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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 JAGJEEVAN K. DHALIWAL, et al.,

12 Plaintiffs,

13 v.

14 NIRMAL SINGH, et al.,

15 Defendants.
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Case No. 1:13-cv-00484-LJO-SAB

ORDER NOTIFYING PARTIES OF
REQUIREMENTS FOR SETTLEMENT
CONFERENCE

17 A settlement conference is currently set for September 23, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. before the
18 undersigned. Unless otherwise permitted in advance by the Court, the attorneys who will try the
19 case shall appear at the Settlement Conference with the parties and the person or persons having
20 full authority to negotiate and settle the case on any terms¹ at the conference.

21 ***Confidential Settlement Conference Statement:*** The parties have previously submitted
22 Confidential Settlement Conference Statements in this instance. Therefore, the parties shall not
23 submit a new Confidential Settlement Statement, but may submit a supplement directly to Judge
24 Boone's chambers by e-mail to SABOrders@caed.uscourts.gov at least seven (7) days prior to
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26 ¹ Insurance carriers, business organizations, and governmental bodies or agencies whose settlement agreements are
27 subject to approval by legislative bodies, executive committees, boards of directors or the like shall be represented
28 by a person or persons who occupy high executive positions in the party organization and who will be directly
involved in the process of approval of any settlement offers or agreements. To the extent possible the representative
shall have the authority, if he or she deems it appropriate, to settle the action on terms consistent with the opposing
party's most recent demand.

1 the settlement conference if necessary. The supplemental statement **should not be filed** with the
2 Clerk of the Court **nor served on any other party**, although the parties may file a Notice of
3 Lodging of Settlement Conference Statement. Each supplemental statement shall be clearly
4 marked "confidential" with the date and time of the Settlement Conference indicated prominently
5 thereon.

6 The Court will vacate the settlement conference if the Court finds the settlement
7 conference will be neither productive nor meaningful to attempt to resolve all or part of this case.
8 As far in advance of the settlement conference as possible, a party shall inform the Court and
9 other parties that it believes the case is not in a settlement posture so the Court may vacate or
10 reset the settlement conference. Otherwise the parties shall proceed with the settlement
11 conference in good faith to attempt to resolve all or part of the case.

12 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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14 Dated: **September 4, 2014**


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE