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**Superior Court of California, County of Alameda**  
**Rene C. Davidson Alameda County Courthouse**

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Shrieve  Plaintiff/Petitioner(s)	No. <u>RG04155097</u>
VS.	Stipulation and Order Re: Stay Denied
Visa U.S.A., Inc.  Defendant/Respondent(s) (Abbreviated Title)	

IT IS ORDERED that the Parties' Stipulation and Order Re: Stay is denied without prejudice to the parties submitting a stay order in the future. A stay of these proceedings is unnecessary in light of the upcoming hearing for preliminary approval on 9/11/2006 in U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York. (See Plaintiffs' counsel's letter to the court dated 8/18/2006). The parties have already stipulated to stay all discovery pending the outcome of the hearing. The proposed order is denied also because this case was filed as a putative class action. Therefore, the Plaintiffs may not settle or dismiss their claims without this Court's approval in accordance with the requirements of CRC 1859 and 1860.

The Case Management Conference for 8/25/2006 is vacated and continued to 12/1/2006 at 2:00 p.m. in Department 18. If final approval of the proposed settlement has not been granted, the CMC will be continued. The parties are ordered to advise this Court of any developments affecting the processing of this litigation after the hearing on 9/11/2006 or at any time prior to the CMC on 12/1/2006.

Dated: 08/23/2006



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Judge Cecilia P. Castellanos

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