

1 an Order concluding that Matin Rajabov should be sanctioned for his failure to appear at
2 the court-ordered Settlement Disposition Conference and that the imposition of a \$250.00
3 monetary sanction is both reasonable and just. (Doc. No. 18.) Further, the June 19, 2018
4 Order also directed Matin Rajabov to file a declaration informing the Court why an
5 additional monetary sanction in the amount of \$500.00 should not be imposed for his
6 failure to comply with court orders. (Doc. No. 18.) A show cause hearing was again held
7 on July 12, 2018 before Magistrate Judge Burkhardt and Matin Rajabov failed to appear.
8 (Doc. No. 20.)

9 The R&R recommends that this case be dismissed for Plaintiffs' and Plaintiffs'
10 counsel's failure to comply with Court orders and meaningfully participate in this case
11 since the filing of the April 2018 Notice of Settlement. (Doc. No. 21 at 5.) The parties were
12 instructed to file written objections to the R&R by July 30, 2018, and a reply to the
13 objections no later than August 6, 2018. (*Id.*)

14 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 72(b) and 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) set forth a district
15 judge's duties in connection with a magistrate judge's R&R. The district judge must "make
16 a de novo determination of those portions of the report . . . to which objection is made[.]"
17 and "may accept, reject, or modify, in whole or in part, the findings or recommendations
18 made by the magistrate judge." 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); *United States v. Remsing*, 874 F.2d
19 614, 617 (9th Cir. 1989). However, in the absence of objection(s), the Court "need only
20 satisfy itself that there is no clear error on the face of the record in order to accept the
21 recommendation." Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) advisory committee note to the 1983 amendment;
22 *United States v. Reyna-Tapia*, 328 F.3d 1114, 1121 (9th Cir. 2003).

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1 Neither party has filed objections to Magistrate Judge Burkhardt’s R&R. Having
2 reviewed the R&R, the Court finds it thorough, well-reasoned, and contains no clear error.
3 Accordingly, the Court hereby: (1) **ADOPTS** Magistrate Judge Burkhardt’s R&R in its
4 entirety; and (2) **DISMISSES** the case **WITH PREJUDICE**. The Clerk of Court is
5 directed to **CLOSE** this case.

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7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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9 Dated: December 3, 2018

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11 Hon. Anthony J. Battaglia
12 United States District Judge
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