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9 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 10 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 11 SACRAMENTO DIVISION

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 13 **REX CHAPPELL,**
 14 Plaintiff,
 15 v.
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 17 **C. K. PLILER, et al.,**
 18 Defendants.
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Case No. 2:04-cv-1183 TLN DB P

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND TIME FOR
 DEFENDANTS TO FILE THEIR PRETRIAL
 STATEMENT AND OPPOSITION TO THE
 ATTENDANCE OF INCARCERATED
 WITNESSES FOR TRIAL; PROPOSED
 ORDER**

20 **STIPULATION**

21 The parties to this action stipulate, and seek court approval of their stipulation, to modify
 22 the scheduling order to allow Defendants to file a pretrial statement and opposition to the
 23 attendance of incarcerated witnesses for trial no later than November 10, 2017. The stipulation is
 24 necessary because counsel for Defendants is currently assigned full-time to the matter of
 25 *Coleman, et al., v. Brown, et al.*, Case No. 2:90-cv-00522-KJM-KJN.

26 *Coleman, et al., v. Brown, et al.*, is a long-running class action concerning mental-health
 27 care for California state prison inmates, in the remedial stage. A contempt hearing was set for
 28 November 3, 2017, for consideration of findings of contempt and consideration of sanctions for

1 non-compliance with court directives that may have accumulated between May 16, 2017, and the
2 November hearing. (ECF No. 5610 at 11.) Counsel for Defendants was assigned to assist the
3 team of attorneys assigned to Coleman to prepare for the November 3, 2017 hearing. On October
4 23, 2017, the Coleman court vacated the November 3, 2017 hearing date to be rescheduled at a
5 later date. (ECF No. 5720.) Although the November 3 hearing is off calendar for the time-being,
6 defendants anticipate that the matter will be re-set and the evidence will need to be presented. As
7 a result, a November 9, 2017 deadline has been set for completion of the work assigned including
8 finalizing record reviews and preserving witness testimony so that the *Coleman* defendants are
9 prepared to proceed when the court places the matter back on its calendar.

10 Accordingly, the parties, through their respective counsel of record, stipulate that the
11 deadline for Defendants Piler, Rosario, Stiles, Goughnour and Vance to file their pretrial
12 statement and an opposition to the attendance of incarcerated witnesses for trial shall be extended
13 to November 10, 2017.

14 **IT IS SO STIPULATED:**

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16 Dated: October 27, 2017

/s/ Matthew Strugar
Matthew Strugar
Attorney for Plaintiff Rex Chappell

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19 Dated: October 27, 2017

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23 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

24 DATED: October 30, 2017

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26 /s/ DEBORAH BARNES
27 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE