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Before the Court are the requests of defendants Surety
Bonding Company of America and CJ Investment Services to be
excused from personally attending the settlement conference.
Neither request is timely and, in the case of the Surety

Company, not particularly meritorious. However, no other party has objected to either request. IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that both requests are GRANTED. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a representative of Surety Bonding Company of America with full authority to settle this case as that term is defined in the Settlement Conference Order dated 1/29/2010, be available to participate by telephone commencing at 9:00 a.m. Pacific Standard Time.

Dated: March 2, 2010

Bernard Zimmerman United States Magistrate Judge

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