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Magistrate Judge  
 Laurel Beeler  
 United States District Court  
 San Francisco Courthouse  
 Courtroom C - 15th Floor  
 450 Golden Gate Ave.  
 San Francisco, CA 94102

**Re: Michael Garedakis, et al., v. Brentwood Union School District, et al.,  
USDC 14-CV-04799-PJH**

**Request By Plaintiffs Michael Garedakis And Tamara Garedakis For  
 Approval to Appear At Settlement Conference Telephonically**

Your Honor,

In connection with the upcoming Settlement Conference in this matter which is set before you Tuesday, October 27, 2015 at 10:00 a.m., plaintiffs request permission that plaintiffs Michael and Tamara Garedakis who reside out of state in Gardnerville, Nevada be allowed to attend and participate in the settlement conference telephonically. In addition to the fact that the Garedakis family resides out of the state, they are also the sole caregivers for their three children aged 11, 10 and 2 years old, one of whom is special needs.

Plaintiffs Michael and Tamara Garedakis will be available for the duration of the conference. Thank you for considering this request.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Claudia Leed, Esq. Dated: October 21, 2015  
 Todd Boley, Esq. The court can not see how to  
 Mark Davis, Esq. conduct a settlement conference  
 without parties. Parties settle  
 cases, not lawyers.

