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 14 GROUP BENEFITS PLAN OF VARIAN MEDICAL
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15
 16 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 17 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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 19 DAN KROMAT,

20 Plaintiff,

21 v.

22 METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE
 23 COMPANY, as Administrator and Fiduciary
 of the Group Benefits Plan of Varian Medical
 24 Systems, Inc., and THE GROUP BENEFITS
 PLAN OF VARIAN MEDICAL SYSTEMS,
 25 INC.,

26 Defendants.

Case No. 3:13-cv-04678 TEH

**STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~
 ORDER TO CONTINUE FURTHER
 CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**

IT IS SO ORDERED AS MODIFIED

1 Plaintiff Dan Kromat and defendants Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and The
2 Group Benefits Plan of Varian Medical Systems, Inc., through their respective attorneys of
3 record, hereby agree and stipulate as follows:

4 1. On June 30, 2014, following the initial Case Management Conference, the Court
5 set a further Case Management Conference on August 25, 2014, with a Case Management
6 Statement due August 18, 2014. (ECF No. 27.)

7 2. The parties agreed to participate in mediation through the Court's ADR program.
8 A mediation is currently scheduled with Katherine Ritchey on August 20, 2014.

9 3. Because the matter may settle on August 20, 2014, the further Case Management
10 Conference on August 25, 2014 may not be necessary.

11 4. Plaintiff's counsel is out of the country and unavailable from September 9, 2014
12 through September 27, 2014.

13 THEREFORE, the parties respectfully request that the Court continue the further Case
14 Management Conference to October 13, 2014 at 1:30 p.m. A Case Management Statement will
15 be due October 6, 2014.

16 IT IS SO STIPULATED, AGREED, AND RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED.

17 DATED: August 11, 2014 ROBOOSTOFF & KALKIN

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19 By: /s/ Scott Kalkin (as authorized on 8/11/2014)

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21 Attorneys for Plaintiff
22 DAN KROMAT

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24 DATED: August 11, 2013 SEDGWICK LLP

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ORDER

Pursuant to the stipulation of the parties and good cause found herein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the further Case Management Conference currently set for August 25, 2014 is continued to October 20, 2014 at 1:30 p.m. A Case Management Statement is due October 10, 2014.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: 08/11/2014

