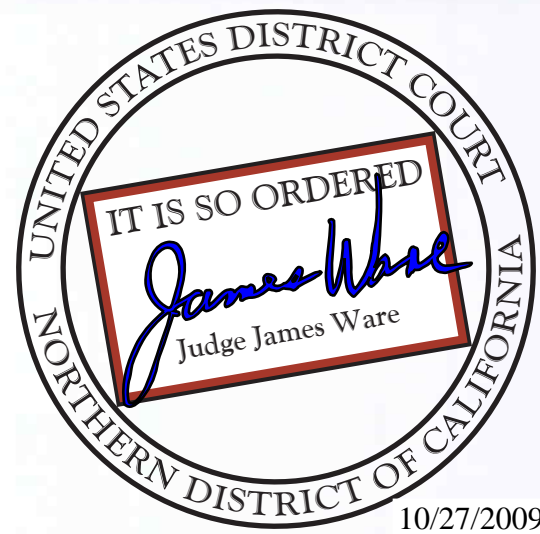


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 24 Defendants.

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12 Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 6-1(a), cross-claimants Samuel W. Henka, Michael and
13 Joyce Simmons, Christopher Walsh and Maria Del Carmen Alonso and cross-defendant
14 Continental Casualty Company ("Continental"), hereby stipulate that Continental Casualty
15 Company may have an extension of time up to and including November 13, 2009, within which
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17 13. No previous extensions have been granted. This extension will not alter the date of any event
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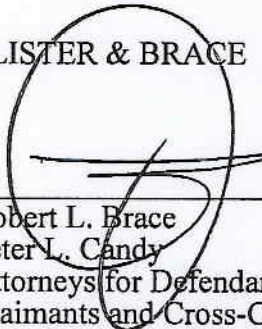
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