

1 3. **No later than March 8, 2017**, counsel for plaintiffs **SHALL** circulate to other counsel
2 the finalized stipulation along with the proposed first amended complaint. Counsel **SHALL** notify Ms.
3 Jones immediately of any changes needed to the amended complaint;

4 4. **No later than March 10, 2017**, counsel **SHALL** file the stipulation with the proposed
5 first amended complaint;

6 5. To allow time to draft the stipulation and the first amended complaint, the opposition to
7 the motion to stay (Doc. 20) is continued to **March 13, 2017** and the reply is due **March 17, 2017**. In
8 making this change, the Court recognizes the motion **WILL NOT** go forward¹ and, indeed, if there is
9 any insurmountable impediment encountered to filing the stipulation described above by March 10,
10 2017, counsel **SHALL** immediately seek a telephonic conference with Judge Thurston;

11 6. The stipulation (Doc. 22) to amend the case schedule (Doc. 11) is **GRANTED** and the
12 case schedule is amended as follows:

13 a. Experts **SHALL** be disclosed no later than **April 12, 2017** and any rebuttal
14 experts **SHALL** be disclosed no later than **May 5, 2017**;

15 b. All expert discovery **SHALL** be completed no later than **June 9, 2017**;

16 c. Non-dispositive motions **SHALL** be filed no later than **June 23, 2017** and heard
17 no later than **July 21, 2017**;

18 d. Dispositive motions **SHALL** be filed no later than **June 23, 2017**;

19 e. The pretrial conference is **CONTINUED** to **November 6², 2017** at 3:30 p.m.;

20 f. The trial is **CONTINUED** to **January 9, 2018** at 8:30 a.m.

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28 ¹ However, until the stipulation is filed, the motion will remain on calendar.

² This reflects a different date than the one discussed. When discussing this with counsel, the Court failed to note that Judge Drozd holds pretrial conferences only on Mondays.

1 No other amendments to the case schedule are authorized.³

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3 IT IS SO ORDERED.

4 Dated: March 1, 2017

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
5 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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³ This does not mean that counsel are not free to select a new settlement conference date if the case is not amenable to settlement at the time of the currently set conference. However, if they need a different date, they SHALL clear the new date with the Court before filing a stipulation in this regard.