1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 BARBARA SHAWCROFT, No. 2:15-cv-00698 MCE KJN 12 Plaintiff. 13 v. **ORDER** 14 ROUNDPOINT MORTGAGE SERVICING CORPORATION, a Florida 15 Corporation; QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORPORATION, a California 16 Corporation; and Does 1 through 10, inclusive, 17 Defendants. 18 19 The parties met in settlement conference on August 5, 2016. At that conference the 20 parties desired to explore a phased settlement process, and agreed to certain actions to be taken 21 within the next four weeks. During this period and for a time afterwards, it is helpful if discovery 22 cutoff is modified. 23 Accordingly, no later than August 22, 2016, plaintiff shall produce all available evidence 24 concerning mortgage payments made by plaintiff to Roundpoint Mortgage for those payments 25 which are disputed by plaintiff, i.e., plaintiff asserts she may have made them, and Roundpoint 26 disagrees. No later than September 6, 2016, the parties shall submit a joint letter to the 27 undersigned (as part of a continuing settlement process) setting forth their agreement concerning 28 1

disputed payments, or what disputes remain with respect to payments made. The parties shall shortly thereafter contact the chambers of the undersigned for scheduling a conference call to flesh out what further conferences might be useful, or to attempt to settle matters telephonically. With authorization of the district judge, discovery cutoff in this action is continued to October 31, 2016 with the proviso that plaintiff shall not propound discovery during this period, and defendant shall not move to adjudicate possible discovery disputes up through and including September 6, 2016. Notwithstanding discovery cutoff of October 31, 2016, defendant may take plaintiff's deposition anytime up through December 31, 2016, i.e., this is the one and only exception to the October 31, 2016 cutoff. The meaning of discovery cutoff shall otherwise remain as defined by the district judge in this case. IT IS SO ORDERED. Dated: August 8, 2016 /s/ Gregory G. Hollows UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE Shaw0698.ggh