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6 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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8 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

9 RICHARD SKAFF,

10 Plaintiff,

No. C 09-05518 JSW

11 v.

12 REAL MEX RESTAURANTS, INC., et al.,

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

13 Defendants.
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15 On October 20, 2011, Defendant Real Mex Restaurants, Inc. ("Real Mex") filed a
16 Notice of Bankruptcy Filing and Automatic Stay. The Notice provides that on October 4, 2011,
17 Real Mex filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the
18 District of Delaware. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362(a), the filing of the petition operates as a stay
19 as to all actions against Real Mex.

20 By no later than November 4, 2011, the parties in the above captioned matter shall file
21 simultaneous briefs explaining what effect, if any, the stay as to Real Mex has on the case with
22 respect to the other parties. In particular, the parties should address whether the case may
23 proceed against General Growth Properties, Inc.

24 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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26 Dated: October 24, 2011

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28 JEFFREY S. WHITE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE