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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

CH2E NEVADA, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company,)
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Plaintiffs,)
)
v.)
)
LATIF MAHJOOB, an individual; AMERICAN)
COMBUSTION TECHNOLOGY)
INCORPORATED, a California corporation;)
DOES 1-X; and ROE COMPANIES XI-XX,)
inclusive,)
)
Defendants.)

Case No. 2:15-cv-00694-JCM-NJK

JOINT INTERIM STATUS REPORT

1 Pursuant to LR 26-3, the parties respectfully submit this Interim Status Report and state
2 as follows:

3 1. Pending Matters: Plaintiff CH2E's Renewed Motion for Attorneys' Fees and
4 Costs is currently pending before the Court. CH2E filed its Motion on February 10, 2017. (ECF
5 No. 76). Defendant American Combustion Technology of California, Incorporated ("ACTI")
6 filed a Response on February 24, 2017. (ECF No. 77). CH2E filed a Reply in Further Support
7 of its Motion on March 3, 2017. (ECF No. 78). The Court has not yet ruled on CH2E's Motion.

8 Aside from CH2E's motion, the only matter pending before the Court is a Stipulation to
9 Amend the Joint Discovery Plan and Scheduling Order. That stipulation is being filed
10 contemporaneously with this status report.

11 2. Estimate Time Required for Trial: The parties estimate that 3-5 days will be
12 required for trial.

13 3. Alternative Available Trial Dates: The parties submit the following three dates as
14 alternative available trial dates:

- 15 a. November 6, 2017
- 16 b. November 13, 2017
- 17 c. February 5, 2018

18 4. Effect of Substantive Motions on Trial Length: In the opinion of counsel who
19 will try the case, substantive motions will not eliminate the need for trial or affect the trial's
20 length.

21 5. The parties certify that they have considered consent to trial by a magistrate under
22 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) and Fed. R. Civ. P. 73, use of the Short Trial Program (General Order 2013-
23 01), and the use of alternative dispute-resolution processes including mediation, arbitration, and
24 early neutral evaluation.

25 Dated: March 17, 2017.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 17th day of March 2017, and pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 5(b), a true and correct copy of the foregoing **JOINT INTERIM STATUS REPORT** was electronically filed and served through the Court's CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to the following:

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