UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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| PLAINTIFF’S NAME,  Plaintiff/s,  v.  DEFENDANT’S NAME,  Defendant/s. | Case No. 22-cv-00000-SSS ( x)  **(PROPOSED) ORDER GRANTING [STIPULATION TO AMEND/EXTEND/CONTINUE SCHEDULE OF PRETRIAL AND TRIAL DATES] [Dkt. #]** |
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On [Date], [“Plaintiffs/Defendants/the Parties filed” OR “the Court issued its Civil Trial Order”] …

[Brief summary of the moving party/parties’ request].

The Court, having considered [Plaintiffs/Defendants’ Stipulation to Amend/Extend/Continue the Schedule of Pretrial and Trial Dates] and finding good cause, hereby GRANTS the [Stipulation to Amend/Extend/Continue the Schedule of Pretrial and Trial Dates]. The new deadlines are set forth in the Scheduling Order chart filed with this Order.

All deadlines established by the prior Civil Trial Order [Dkt. #] are hereby **VACATED.**

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated:

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SUNSHINE S. SYKES

United States District Judge

**DISTRICT JUDGE SUNSHINE SYKES**

**AMENDED SCHEDULE OF PRETRIAL AND TRIAL DATES**

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| **Case No.:** |  | **Case Name:** |  |  | |
| **Trial and Final Pretrial Conference Dates**  **Note: Trial shall begin on Mondays at 9:00 a.m.**  **Final Pretrial Conference shall be on Fridays at 1:00 p.m.** | | | **Original Date** | **Time Computation[[1]](#footnote-2)** | **Amended Date** |
| Trial | | |  | **Monday at 9:00 a.m.** |  |
| Jury Trial  Bench Trial  Estimated Duration: \_ Days |  | Jury Trial  Bench Trial  Estimated Duration: \_ Days |
| Final Pretrial Conference (“FPTC”) [L.R. 16] | | |  | **Friday at 1:00pm at least 17 days before trial** |  |
| **Event**  **Note:All deadlines shall be on Fridays.**  **Hearings shall be on Fridays at 2:00 p.m.** | | | **Original Date** | **Time Computation** | **Amended Date** |
| Last Date to Hear Motion to Amend Pleadings or Add Parties | | |  | **6 weeks after Scheduling Conference** |  |
| Fact Discovery Cut-Off  (no later than deadline for filing dispositive motions) | | |  | **27 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Expert Disclosure (Initial) | | |  | **26 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Expert Disclosure (Rebuttal) | | |  | **24 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Expert Discovery Cut-Off | | |  | **22 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Last Date to Hear Motions   * Rule 56 Motions are due at least 7 weeks before hearing; Rule 56 Opposition due at least 5 weeks before hearing; Rule 56 Reply due at least 4 weeks before hearing. * Briefing deadlines for all other motions are pursuant to L.R. 6-1, 7-9, 7-10. | | |  | **11 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Deadline to Complete Settlement Conference [L.R. 16-15] | | |  | **8 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| 1. Magistrate Judge  2. Court Mediation Panel  3. Private Mediation |  | 1. Magistrate Judge  2. Court Mediation Panel  3. Private Mediation |
| Deadline to File Motions in Limine | | |  | **6 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Deadline for Oppositions to Motions in Limine | | |  | **4 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Trial Filings (first round)   * Memoranda of Contentions of Fact and Law [L.R. 16-4] * Witness Lists [L.R. 16-5] * Joint Exhibit List [L.R. 16-6.1] * Joint Status Report Regarding Settlement * Proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law [L.R. 52] (bench trial only) * Declarations containing Direct Testimony, if ordered (bench trial only) | | |  | **4 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Trial Filings (second round)   * Joint Proposed Final Pretrial Conference Order [L.R. 16-7] * Joint Agreed Upon Proposed Jury Instructions (jury trial only) * Disputed Proposed Jury Instructions (jury trial only) * Joint Proposed Verdict Forms (jury trial only) * Joint Proposed Statement of the Case (jury trial only) * Proposed Voir Dire Questions, if any (jury trial only) * Evidentiary Objections to Declarations of Direct Testimony (bench trial only) | | |  | **2 weeks before FPTC** |  |
| Hearing on Motions in Limine | | |  | **1 week before FPTC** |  |

1. Any date the parties propose, absent good cause, should be consistent with the Court’s preferred timeline. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)