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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

10 JOSE TRUJILLO, )

11 Plaintiff, )

12 vs. )

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14 SPEED ENGINEERING & PERFORMANCE )  
CORPORATION dba SPEED )  
15 ENGINEERING, et al., )

16 Defendants. )  
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No. 1:18-cv-00350-LJO-EPG

**STIPULATION GRANTING  
DEFENDANT LEAVE TO FILE FIRST  
AMENDED ANSWER; ORDER**

18 **IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED** by and between Plaintiff, Jose Acosta (“Plaintiff”),  
19 and Defendant, Jerry E. Cook, Trustee of the Jerry E. Cook and Suzanne M. Cook Family  
20 Trust as amended and restated in 2005 Bypass Trust (“Defendant,” and together with Plaintiff,  
21 the “Parties”), the parties who have appeared in this action<sup>1</sup>, through their respective attorneys  
22 of record, that Defendant may file a First Amended Answer to Complaint, a copy of which is  
23 attached hereto as Exhibit “A.” This amendment will not modify any date or deadline fixed by  
24 the Court, and is not prejudicial to Plaintiff, the product of undue delay, proposed in bad faith,  
25 or futile.  
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28 <sup>1</sup> A clerk’s default was entered against defendant Speed Engineering & Performance Corporation on May 15,  
2018 (Dkt. 9).

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**IT IS FURTHER STIPULATED** that Defendant will file his First Amended Answer to Complaint within five (5) calendar days of the Court’s Order permitting such filing.

**IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

Dated: May 16, 2018

MISSION LAW FIRM, A.P.C.

/s/ Zachary M. Best  
Zachary M. Best  
Attorney for Plaintiff,  
Jose Acosta

Dated: May 16, 2018

DOWLING AARON INCORPORATED

/s/ G. Andrew Slater  
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Attorneys for Defendant,  
Jerry E. Cook, Trustee of the Jerry E. Cook and  
Suzanne M. Cook Family Trust as amended and  
restated in 2005 Bypass Trust

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**ORDER**

The Parties having so stipulated and good cause appearing,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Defendant Jerry E. Cook, Trustee of the Jerry E. Cook and Suzanne M. Cook Family Trust as amended and restated in 2005 Bypass Trust, shall file his First Amended Answer to Complaint, a copy of which was filed with the Parties' stipulation, within five (5) calendar days of the date this Order is filed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 18, 2018

/s/ Eric P. Gray  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE