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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
5 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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7 DIANE ANANIAN, et al.,
8 Plaintiffs,
9 v.
10 SABADELL UNITED BANK, N.A.,
11 Defendant.

Case No. [16-cv-01535-MEJ](#)

**ORDER REQUIRING DEFENDANT'S
COUNSEL TO APPEAR IN PERSON AT
JULY 14, 2016 CASE MANAGEMENT
CONFERENCE**

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13 On June 24, 2016, the Court entered an order summarizing the lack of participation in this
14 action by defense counsel. *See* Dkt. No. 17. The order also summarized the failure by defense
15 counsel to comply with prior orders of the Court. *See id.* The Court continued the Case
16 Management Conference until July 14, 2016 and ordered the parties to file a Joint Case
17 Management Statement no later than July 7, 2016. *Id.* The order stated as follows: "Defendant
18 and its counsel are further **ADMONISHED** that a failure to file a Joint Case Management
19 Statement may result in sanctions or other penalties." *Id.* at 2 (emphasis in original).

20 As of the date of this order, Defendant has not participated in the filing of a Joint Case
21 Management Statement. Instead, Plaintiff once again filed a Separate Statement. Dkt. No. 20.
22 Plaintiff's counsel details her efforts to engage Defendant's counsel in drafting a Joint Statement,
23 and Defendant's counsel's failure to abide by his commitments to do so. *Id.* at 11.

24 Accordingly, **KEENAN EDWARD MCCLENAHAN** and **KEEFE E. ROBERTS** are
25 **ORDERED TO APPEAR IN PERSON** at the July 14, 2016 Case Management Conference. No
26 later than July 13, 2016, McClenahan and Roberts each shall file a declaration explaining the
27 reasons for their non-compliance with each of the Court's prior orders, and their response to the
28 contents of the Separate Statement filed by Plaintiff's counsel on July 7, 2014. In addition, prior

1 to the July 14, 2016 Case Management Conference, McClenahan shall register as an ECF user in
2 compliance with Local Rule 5-1(c)(1).

3 **ANY FURTHER NON-COMPLIANCE WILL LEAD TO THE ISSUANCE OF AN**
4 **ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY SANCTIONS SHOULD NOT BE IMPOSED ON**
5 **DEFENDANT AND/OR ITS COUNSEL PURSUANT TO FED. R. CIV. P. 16(f)(1).**

6 Counsel for Defendant shall serve this order upon their client in advance of the July 14,
7 2016 Case Management Conference.

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9 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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11 Dated: July 8, 2016

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MARIA-ELENA JAMES
United States Magistrate Judge

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