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 12 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 13 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

14	CALIFORNIA RESOURCES AGENCY, <i>et</i>)	Case Nos. 08-01185-MHP
15	<i>al.</i> ,)	and 08-03884-MHP
16)	
16	Plaintiffs,)	
17	v.)	
17)	SEVENTH STIPULATION TO
18	UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF)	STAY REMEDY BRIEFING
18	AGRICULTURE, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
19)	
20	Defendants.)	Judge Marilyn H. Patel
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21	CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL)	
21	DIVERSITY, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
22)	
22	Plaintiffs,)	
23)	
24	v.)	
24)	
25	UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF)	
25	AGRICULTURE, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
26)	
26	Defendants.)	
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1 Plaintiffs and Defendants in the above-captioned case, by and through their attorneys,
2 have conferred and hereby STIPULATE as follows:

3 On February 27, 2009, Plaintiffs filed motions for summary judgment in the above-
4 captioned matters. Dkt. Nos. 46 and 28. On April 16, 2009, Defendants filed cross-motions
5 for summary judgment. Dkt. Nos. 50 and 33. The Court held a hearing on the motions on
6 July 31, 2009.

7 On September 29, 2009, the Court entered judgment, granting in part and denying in part
8 the parties' motions for summary judgment. Dkt. No. 60. The Court ordered the parties to
9 submit, by November 3, 2009, simultaneous briefs proposing the appropriate forms of relief to
10 remedy the deficiencies found by the Court in the Southern California Forest Plans Final
11 Environmental Impact Statement.

12 The parties have entered settlement discussions in an attempt to develop the appropriate
13 forms of relief in this matter. To facilitate those discussions, the parties requested stays of
14 briefing, Dkt. Nos. 61 and 46, 63 and 50, 65 and 52, and 67 and 54, and 69 and 56, and the Court
15 has entered orders staying further briefing schedules. Dkt. Nos. 47, 51, 66, 70.

16 The parties met to discuss settlement on November 18, 2009, January 29, 2010 and June
17 25, 2010. The parties requested a sixth stay of briefing, Dkt. Nos. 71 and 58, on October 1,
18 2010.

19 The parties have reached a settlement agreement, in principle, subject to approval by the
20 appropriate government officials and Plaintiff organization representatives. The government
21 requires additional time in which to seek approval from the appropriate government officials.
22 The parties therefore request a seventh order staying all briefing on the issue of remedy until
23 December 7, 2010. On that date, the parties will advise the Court on the status of the settlement
24 approval process. The parties will promptly notify the Court if a settlement is approved.

1 **IT IS SO STIPULATED**

2 Dated: November 15, 2010

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IT IS SO ORDERED

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Hon. Marilyn H. Patel
United States District Judge

