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13 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

14 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, FRESNO DIVISION**

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16 VALLEY VIEW HEALTH CARE INC. DBA  
RIVERBANK NURSING CENTER, et al.,

17 Plaintiffs,

18 vs.

19 RONALD CHAPMAN, M.D., DIRECTOR  
20 OF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC HEALTH, and THE CALIFORNIA  
21 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH,

22 Defendant.

CASE NO. 1:13-cv-0036-LJO-BAM

**JOINT STIPULATION AND ORDER TO  
EXTEND TIME FOR INITIAL  
DISCLOSURES**

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24 Valley View Health Care Inc. dba Riverbank Nursing Center (“Riverbank”); The  
25 Stonebrook Convalescent Center, Inc. dba Stonebrook Healthcare Center (“Stonebrook”);  
26 Lifehouse Parkview Operations, LLC dba Parkview Healthcare Center (“Parkview”); Beverly  
27 Healthcare - California, Inc. dba Golden Living Center-Fresno (“Golden Living”); CF Modesto,  
28 LLC dba Country Villa Modesto Nursing & Rehabilitation Center (“Country Villa”); Avalon Care

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1 Center – Merced Franciscan, L.L.C. dba Franciscan Convalescent Hospital (“Franciscan”); and the  
2 California Association of Health Facilities (“CAHF”), and Defendants Ronald Chapman, M.D.,  
3 the Director of the California Department of Public Health, and the California Department of  
4 Public Health, by their attorneys, hereby stipulate and agree:

5 1. Whereas, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(a)(1), the parties were to  
6 make their initial disclosures on or before April 10, 2013.

7 2. Whereas, on April 3, 2013, the Court continued the telephonic scheduling  
8 conference from April 17, 2013, to May 21, 2013;

9 3. Whereas, the parties have agreed to extend the deadline for initial disclosures until  
10 May 14, 2013.

11 4. Whereas, the stipulation to May 14, 2013, as the date for the parties to make their  
12 Rule 26(a)(1) initial disclosures is not made for the purpose of delay.

13 WHEREFORE, the parties request an order from the Court making their initial disclosures  
14 pursuant to FRCP 26(a)(1) due on or before May 14, 2013.

15 DATED: April 10, 2013 HOOPER, LUNDY & BOOKMAN, P.C.

17 By: /s/ Katherine R. Miller  
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19 DATED: April \_\_\_\_, 2013 OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF  
20 CALIFORNIA

22 By: \_\_\_\_\_  
23 PAULINE GEE  
Attorneys for Defendants California Department of  
24 Public Health

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**ORDER**

The parties' stipulation to exchange initial disclosures pursuant to Rule 26(a) on or before May 14, 2013 is GRANTED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 12, 2013

/s/ Barbara A. McAuliffe  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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