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13 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 14 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

15 DONNA M. AVILA, et al.,
 16 Plaintiffs,

17 v.

18 WILLITS ENVIRONMENTAL
 19 REMEDIATION TRUST, et al.,
 20 Defendants.

CASE NO. C-99-3941 SI

(Consolidated with Case No. C-01-0266 SI)

**STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER
 EXTENDING DISPOSITIVE MOTION
 HEARING DATE**

(Honorable Susan Illston)

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STIPULATION

WHEREAS, a scheduling conflict has arisen for defense counsel preventing them from being able to attend the final hearing on dispositive motions currently scheduled for Friday, April 24, 2009;


WHEREAS, defense counsel has requested that the final hearing on dispositive motions be rescheduled for Friday, May 1, 2009;

WHEREAS, plaintiffs' counsel do not object to this schedule change.

THEREFORE, subject to Court approval, the parties STIPULATE that the final hearing on dispositive motions currently scheduled for Friday, April 24, 2009 be rescheduled for Friday, May 1, 2009. The briefing schedule associated with this hearing, as well as all other dates currently scheduled in this action, shall remain the same.

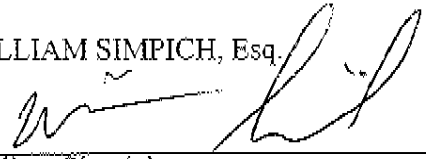
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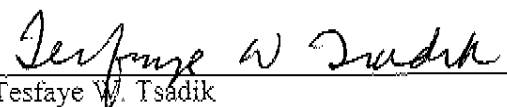
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____, 2009


HON. SUSAN ILLSTON
JUDGE, UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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