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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

JOYCE WALKER, KIM BRUCE
HOWLETT, and MURIEL
SPOONER, on behalf of themselves
and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF
THE SOUTHWEST, a Texas
corporation,

Defendant.

CLASS ACTION

CASE NO.: CV 10-9198 JVS (RNBx)

Formerly Case No.: 3:10-cv -04852
JSW from Northern District of CA

**JOINT STIPULATION
REGARDING PROPOSED FIFTH
AMENDED PRETRIAL
SCHEDULING ORDER**

1 Pursuant to Local Rule 7-1, Plaintiffs Joyce Walker, Kim Bruce Howlett,
2 and Muriel Spooner (“Plaintiffs”) and Defendant Life Insurance Company of the
3 Southwest (“LSW”) (collectively, the “parties”), by and between their undersigned
4 counsel, submit the following stipulation:

5 WHEREAS, on December 17, 2013, the Court held a telephonic status
6 conference with the parties and set a final pretrial conference for March 24, 2014
7 and trial for April 8, 2014;

8 WHEREAS, the Court instructed the parties to confer and agree upon
9 pretrial deadlines;

10 WHEREAS, the parties thereafter conferred and agreed upon pretrial
11 deadlines;

12 WHEREAS, good cause exists to modify the dates in the Fourth Amended
13 Pretrial Scheduling Order in order to conform pretrial deadlines to the dates for the
14 final pretrial conference and the trial;

15 WHEREAS, the proposed new deadlines conform to the Trial Order and
16 Local Rule 16;

17 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the
18 undersigned counsel for the parties:

19 1. All of the dates in the Fourth Amended Pretrial Scheduling Order
20 shall be modified as set forth below.

21 2. Pursuant to the Trial Order and in compliance with Local Rule 16, all
22 motions *in limine* shall be filed and served no later than February 24, 2014, four
23 weeks (28 days) prior to the amended pretrial conference date.

24 3. Pursuant to and in compliance with Local Rule 16, the parties’ Pretrial
25 Conference Order shall be lodged no later than March 13, 2014, 11 days before the
26 amended pretrial conference date.

27 4. All Memoranda of Contentions of Fact and Law, Exhibit Lists, and
Witness Lists shall be submitted no later than March 3, 2014, 21 days prior to the

1 amended pretrial conference date.

2 5. Any rebuttal expert disclosures shall be served no later than December
3 31, 2013.

4 6. Any reply expert disclosures shall be served no later than January 28,
5 2014.

6 7. Expert discovery shall close on February 11, 2014. All expert
7 depositions shall commence no later than February 11, 2014.

8 8. Pursuant to and in compliance with Local Rule 16, the parties' Trial
9 Briefs shall be submitted no later than April 1, 2014, seven (7) days before the
10 amended trial date.

11 9. The timing and procedures for proposed jury instructions, special
12 verdicts and *voir dire* questions are set forth in Docket No. 61, pp. 5-6.

13 10. The parties may seek modification of this Order at any time and for
14 good cause shown.

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16 DATED: January 2, 2014

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