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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 BLACKBERRY LIMITED, a)
Canadian corporation,)

11 Plaintiffs,)

12 v.)

13 FACEBOOK, INC., a Delaware)
14 corporation, WHATSAPP INC., a)
15 Delaware corporation, and)
16 INSTAGRAM, LLC, a Delaware)
limited liability company)

17 Defendants,)
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Case No. 2:18-cv-01844-GW-KS

**JOINT REQUEST TO VACATE
PRETRIAL CONFERENCE AND
TRIAL DATE**

1 Plaintiff BlackBerry Limited (“BlackBerry”) and Defendants Facebook, Inc.,
2 WhatsApp Inc., and Instagram LLC (together, the “Facebook Defendants”) submit
3 the following stipulation and request that the Court vacate the currently-scheduled
4 pretrial conference and trial dates.

5 WHEREAS, the Court has stayed all triable issues except for those relating to
6 U.S. Patent No. 8,429,236 (“the ’236 Patent”);

7 WHEREAS, the Court’s February 27 tentative order (made final on March 2)
8 requested that the parties submit a joint report proposing a schedule for expedited,
9 supplemental claim construction proceedings for certain claim terms of the ’236
10 Patent;

11 WHEREAS, the parties filed a report outlining their proposed schedule for
12 supplemental claim construction (Dkt. 654) and have since been adhering to that
13 schedule;

14 WHEREAS the Court, at the February 27 hearing, indicated its inclination to
15 vacate the current trial date pending the parties’ scheduling proposal for supplemental
16 claim construction relating to the ’236 Patent;

17 The parties now stipulate and respectfully request that the currently scheduled
18 pre-trial conference and trial dates—scheduled for April 2 and April 13,
19 respectively—be formally vacated to allow for supplemental claim construction
20 proceedings to proceed as stipulated by the parties (Dkt. 654).

1 DATED: March 19, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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FILER'S ATTESTATION

I, James Asperger, am the ECF user whose ID and password were used to file this Updated Joint Case Scheduling Report. Pursuant to L.R. 5-4.3.4.(a)(2), I hereby attest that counsel for Defendants concurred in the filing of this document.

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