

1 It is hereby ORDERED that:

2 1. Defendant's motion for summary judgment (Dkt. No. 22) currently scheduled
3 for hearing before U.S. Magistrate Judge Kendall J. Newman on September 15, 2011, shall be
4 continued to October 6, 2011, at 10:00 a.m., in Courtroom 25 of the Robert T. Matsui United States
5 Courthouse, 501 I Street, Sacramento, California.

6 2. Plaintiff shall file and serve her opposition or statement of non-opposition to
7 defendant's motion for summary judgment by no later than September 15, 2011.

8 3. Defendant shall file and serve its reply brief by no later than September 29,
9 2011, in accordance with Local Rule 230(d).

10 4. As this is the second extension the court has granted with respect to the
11 summary judgment briefing and trial dates in this action, the court is not inclined to grant further
12 extensions absent a significant showing of good cause. Further, the court notes that the requested
13 extension was filed on August 25, 2011, the very same day of plaintiff's deadline to file her
14 opposition to the pending summary judgment motion. (Dkt. No. 25.) Eastern District Local Rule
15 144(d) provides that "Counsel shall seek to obtain a necessary extension from the Court or from
16 other counsel or parties in an action as soon as the need for an extension becomes apparent.
17 Requests for Court-approved extensions brought on the required filing date for the pleading or other
18 document are looked upon with disfavor." Accordingly, future requests for extensions that are filed
19 on the day of the deadline at issue may be summarily denied.

20 IT IS SO ORDERED.

21 DATED: August 29, 2011

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24 KENDALL J. NEWMAN
25 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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