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16 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
17 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

18 LEIGHANNA MEDLIN, SUMMER)
19 DAVIS, GERALDINE FERNANDEZ,)
20 SYDNEY WHITEHURST, ISIAAH)
21 JORDAN WALLACE and, LEEYONTRE)
BUMPUS, individually,)

22 Plaintiffs,)

23 v.)

24 CHIPOTLE MEXICAN GRILL, INC., and)
DOES 1-25, inclusive,)

25 Defendants.)

Case No.: 2:16-cv-03048-WBS-GGH

**REQUEST AND [PROPOSED] ORDER
FOR PLAINTIFF AND DEFENSE
COUNSEL TO APPEAR
TELEPHONICALLY AT CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**

Date: April 24, 2017

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Action Filed: November 18, 2016

Action Removed: December 29, 2016

Trial Date: Not Set

1 **TO THE COURT, ALL PARTIES AND THEIR COUNSEL OF RECORD:**

2 The initial pretrial conference required under Fed. R. Civ. P. 16 and LR 16.2 is scheduled
3 for April 24, 2017, at 1:30 p.m., before Hon. William B. Shubb, Court Room #5 of Robert T.
4 Matsui United States Courthouse - 501 I Street Sacramento, CA 95814.

5 Both Plaintiffs' counsel (Matthew S. Da Vega of DA VEGA FISHER MECHTENBERG
6 LLP) and Defendant's Counsel (Eric De Wames of MESSNER REEVES, LLP), are satisfied to
7 have the court issue a Status (Pretrial Scheduling) Order based on their Joint Status Report,
8 instead of appearing at the Case Management Conference.

9 However, if Plaintiffs' counsel and Defendant's Counsel must appear, they request that
10 they be allowed to appear at the Case Management Conference *by telephone*.

11 Plaintiff's counsel is located in Santa Barbara, CA and will be in a previously scheduled
12 mediation on April 24, 2017. Defendant's counsel are located in Los Angeles, CA and Denver,
13 Colorado. Appearance in person in Sacramento is unnecessarily costly and time consuming for
14 all parties.

15 WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs and Defendant respectfully request leave of this Court for the
16 parties to appear by telephone for the Case Management Conference, if one is held.

17 Dated: April 11, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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19 /s/ Matthew S. Da Vega

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22 Dated: April 11, 2017

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ORDER

Both Lead Plaintiff's counsel (Matthew S. Da Vega) and Defendant's counsel (Eric De Wames and Charles Cavanagh) request to appear by telephone for the Case Management Conference scheduled for April 24, 2017 at 1:30 p.m. is hereby GRANTED. The courtroom deputy shall email counsel with instructions on how to participate in the telephone conference call.

IT IS SO ORDERED:

Dated: April 17, 2017



WILLIAM B. SHUBB
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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I am employed in the City and County of Los Angeles, California. I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within entitled action; my business address is 11620 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA 90025.

On April 12, 2017, I caused to be served the foregoing documents described as:

REQUEST AND [PROPOSED] ORDER FOR PLAINTIFF AND DEFENSE COUNSEL TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY AT CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

On the interested parties as follows:

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[**XX**] [by ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION] I served the above listed document(s) described via the United States District Court's Electronic Filing Program on the designated recipients via electronic transmission through the CM/ECF system on the Court's website. The Court's CM/ECF system will generate a Notice of Electronic Filing (NEF) to the filing party, the assigned judge, and any registered users in the case. The NEF will constitute service of the document(s). Registration as a CM/ECF user constitutes consent to electronic service through the court's transmission facilities.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED: April 12, 2017

/s/ Kylee Ashmore
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