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9 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
 10 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
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12 CELIA STAUTY LUIS,  
 13 Plaintiff,  
 14 vs.  
 15 METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE  
 COMPANY dba METLIFE; and DOES 1  
 16 to 50, inclusive,  
 17 Defendants.

Case No. 5:14-cv-04436-EJD  
**STIPULATION OF THE PARTIES  
 TO CONTINUE THE JUNE 26,  
 2015 SETTLEMENT  
 CONFERENCE TO AUGUST 7,  
 2015**

Complaint Filed: August 22, 2014

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1 Plaintiff Celia Stauty Luis ("Plaintiff") and Defendant Metropolitan Life  
2 Insurance Company ("MetLife") hereby stipulate to continue the Settlement  
3 Conference presently set before the United States Magistrate Judge Nathan Cousins  
4 from June 26, 2015 to August 7, 2015.

5 Good cause exists for the continuance as MetLife's client representative, and  
6 person with the most knowledge of the facts and legal arguments, has a previously  
7 unknown conflict that will prevent him to travel from New York to the Settlement  
8 Conference on June 26, 2015. He will be available to participate in person on  
9 August 7, 2015.

10 The parties checked with Judge Cousin's clerk, Lili Harrell, who confirmed  
11 that August 7, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. was an available time for the rescheduled  
12 conference and the parties advised Ms. Harrell that August 7, 2015 was acceptable  
13 date. The only available date with Judge Cousin's calendar in July was July 21,  
14 2015, which presented a conflict with MetLife's counsel.

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16 DATED: June 17, 2015

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23 DATED: June 17, 2015

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~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER

Having reviewed the parties' stipulation and good cause appearing, the June 26, 2015 Settlement Conference is continued to August 7, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. Settlement conference statements are due no later than July 31, 2015.

Dated: June 17, 2015

The Honorable Nathanael M. Cousins  
United States District Court

