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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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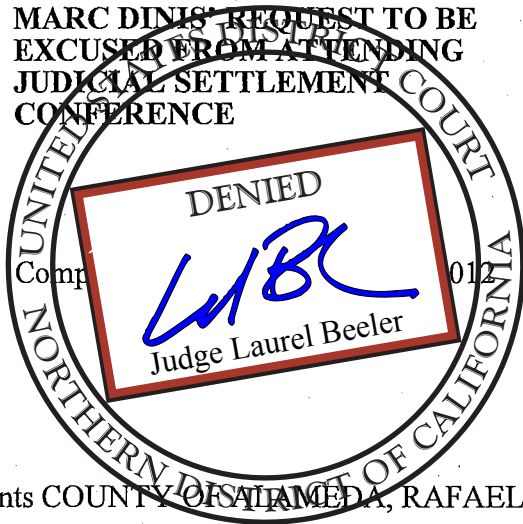
12 DOREEN MACLELLAN,
 13 Plaintiff,

Case No.: CV 12-05795 MMC

14 vs.

[PROPOSED]
ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT
MARC DINIS' REQUEST TO BE
EXCUSED FROM ATTENDING
JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT COURT
CONFERENCE

15 COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, DEPUTY DINIS,
 in his individual and official capacity, DEPUTY
 16 ALVAREZ, in his individual and official
 capacity, DEPUTY DOE 1, in her individual
 17 and official capacity, VALLEY CARE
 MEDICAL CENTER, ALAMEDA COUNTY
 18 MEDICAL CENTER AND DOE
 DEFENDANTS 2 THROUGH 10,
 19 INCLUSIVE,



20 Defendants.

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 22 By letter dated February 18, 2014, defendants COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, RAFAEL
 23 ALVAREZ (sued herein as "DEPUTY ALVAREZ") and MARC DINIS (sued herein as
 24 "DEPUTY DINIS") have requested, pursuant to ADR Local Rule 6-10(d), that defendant MARC
 25 DINIS be excused from personally attending a mediation scheduled by the parties to occur on
 26 March 5, 2014. This letter shows that the attendance of DINIS would present an unjustifiable
 27 hardship to him, and that the value of the case, while uncertain, does not necessitate the personal
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1 attendance of DINIS. This letter also indicates that the settlement conference was only recently
2 moved to March 5, 2014 on the court's own motion, without consultation with the parties, and that
3 Deputy Dinis had been able to attend the prior settlement conference date of February 13, 2014,
4 but cannot attend the new date due to his having mandatory employment-related training from
5 February 24 to March 7, which had been scheduled months in advance. This letter further shows
6 that the defendants did not object to DINIS being excused from attending this mediation. For
7 these reasons, and good cause otherwise appearing therefor, the Court hereby ORDERS as
8 follows:

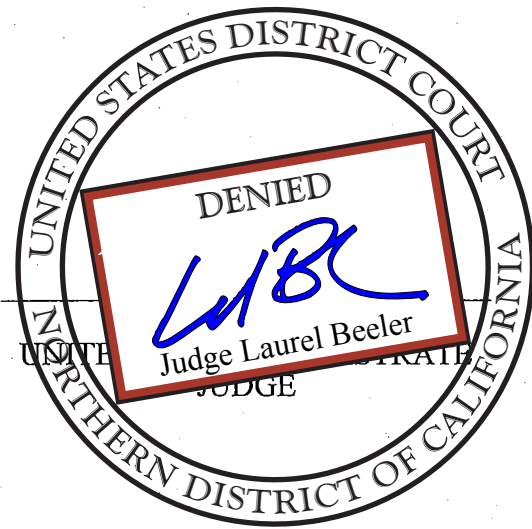
9 Defendant **MARC DINIS** is hereby **EXCUSED** from attending the settlement conference
10 in this case on March 5, 2014.

11 **SO ORDERED.**

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13 DATED: March 3, 2014

14 DENIED AS MOOT.

15 By: _____



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20 DATED: _____

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23 By: _____

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