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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 BANK OF STOCKTON,
11 Plaintiff,
12 vs.
13 VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.,
14 Defendant.
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CASE NO. 2:08-CV-02257-MCE-GGH

**STIPULATION TO EXTEND DEADLINE
TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINT; ORDER
THEREON**

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1 WHEREAS Defendant Verizon Communications Inc.'s ("Verizon") response to the
2 Complaint was due by December 1, 2008;

3 WHEREAS the parties stipulated, and the Court granted, an extension to January 12, 2009
4 in light of the fact that the parties were engaged in settlement negotiations;

5 WHEREAS the parties' settlement discussions are still ongoing and the parties remain
6 hopeful that a settlement can be reached;

7 WHEREAS the parties need additional time to complete their settlement discussions in
8 light of, *inter alia*, the December and New Year's holidays;

9 WHEREAS the parties believe that an additional short extension of the deadline to
10 respond to the complaint is appropriate in light of their settlement discussions and their mutual
11 desire to conserve their resources and those of the Court;

12 NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED BY AND BETWEEN THE
13 PARTIES HERETO THAT Verizon's deadline to answer, move against, or otherwise respond to
14 the Complaint shall be extended by two additional weeks to January 26, 2009.

15 DATED: MUNGER, TOLLES & OLSON LLP

16 By: /s/

17 James C. Rutten

18 Attorneys for Defendant VERIZON
19 COMMUNICATIONS INC.


20 DATED: LAW OFFICES OF WILLIAM W. PALMER

21 By: /s/
22 William W. Palmer

23 Attorneys for Plaintiff BANK OF STOCKTON

24 IT IS SO ORDERED.

25 Dated: January 9, 2009

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27 MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR.
28 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE