2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA** 7 CENTURY-NATIONAL INSURANCE 8 Case No. 2:18-cv-02090-APG-NJK COMPANY, et al., 9 Plaintiff(s), Order 10 v. [Docket No. 219] 11 DOUGLAS J. GARDNER, ESQ., et al., 12 Defendant(s). 13 Pending before the Court is a stipulation to vacate the deadline for filing the joint proposed pretrial order pending completion of private mediation. Docket No. 219. It appears the parties 15 have not yet agreed on a mediator or set a date for the mediation. See id. at 2. Given the circumstances, the Court declines to vacate this deadline. Cf. Dependable Highway Exp., Inc. v. 17 Navigators Ins. Co., 498 F.3d 1059, 1066 (9th Cir. 2007) ("Generally, stays should not be indefinite in nature"). Accordingly, the stipulation is **GRANTED** in part and **DENIED** in part. The deadline to file the joint proposed pretrial order is **EXTENDED** to April 30, 2024. Any 20 further request for relief from this deadline on the basis of a mediation must identify the date on 21 which the mediation will occur. 22 IT IS SO ORDERED. 23 Dated: February 6, 2024 24 Nancy J. Koppe 25 United States Magistrate Judge 26 27 28