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 12 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 13 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – SACRAMENTO**

15 FADI G. HADDAD, M.D.,

16 Plaintiff,

17 v.

18 SMG LONG TERM DISABILITY
 PLAN, AND HARTFORD LIFE
 19 AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE
 COMPANY,

20 Defendants.
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Case No. 2:16-cv-01700-WHO

**STIPULATION TO CONTINUE
 TELEPHONIC CASE
 MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE;
 AND [~~PROPOSED~~] ORDER**

Date: December 17, 2019
time: 2:00 p.m.

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 23 The Parties, Plaintiff Fadi G. Haddad, M.D. (“Plaintiff” or “Dr. Haddad”),
 24 and Defendant Hartford Life and Accident Insurance Company (“Hartford”),
 25 through their respective counsel, hereby stipulate and agree based on the following:

26 WHEREAS, the parties stipulated and the Court agreed to continue the Case
 27 Management Conference from November 5, 2019 to December 17, 2019 due to a
 28 medical emergency suffered by Plaintiff’s counsel. [Dkt. Nos. 66, 67]

1 WHEREAS, since the continuance Plaintiff's counsel has been informed by
2 Hartford that the Long-Term Disability (LTD) claim submitted by Dr. Haddad has
3 been approved through March, 2018 and that further benefits beyond that date may
4 be approved upon receipt of additional information from his client.

5 WHEREAS, the parties still may have a dispute as to how the LTD benefits
6 paid to Dr. Haddad will be calculated under the terms of the Policy, but need more
7 time to clarify the issue.

8 NOW, therefore, the parties stipulate to continue the case management
9 conference for a further 30 days from December 17, 2019 to January 16, 2020 at
10 2:00 p.m.

11 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

12 Dated: December 13, 2019

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13 By: /s/ Laurence F. Padway

14 Laurence F. Padway
15 Attorneys for Plaintiff
16 Fadi G. Haddad, M.D.

17 Dated: December 13, 2019

Burke, Williams & Sorensen, LLP

18 By: /s/ Michael B. Bernacchi

19 Michael B. Bernacchi
20 Keiko J. Kojima
21 Attorneys for Defendant
Hartford Life and Accident Insurance
Company

22 **ATTESTATION PURSUANT TO GENERAL ORDER 45**

23 I, Michael B. Bernacchi, attest that concurrence in the filing of this document
24 has been obtained from the other Signatory.

25 Dated: December 13, 2019

26 By: /s/ Michael B. Bernacchi

27 Michael B. Bernacchi


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(PROPOSED) ORDER

Pursuant to stipulation, and good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the telephonic case management conference in the above matter be continued to January 16, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 13, 2019



Hon. William H. Orrick III
United States District Judge