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 19 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 20 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

21 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *ex rel.*
 FRANK SOLIS,

22 PLAINTIFF,

23 v.

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 25 MILLENNIUM PHARMACEUTICALS,
 INC., SCHERING-PLOUGH CORP., and
 26 MERCK & CO.,

27 DEFENDANTS.
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CASE NO. 2:09-cv-3010-MCE-JFM

**ORDER CONTINUING HEARING ON
 DEFENDANTS' MOTIONS TO DISMISS
 AND DEFENDANT MILLENNIUM
 PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.'S MOTION
 TO STRIKE**

1 Having considered the stipulation by Defendants Schering-Plough Corporation and Merck &
2 Co., Inc. ("Schering"), Defendant Millennium Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("Millennium"), and Relator
3 Frank Solis to continue the hearing on the Motion to Dismiss filed by Schering (ECF No. 113),
4 Motions to Dismiss filed by Millennium (ECF Nos. 114 and 116), and Motion to Strike filed by
5 Millennium (ECF No. 117) (collectively, the "Motions"), the Court hereby finds that the trial
6 schedule conflict for Schering's counsel presents good cause to continue the hearing on the Motions
7 until October 16, 2014. See ECF No. 140. The hearing on the Motions are CONTINUED from
8 September 18, 2014 to October 16, 2014. The amicus briefing schedule set forth in this Court's
9 August 15, 2014 Order (ECF No. 136) shall remain in effect.

10 IT IS SO ORDERED.

11 Dated: September 3, 2014

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14 MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR., CHIEF JUDGE
15 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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