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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
For the Northern District of California

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Northern District of California
San Francisco Division

PRECILIA CANILAO,
Plaintiff,

No. C 09-5392 MEJ

v.

TARGET CORPORATION, et al.,
Defendants.

**ORDER DENYING REQUEST FOR
DEFENDANT TARGET
CORPORATION'S CLAIMS
REPRESENTATIVE TO ATTEND
THE MEDIATION
TELEPHONICALLY**

Date: to be determined
Mediator: Dean Alper

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the request for defendant Target Corporation's claims representative, John Damico, to be excused from personally attending the mediation session before Dean Alper is DENIED. The court finds that Mr. Damico has not demonstrated that his personal attendance at the mediation would "impose an extraordinary or otherwise unjustifiable hardship" in accordance with ADR L.R. 6-10(d). Accordingly, the court DENIES Mr. Damico's request to be relieved from compliance with the ADR Local Rules and ORDERS Mr. Damico to appear at the mediation in person.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

July 1, 2010

By:

Elizabeth D. Laporte

Dated

Elizabeth D. Laporte
United States Magistrate Judge