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| 9  | FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA   |                               |
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| 11 | DAVID ANTHONY AVILA,   | No. 2:18-cv-00163 JAM AC (PS) |
| 12 | Plaintiff,   |                               |
| 13 | V.   | <u>ORDER</u>                  |
| 14 | M.D. McMAHON, et al.,  |                               |
| 15 | Defendants.  |                               |
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| 17 | Plaintiff is proceeding in this action pro se. The action was accordingly referred to the          |                               |
| 18 | undersigned for pretrial matters by E.D. Cal. R. ("Local Rule") 302(c)(21). On November 26,        |                               |
| 19 | 2019, defendant filed a Request to Modify the Pretrial Scheduling Order, asking the Court to       |                               |
| 20 | extend the Rule 26 expert disclosure, rebuttal expert disclosure and discovery cut-off deadline to |                               |
| 21 | complete plaintiff's deposition prior to Rule 26 expert disclosure. ECF No. 66. Defendant cited    |                               |
| 22 | plaintiff's failure to respond to communications as both the reason the extension is necessary and |                               |
| 23 | the reason the parties did not present a stipulation. ECF No. 66-1 at $\P$ 4.                      |                               |
| 24 | GOOD CAUSE HAVING BEEN SHOWN, defendant's request is granted. The                                  |                               |
| 25 | Discovery and Scheduling Order is hereby amended as follows: Rule 26 expert disclosure date is     |                               |
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| 1  | January 10, 24 2020; rebuttal expert disclosure is January 24, 2020; expert discovery completion |  |
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| 2  | date is February 21, 2020. All other dates remain the same.                                      |  |
| 3  | IT IS SO ORDERED.  |  |
| 4  | DATED: December 2, 2019  |  |
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| 6  | ALLISON CLAIRE<br>UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE   |  |
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