2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 NATIONWIDE AGRIBUSINESS 11 Case No.: 1:14-cv-00138 - AWI- JLT INSURANCE COMPANY, 12 ORDER AMENDING CASE SCHEDULE Plaintiff, 13 v. 14 GERARDO ALANN FELIX GARAY, et al., 15 Defendants. 16 On February 23, 2015, the Court granted Counterclaimants' motion to file a second amended 17 18 counterclaim. (Doc. 48) The counterclaim named Peerless Insurance Company as an additional 19 crossdefendant and Peerless answered on April 6, 2015. (Doc. 53) In light of the appearance of this new party, the case schedule previously ordered would not allow sufficient opportunity for discovery 20 21 by Peerless. On April 27, 2015, the parties filed a joint status conference report setting forth proposed 22 dates for the amended schedule. (Doc. 55) After having considered the joint statement, the Court **ORDERS**: 23

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- 1. The case schedule¹ (Doc. 25) is amended as follows:
- a. Non-expert discovery **SHALL** be completed no later than **December 18, 2015** and expert discovery **SHALL** be completed no later than **February 5, 2016**;

¹ Except for changes in the deadlines, the case schedule, issued on May 19, 2014, remains in effect and the parties and counsel, including the newly added Defendant Peerless and its attorneys, are **ORDERED** to comply with the instructions and requirements set forth in that order. (Doc. 25)

1	b. Experts SHALL be disclosed no later than December 18, 2015 and any rebuttal
2	experts disclosed no later than January 18, 2016;
3	c. Non-dispositive motions SHALL be filed no later than February 12, 2016 ² and
4	heard no later than March 11, 2016;
5	d. Dispositive motions SHALL be filed no later than March 25, 2016 and heard
6	no later than May 23, 2016;
7	e. The pretrial conference is set on July 19, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2
8	before Judge Ishii;
9	f. The trial is set on September 13, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. in Courtroom 2 before the
0	Honorable Anthony W. Ishii, United States District Court Judge.
1	g. No other modifications to the case schedule (Doc. 25) are authorized and
12	the parties are reminded that they must comply with all requirements of the original case
13	schedule except as modified here.
4	2. The status conference, currently set on May 4, 2015 is VACATED .
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6	IT IS SO ORDERED.
17	Dated: April 28, 2015 /s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
8	UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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² The date proposed by the parties—January 12, 2016—would not allow for disputes related to experts to be heard. Thus, the Court selects a date after the close of expert discovery so that any issues related to experts may be resolved before the time for filing dispositive motions. Likewise, the dates suggested for dispositive motions, the pretrial conference and the trial do not allow sufficient time for the Court to decide motions, etc., and, therefore, could not be selected.