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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ROBERT WATTS, on behalf
of himself individually and
all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

NO. CIV. S-08-1877 LKK/GGH

v.

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ALLSTATE INDEMNITY CO.,
an Illinois corporation, et al.,

Defendants.

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Pursuant to the telephonic hearing conducted on September 14,
2009, the court VACATES the scheduling order issued on January 22,
2009 in the above-captioned case, Doc. No. 59. In so doing, the
court GRANTS plaintiff's motion to modify the scheduling order,
Doc. No. 90. The parties SHALL proceed with discovery related to
class certification, and SHALL re-notice the motions to compel that
have been filed with the magistrate and denied without prejudice
to refile pending this court's resolution of the motion to modify
the scheduling order, Doc. Nos. 83, 99, and 114. Each party SHALL

1 notify this court once those motions have been resolved. At that
2 time, the court will set a further scheduling conference. The
3 parties are advised to formulate, either separately or by joint
4 stipulation, specific proposals for a new scheduling order prior
5 to said conference.

6 IT IS SO ORDERED.

7 DATED: September 16, 2009.

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LAWRENCE K. KARLTON
SENIOR JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT