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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

13 RALPH D. WILDER, et al., Derivatively on	)	No. C-07-1500-CW
14 Behalf of SONIC SOLUTIONS,	)	
	)	STIPULATION AND ORDER SETTING
15 Plaintiffs,	)	SCHEDULE
	)	
16 vs.	)	
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17 ROBERT J. DORIS, et al.,	)	
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18 Defendants,	)	
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19 – and –	)	
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20 SONIC SOLUTIONS, a California	)	
corporation,	)	
	)	
21 Nominal Defendant.	)	
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1           WHEREAS, the above-captioned action is a shareholder derivative action brought by  
2 plaintiffs on behalf of nominal defendant Sonic Solutions (“Sonic”) against its Board of  
3 Directors and certain officers relating to Sonic’s historical stock option grant practices;

4           WHEREAS, on August 2, 2007, this Court consolidated the following related shareholder  
5 derivative actions *Wilder v. Doris*, Case No. 07-1500-CW; *Walter v. Doris*, Case No. 07-2344-  
6 CW; *Forseth v. Doris*, Case No. 07-3178-CW; and *Doolittle v. Doris*, Case No. 07-3361-CW,  
7 appointed plaintiffs Andrew Walter and James Forseth as Lead Plaintiffs (“Lead Plaintiffs”) and  
8 appointed the law firm of Schiffrin Barroway Topaz & Kessler, LLP as Lead Counsel;

9           WHEREAS, Lead Plaintiffs and plaintiff James Pinno filed a Consolidated Complaint on  
10 April 30, 2008 for which Defendants’ response is currently due on November 25, 2008 pursuant  
11 to a prior stipulation;

12           WHEREAS, on July 24, 2008 and on November 3, 2008, counsel for Defendants and  
13 Lead Plaintiffs participated in two separate mediation sessions before the Honorable Howard B.  
14 Weiner (Ret.) at JAMS; and

15           WHEREAS, counsel for Lead Plaintiffs and Defendants have met and conferred and  
16 have agreed to extend the time for Defendants to respond to the Consolidated Complaint so that  
17 the parties may continue their settlement discussions.

18           THEREFORE, IT IS STIPULATED AND AGREED by Lead Plaintiffs and Defendants,  
19 through their respective counsel of record, as follows:

20           1.       Plaintiffs and Defendants agree to extend the deadlines for Defendants to file a  
21 response to the Complaint, including any motion to dismiss, until January 15, 2009 to permit the  
22 parties time to conduct further settlement negotiations. In the event these further negotiations are  
23 unsuccessful and Defendants file a motion to dismiss, Plaintiffs agree to file any opposition to  
24 Defendants’ motion to dismiss no later than February 26, 2009 and Defendants’ agree to file a  
25 reply brief no later than March 26, 2009. The parties further agree that the hearing for the  
26 motion to dismiss shall, the Court’s schedule permitting, be set for April 16, 2009 at 2 p.m.

27           2.       By executing this Stipulation, the parties have not waived and expressly retain all  
28 claims, defenses and arguments whether procedural, substantive or otherwise, and are without

1 prejudice to any subsequent motion to stay this action, and this Order is entered without  
2 prejudice to the rights of any party to apply for a modification of this Order for good cause.

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4 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

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6 DATED: November 13, 2008

SIDLEY AUSTIN LLP

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8 /s/ Sara B. Brody

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13 *I, Sara B. Brody, am the ECF user whose ID and password are being used to file this*  
14 *Stipulation and [Proposed] Order Setting Schedule. In compliance with General Order 45, X.B.,*  
15 *I hereby attest that Nichole Browning of Schiffrin Barroway Topaz & Kessler, LLP has*  
*concurred in this filing.*

16 DATED: November 13, 2008

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18 /s/ Nichole Browning

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**ORDER**

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION SETTING SCHEDULE, IT IS SO ORDERED.

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DATED: \_\_\_\_\_



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The Honorable Claudia Wilken  
United States District Judge

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