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11 *Attorneys for Proposed Defendant-Intervenors Bayer CropScience \* Pro Hac Vice pending*  
 12 *LP, Syngenta Crop Protection, LLC, and Valent U.S.A. Corporation*

13 **THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
 14 **SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

15 STEVE ELLIS, et al.,

16 Plaintiffs,

v.

17 STEVEN P. BRADBURY, et al.,

18 Defendants,

19 and

20 BAYER CROPSCIENCE LP, SYNGENTA  
 CROP PROTECTION, LLC, AND VALENT  
 21 U.S.A. CORPORATION,

22 Proposed Defendant-Intervenors.

Case No. 3:13-cv-01266-MMC

**PROPOSED ORDER GRANTING  
 MOTION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE  
 OF BAYER CROPSCIENCE LP,  
 SYNGENTA CROP PROTECTION, LLC,  
 AND VALENT U.S.A. CORPORATION**

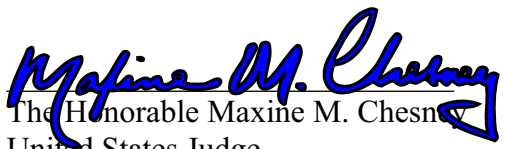
23 The Court has reviewed the Defendant-Intervenors Bayer CropScience LP, Syngenta Crop  
 24 Protection, LLC, and Valent U.S.A. Corporation’s Motion for Leave to Intervene. Upon due  
 25 consideration of this Motion, supporting arguments, and ~~opposition thereto~~, the Court finds that all  
 26 factors for intervention as of right under Rule 24(a)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure are  
 27 satisfied. The motion is timely, the Defendant-Intervenors have a significantly protectable interest  
 28 that will be impaired by any adverse disposition, and the current parties may not adequately

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represent the Defendant-Intervenors' interests. The Motion for Leave to Intervene as of right is GRANTED as to all claims and all stages in the above-captioned matter.<sup>1</sup>

IT IS SO ORDERED

Dated: August 6, 2013

  
The Honorable Maxine M. Chesney  
United States Judge

<sup>1</sup> The hearing scheduled for August 30, 2013 is VACATED.