1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 HENRY A. JONES, No. 2:13-cv-0451 AC P 12 Plaintiff. 13 v. **ORDER** 14 P. KUPPINGER, et al., 15 Defendants. 16 17 On November 14, 2019, the undersigned granted the oral motion of plaintiff's appointed 18 counsel to withdraw, and vacated the trial date of November 18, 2019. ECF No. 197. The court 19 has made inquiries regarding the availability of substitute pro bono counsel, and counsel is not 20 available. The court finds that plaintiff's pro se filings, including those filed during the time that 21 he was represented by counsel, demonstrate his ability to articulate his positions and to represent 22 himself. Accordingly, new counsel will not be appointed and plaintiff again proceeds in pro se. 23 It is the intent of the undersigned to promptly reschedule the trial for the earliest feasible 24 dates. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff and defense counsel shall, on or 25 before November 29, 2019, file separate statements identifying any dates within the next six 26 months when they and/or their witnesses are unavailable to participate in a four day trial. In light 27 //// 28 //// 1

1	of the age and procedural history of this case, requests to re-open discovery or for additional pre-
2	trial proceedings (other than a pre-trial status conference) will not be entertained.
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5	ALLISON CLAIRE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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