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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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11	BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTHERN)	NO. C 11 4484 JCS
	CALIFORNIA SHEET METAL, et al.,)	
12)	STIPULATION TO CONTINUE
	Plaintiffs,)	MEDIATION DEADLINE AND
13)	CASE MANAGEMENT
	vs.)	<u>CONFERENCE; ORDER</u>
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	STANTON MECHANICAL, etc.,)	
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	Defendant.)	
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The parties report the status of this case as follows:

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The primary issue in the case is plaintiffs' alleged right to collect fringe benefits under ERISA. Defendant contends that it has terminated its contract with the union. The union filed an unfair labor charge against defendant.

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On April 24, 2012 an Administrative Law Judge held a hearing on the charge. Final briefs are due May 22, 2012 and a decision is expected shortly thereafter.

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The parties have met and conferred with the mediator chosen as part of the ADR procedure. All of us agree that mediation cannot be comprehensive and helpful until we know the NLRB decision, therefore

STIPULATION TO CONTINUE MEDIATION DEADLINE AND CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE;
ORDER

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IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED that a new mediation date in this case is set for June 21, 2012. The mediation deadline is extended to July 1, 2012 and the case management conference is continued from May 25, 2012 to July 13, 2012.

DATED: May 1, 2012

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By: /s/ Michael J. Carroll
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DATED: May 1, 2012

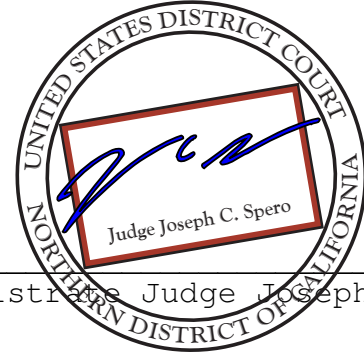
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: 5/2/12



Magistrate Judge Joseph C. Spero