to attend
9 formal mediation of this dispute to be completed no later than November 30, 2010.

10 Should the parties desire a settlement conference, they will jointly request one of
11 the Court, and one will be arranged. In making such request, the parties are directed to notify the
12 Court whether or they desire the undersigned to conduct the settlement conference or to arrange
13 one before another judicial officer.

14 **IX. Request for Bifurcation, Appointment of Special Master, or other**
15 **Techniques to Shorten Trial**

16 Not applicable at this time.

17 **X. Related Matters Pending**

18 There are no pending related matters.

19 **XI. Compliance with Federal Procedure**

20 All counsel are expected to familiarize themselves with the Federal Rules of Civil
21 Procedure and the Local Rules of Practice of the Eastern District of California and to keep
22 abreast of any amendments thereto. The Court must insist upon compliance with these Rules if it
23 is to efficiently handle its increasing case load and sanctions will be imposed for failure to follow
24 the Rules as provided in both the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Local Rules of
25 Practice for the Eastern District of California.

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