1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 EUGENE KORTE, CIV. S-12-541 LKK/EFB 12 Plaintiff, 13 v. ORDER 14 DOLLAR TREE STORES, INC., 15 Defendant. 16 17 Having reviewed the parties' submissions (ECF No. 59, 60), 18 the court is satisfied that it retains subject matter 19 jurisdiction over this matter, despite plaintiff's concession 20 that the damages at issue are now less than \$75,000.00. 21 Accordingly, the parties are DIRECTED to proceed as set forth in the Pretrial Order. (ECF No. 56.) 22 23 IT IS SO ORDERED. 24 DATED: September 24, 2013. 25 26 27 SENIOR JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 28 1