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1 2 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 3 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 4 5 REYNOLDS, et al., 6 Plaintiffs, No. C 11-0462 PJH 7 ORDER RE PLAINTIFF'S ٧. OBJECTIONS TO PROPOSED 8 HOLOGIC, INC., et al., 9 Defendants. 10 11 The court is in possession of a number of emails, sent from plaintiff Shella Leahy 12 ("Leahy") to this court's ADR office, which contain objections to the proposed FLSA 13 settlement in the above-captioned case. The court notes that Leahy's emails attach 14 attorney-client privileged communications between Leahy and plaintiffs' counsel. The court 15 further notes that, as a represented party, Leahy should not engage in ex parte 16 communications directly with the court. As such, the court cannot properly consider 17 Leahy's objections in their current form. 18 However, the court finds that Leahy has raised a number of significant issues

However, the court finds that Leahy has raised a number of significant issues regarding the proposed settlement, most notably a potential misrepresentation regarding Leahy's salary, which adversely affects her recovery under the terms of the proposed settlement. The court will take Leahy's objections under consideration if they are properly filed, in letter form, without inclusion of any attorney-client privileged communications. The court will consider any objections filed on or before **September 7, 2012**. Plaintiffs' counsel is ordered to serve a copy of this order on Ms. Leahy personally.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 28, 2012

PHYLLIS J. HAMILTON United States District Judge