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

RHONDA WHITTENBURG ET AL.,

No. C 11-2320 CRB

Plaintiffs,

ORDER

13 v.

KOHL'S CORPORATION ET AL.,

Defendants.

Three class-action lawsuits against Kohl's regarding its alleged practice of recording zip codes during credit card transactions have been consolidated before this Court. <u>See</u> Case Nos. 11-4427; 12-0119; 11-2320. Counsel for Plaintiffs and Defendants in <u>Burdewick v. Kohl's Dep't Stores, Inc.</u>, No. 11-2320, notified the Court that a settlement had been reached, <u>see</u> dkt. 32, and Plaintiffs in that case filed a motion for preliminary approval of a class-action settlement shortly thereafter. <u>See</u> dkt. 33.

Plaintiffs in the other two cases (Nos. 11-4427 and 12-0119) filed a Motion for Class Certification the same day that Plaintiffs in <u>Burdewick</u> notified the court of the settlement. <u>See</u> dkt. 30. As the proposed settlement in <u>Burdewick</u> may resolve some or all of the claims in the other cases, the Court hereby STAYS all proceedings in connection with the Motion for Class Certification (dkts. 30-31) until the hearing on the motion for preliminary approval of the class settlement on October 5, 2012, at 10 a.m., at which all parties in these three cases

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should appear. The hearing on the Motion for Class Certification on September 28, 2012, is VACATED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 28, 2012

CHARLES R. BREYER UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE