

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

STANDING ORDER REGARDING GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN


All parties are advised that effective Monday, October 20, 2025, the judiciary will run out of funding and only limited operations will continue. See https://www.uscourts.gov/data-news/judiciary-news/2025/10/17/judiciary-funding-runs-out-only-limited-operations-continue?utm_campaign=usc-news&utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery. As a consequence, court staff will not be paid despite the requirement to work on essential matters.

Accordingly, until the judiciary is funded, parties shall meet and confer before filing *any* substantive motion. The parties shall determine whether the litigation can proceed without the motion or whether the motion must be urgently resolved. If the latter, lead counsel shall file a certification attesting to the same with the filing of any substantive motion. Failure to provide the certification will result in a *sua sponte* denial without prejudice. This requirement does not apply to administrative or ministerial motions.

The Court appreciates the parties' cooperation during this period.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 17, 2025


TRINA L. THOMPSON
United States District Judge