NOTICE OF CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

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Notice of Case Management Conference

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You are hereby given notice of your Case Management Conference. The date, time and department have been written above.

- 1. In accordance with applicable California Rules of the Court and local Rules 2.3(d)1-4 and 2.3(m), you are hereby ordered to:
 - a) Serve all named defendants and file proofs of service on those defendants with the court within 60-days of filing the complaint (CRC 201.7).
 - b) Serve a copy of this notice, Case Management Statement and ADR Information Sheet on all named parties in this action.
 - c) File and serve a completed Case Management Statement at least 15-days before the Case Management Conference [CRC 212(g)]. Failure to do so may result in monetary sanctions.
 - d) Meet and confer, in person or by telephone, to consider each of the issues identified in CRC 212(f) no later than 30-days before the date set for the Case Management Conference.
- 2. If you fail to follow the orders above, you are ordered to show cause why you should not be sanctioned. The Order to Show Cause hearing will be at the same time as the Case Management Conference hearing. Sanctions may include monetary, evidentiary or issue sanctions as well as striking pleadings and/or dismissal.
- 3. Continuances of Case Management Conferences are highly disfavored unless good cause is shown.
- 4. Parties may proceed to an appropriate dispute resolution process ("ADR") by filing a Stipulation to ADR and Proposed Order (see attached form). If plaintiff files a Stipulation to ADR and Proposed Order electing to proceed to judicial arbitration, the Case Management Conference will be taken off the court calendar and the case will be referred to the Arbitration Administrator. If plaintiffs and defendants file a completed stipulation to another ADR process (e.g., mediation) 10—days prior to the first scheduled Case Management Conference, the Case Management Conference will be continued for 90-days to allow parties time to complete their ADR session. The court will notify parties of their new Case Management Conference date.
- 5. If you have filed a default or a judgment has been entered, your case is not automatically taken off Case Management Conference Calendar. If "Does", "Roes," etc. are named in your complaint, they must be dismissed in order to close the case. If any party is in bankruptcy, the case is stayed only as to that named party.
- 6. You are further ordered to appear in person* (or through your attorney of record) at the Case Management Conference noticed above. You must be thoroughly familiar with the case and fully authorized to proceed.
- 7. The Case Management judge will issue orders at the conclusion of the conference that may include:
 - a) Referring parties to voluntary ADR and setting an ADR completion date;
 - b) Dismissing or severing claims or parties;
 - c) Setting a trial date.
 - The Case Management judge may be the trial judge in this case.

For further information regarding case management policies and procedures, see the court's website at: www.sanmateocourt.org

