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Pursuant to the Court's Pretrial Instructions in Civil Cases at Section 2, trial counsel shall meet
and confer at least twenty-one (21) days in advance of the Pretrial Conference. The compliance
hearing on Friday, October 30, 2015 at 9:01 a.m. is intended to confirm that counsel have timely
met and conferred as required by the Pretrial Instructions. The compliance hearing shall be held in
the Federal Courthouse, 1301 Clay Street, Oakland, California, in Courtroom 1. Five (5) business
days prior to the date of the compliance hearing, the parties shall file a one-page JOINT
STATEMENT confirming they have complied with this requirement or explaining their failure to
comply. If compliance is complete, the parties need not appear and the compliance hearing will be
taken off calendar. Telephonic appearances will be allowed if the parties have submitted a joint
statement in a timely fashion. Failure to do so may result in sanctions.
As set forth above, the parties are REFERRED to private mediation. The parties shall provide the
Court with the name of an agreed-upon mediator by December 5, 2014 by filing a JOINT Notice.
A compliance hearing regarding shall be held on <u>Friday</u> , <u>December 12</u> , <u>2014</u> on the Court's
9:01a.m. calendar, in the Federal Courthouse, 1301 Clay Street, Oakland, California, in courtroom
1. By December 5, 2014, the parties shall file either the JOINT Notice or a one-page JOINT
STATEMENT setting forth an explanation for their failure to comply. If compliance is complete,
the parties need not appear and the compliance hearing will be taken off calendar. Telephonic
appearances will be allowed if the parties have submitted a joint statement in a timely fashion.

The parties must comply with both the Court's Standing Order in Civil Cases and Standing Order for Pretrial Instructions in Civil Cases for additional deadlines and procedures. All Standing Orders are available on the Court's website at http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/ygrorders.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 5, 2014

VONNE GONZALEZ ROGERS United States District Judge