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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

ST. PAUL FIRE AND MARINE  
INSURANCE COMPANY,

No. C 12-04266 RS

Plaintiff,

**CASE MANAGEMENT  
SCHEDULING ORDER**

v.

CHARTIS SPECIALTY INSURANCE  
COMPANY et al.,

Defendants.

Pursuant to Rule 16(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the parties attended a Case Management Conference on December 13, 2012. After considering the Joint Case Management Statement submitted by the parties and consulting with the attorneys of record for the parties and good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION. Parties shall engage in Private Mediation in the first quarter of 2013.

2. INITIAL DISCLOSURES. Initial disclosures shall be exchanged on or before January 10, 2013.

3. DISCOVERY. On or before July 19, 2013 all non-expert discovery shall be completed by the parties. Discovery shall be limited as follows: (a) ten (10) non-expert depositions per party; (b) twenty-five (25) interrogatories per party, including all discrete subparts; (c) a reasonable number of requests for production of documents or for inspection per party; and (d) a reasonable number of requests for admission per party.

1           4.       DISCOVERY DISPUTES. Discovery disputes will be referred to a Magistrate  
2 Judge. After the parties have met and conferred, the parties shall prepare a joint letter of not  
3 more than 8 pages explaining the dispute. Up to 12 pages of attachments may be added. The  
4 joint letter must be electronically filed under the Civil Events category of "Motions and Related  
5 Filings >Motions--General > Discovery Letter Brief." The Magistrate Judge to whom the matter  
6 is assigned will advise the parties of how that Judge intends to proceed. The Magistrate Judge  
7 may issue a ruling, order more formal briefing, or set a telephone conference or a hearing. After  
8 a Magistrate Judge has been assigned, all further discovery matters shall be filed pursuant to that  
9 Judge's procedures.

10           5.       EXPERT WITNESSES. The disclosure and discovery of expert witnesses and  
11 opinions shall proceed as follows:

12           A.       On or before July 26, 2013, parties will make initial expert disclosures in  
13 accordance with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(a)(2).

14           B.       On or before August 30, 2013, parties will designate their supplemental and  
15 rebuttal experts in accordance with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(a)(2).

16           C.       On or before November 15, 2013, all discovery of expert witnesses pursuant to  
17 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(b)(4) shall be completed.

18           6.       FURTHER CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE. A Further Case  
19 Management Conference shall be held on **September 19, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.** in Courtroom 3,  
20 17th Floor, United States Courthouse, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, California. The  
21 parties shall file a Joint Case Management Statement at least one week prior to the Conference.

22           7.       PRETRIAL MOTIONS. All pretrial motions must be filed and served pursuant to  
23 Civil Local Rule 7. All pretrial motions shall be heard no later than **January 2, 2014 at 1:30**  
24 **p.m.**, in Courtroom 3, 17th Floor, United States Courthouse, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San  
25 Francisco, California.

1           8.       PRETRIAL CONFERENCE. The final pretrial conference will be held on  
2 **February 27, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.**, in Courtroom 3, 17th Floor, United States Courthouse, 450  
3 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, California. Each party or lead counsel who will try the  
4 case shall attend personally.

5           9.       TRIAL DATE. Trial shall commence on **March 10, 2014 at 9:00 a.m.**, in  
6 Courtroom 3, 17th Floor, United States Courthouse, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco,  
7 California.

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10 DATED: 12/13/12

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13 RICHARD SEEBORG  
14 United States District Judge  
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