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early August. In the interim, the parties made positive progress on key issues in dispute and major milestones in the settlement have been reached. Now that Mr. Quinn has returned, discussions are on track, and the parties wish to continue working together toward a positive and mutually agreeable resolution. Thus, the parties propose postponing class certification briefing in order to continue refining and finalizing the terms of a potential settlement agreement. The agreed proposed briefing schedule set forth in this Stipulation will provide the parties sufficient time to continue mediation in good faith without the complication and imposition of immediate scheduling obligations in this action.

- 1. Class Certification. Plaintiffs' class certification motion pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23 shall be filed with an opening brief on or before October 16, 2012. Defendant's opposition brief shall be filed no later than 45 days after filing of the motion. Plaintiffs' reply brief shall be filed no later than 45 days after filing of the opposition brief. After the Court rules on class certification, the parties will submit proposed dates for merits discovery, dispositive motions, and trial.
- **2. Hearing on Class Certification.** Hearing on the class certification motion will be set for February 14, 2013, at 1:30 p.m.
- **3. Experts and Discovery.** As required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2), reports from experts retained relating to class certification are due from the plaintiffs by October 16, 2012, and from defendant by November 30, 2012. Reports from rebuttal experts retained relating to class certification are due by January 14, 2013. The parties will serve all discovery requests relating to class certification so as to be completed by January 14, 2013. However, for good cause shown, a party may conduct class discovery solely relating to rebuttal expert reports after January 14, 2013.

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