


1 Defendant requests the December 23, 2020 order be modified so that informal
2 negotiations can be completed and so that parties can assess the usefulness of a settlement
3 conference. (ECF No. 66 at 1-2.)

4 Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 5 1. Defendant's motion to modify the December 23, 2020 order (ECF No. 66) is granted;
- 6 2. The parties shall have an additional fourteen days, until March 5, 2021, to continue
7 their meet and confer efforts and provide a joint statement, as described in the
8 November 30, 2020 order, to the court. All other aspects of the court's November 30,
9 2020 (ECF No. 62) and December 23, 2020 (ECF No. 65) orders shall remain in
10 effect; and
- 11 3. The court will set pretrial statement deadlines if the parties do not file a joint statement
12 requesting a settlement conference by the expiration of the fourteen-day extension
13 granted in this order.

14 Dated: February 22, 2021

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18 DEBORAH BARNES
19 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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