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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

KING COUNTY,

Plaintiff,

v.

BP P.L.C., a public limited company of
England and Wales, CHEVRON
CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation,
CONOCOPHILLIPS, a Delaware
corporation, EXXON MOBIL
CORPORATION, a New Jersey corporation,
ROYAL DUTCH SHELL PLC, a public
limited company of England and Wales, and
DOES 1 through 10,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:18-cv-00758-RSL

~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER GRANTING
PARTIES' STIPULATED MOTION
REGARDING BRIEFING
SCHEDULE FOR DEFENDANTS'
MOTIONS TO DISMISS PURSUANT
TO LOCAL CIVIL RULES 7(d)(1)
AND 10(g)

The Court, having received and reviewed the Parties' Stipulated Motion, and good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Defendants will file their responses to the First Amended Complaint by **September 11, 2018.**

2. Defendants shall coordinate their efforts to file a consolidated memorandum of law in support of their motions to dismiss under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and/or 12(b)(6). If any Defendant wishes to file its own, individual memorandum in support of a

1 Motion to Dismiss under Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and/or 12(b)(6), it shall only
2 advance arguments unique to the Defendant filing the individual memorandum and shall not
3 repeat arguments advanced in the consolidated memorandum.

4 3. Any Defendant that wishes to challenge personal jurisdiction, insufficient
5 process, or insufficient service of process will file an individual memorandum of law pursuant
6 to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(2), (4), and/or (5). As part of efforts to consolidate
7 and organize briefing, the Parties have agreed, and this Court acknowledges, that the restrictions
8 in Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(g) and 12(h) regarding multiple motions to dismiss do
9 not apply to motions to dismiss filed by September 11, 2018.

10 4. Plaintiff shall serve any responses to Defendants' motions to dismiss by
11 **October 11, 2018.**

12 5. Defendants shall serve their reply briefs by **November 1, 2018.** Defendants
13 shall file a consolidated reply memorandum of law in support of their motions to dismiss under
14 Rules 12(b)(1) and/or 12(b)(6) regarding arguments made in Defendants' opening consolidated
15 memorandum.

16 6. The Court's July 12, 2018 Order setting page limits shall apply.

17 7. Neither the Stipulated Motion nor this Order shall operate as an admission of
18 any factual allegation or legal conclusion, nor shall it operate as a waiver of any right, defense,
19 affirmative defense, claim, or objection, including lack of personal jurisdiction, insufficient
20 process, or insufficient service of process.

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22 Dated this 4th day of Sept, 2018.

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Robert S. Lasnik

25 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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