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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

TERESA ALVARADO CURIEL,
Plaintiff,
v.
COSTCO WHOLESALE
CORPORATION, et al.,
Defendants.

No. 2:22-CV-2224-DAD-DMC

ORDER

AND RELATED CROSS-ACTIONS

Plaintiff, who is proceeding with retained counsel, brings this civil action. A settlement conference is scheduled for January 15, 2025, at 9:30 a.m., before the undersigned via Zoom. On or before January 8, 2025, the parties must execute and file the attached Waiver of Disqualification to allow the undersigned to conduct the settlement conference. If waivers are not filed by all parties participating in the settlement conference by this date, the hearing will be vacated and, on the parties' joint request, the matter will be referred to another Magistrate Judge for purposes of conducting a settlement conference.

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Should the parties waive disqualification, concurrent with their filed waivers, the parties are directed to each submit a confidential settlement conference statement directly to chambers by January 8, 2025. These statements shall not be filed. Unless otherwise notified by the undersigned, counsel shall be accompanied by a person able to dispose of the case or be fully authorized to settle the matter on any terms. See Local Rule 270(f)(1).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 21, 2024



DENNIS M. COTA
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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WAIVER OF DISQUALIFICATION

Pursuant to Eastern District of California Local Rule 270(b), the parties to the herein action affirmatively request that the assigned Magistrate Judge participate in the settlement conference and further, the parties waive any claim of disqualification to Judge Cota thereafter hearing and determining matters in this case in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Eastern District of California Local Rule 302.

DATED: _____

By: For Plaintiff(s)

DATED: _____

By: For defendant(s)