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7 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE**
 8 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

9 FILBERTO CASTILLO SANCHEZ,)
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 10 Plaintiff,)
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 11 v.)
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 12 Janet Napolitano, et al.)
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 13 Defendants.)

No. 1:13 cv 314 LJO SKO

JOINT STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED]
 ORDER RE: REMAND PURSUANT TO
 8 U.S.C. § 1447(b)

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16 This is an immigration case in which plaintiff has filed to challenge U.S. Citizenship and
 17 Immigration Services' (CIS) failure to timely adjudicate his naturalization application and to seek
 18 de novo review of this application. As of the time of this filing, the agency is prepared to
 19 adjudicate the application. Because of the jurisdictional posture of the case, the agency cannot
 20 complete that process until the case is remanded with instructions to CIS. 8 U.S.C. § 1447(b).
 21 Accordingly, the parties jointly agree that the case should be remanded with instructions to
 22 complete adjudication of the case within 30 days from the date of the order of remand.

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23 Dated: April 1, 2013

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By: /s/ Peter Singh
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ORDER

Pursuant to this Joint Stipulation and for the reasons stated therein, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED the matter is remanded to United States Citizenship and Immigration Services with instructions to adjudicate the application within 30 days.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 2, 2013

/s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE