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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
12 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

13 PATRICK WONG and CARLOS
14 SUAREZ, individually and on behalf of
15 class of similarly situated individuals,

16 Plaintiffs,

17 v.

18 GOLDEN STATE SUPPLY, INC. (a
19 California Corporation); GENERAL
20 PARTS, INC. (a North Carolina
21 Corporation); and DOES 1 through 20,
22 inclusive,

23 Defendants.

Case No. 3:08-CV-04569-JCS
[Hon. Joseph C. Spero]

**REQUEST OF DEFENDANTS
GENERAL PARTS, INC. AND
GOLDEN STATE SUPPLY, LLC
TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY AT
THE APRIL 24, 2009 CASE
MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**

DATE: April 24, 2009
TIME: 1:30 p.m.
CTRM.: A, 15th Floor
San Francisco

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1 TO THE CLERK OF THE COURT AND ALL PARTIES AND THEIR
2 ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

3 Should this Court not grant the parties' requested continuance of the Case
4 Management Conference currently set for hearing on April 24, 2009 at 1:30 p.m., in
5 Courtroom A ("CMC"), Defendants General Parts, Inc. and Golden State Supply,
6 LLC ("Defendants"), hereby respectfully request that the Court enter an Order
7 authorizing Defendants' counsel, Phillip J. Eskenazi, to appear telephonically at the
8 CMC, for the reasons stated below:

9 1. On April 13, 2009, this Court dismissed the class claims herein pursuant
10 to the parties' stipulation. The parties have since reached a settlement in principle with
11 respect to the remaining individual claims. Thus, this case is essentially resolved.

12 2. In the interest of justice and economy, Defendants hereby request that the
13 Court excuse their counsel's personal appearance at the CMC and that he be allowed to
14 appear telephonically from Los Angeles, California to eliminate any unnecessary
15 expense and undue hardship required by travel to San Francisco, California.

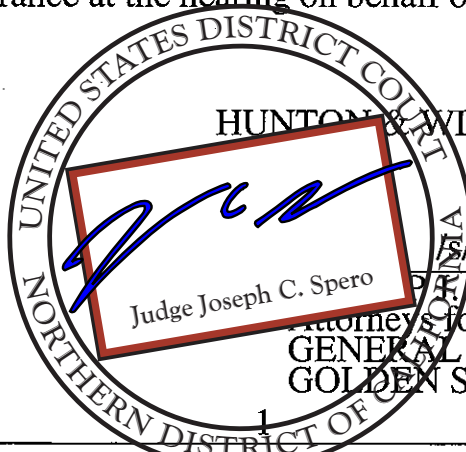
16 3. At the Court's convenience, Counsel for Defendants can call the Court,
17 or the Court may call Mr. Eskenazi at (213) 532-2149, on the day of the CMC.

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19 **WHEREFORE**, should the CMC not be continued as requested, Defendants
20 respectfully request that this Request for Telephonic Appearance be granted, that
21 Defendants' counsel's personal appearance at the CMC be excused, and that he be
22 allowed to enter an appearance at the hearing on behalf of Defendants by telephone.

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24 DATED: April 17, 2009

25 Dated: 4/20/09

26 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED
27 that the request is DENIED
28 as moot.



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