

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

IN RE: BANK OF AMERICA CALIFORNIA
UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LITIGATION

Case No.: 21md2992-LAB (MSB)

**ORDER SETTING ZOOM DISCOVERY
CONFERENCE**

On August 10, 2023, counsel for Class Plaintiffs and counsel for Defendant Bank of America, N.A. jointly contacted Judge Berg's chambers to request an informal discovery conference. The Court **SETS** a Zoom Discovery Conference with counsel for Class Plaintiffs and counsel for Defendant on **August 17, 2023**, at **9:30 a.m.** The following deadlines and procedures apply:

1. The Court will use its official Zoom video conferencing account to hold the Discovery Conference. **IF YOU ARE UNFAMILIAR WITH ZOOM:** Zoom is available on computers through a download on the Zoom website (<https://zoom.us/meetings>) or on mobile devices through the installation of a free app.¹ Joining a Zoom conference does not require creating a Zoom account, but it does require downloading the .exe file (if

¹ If possible, participants are encouraged to use laptops or desktop computers for the video conference, as mobile devices often offer inferior performance.

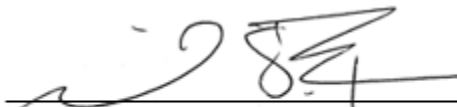
1 using a computer) or the app (if using a mobile device). Participants are encouraged to
2 create an account, install Zoom, and familiarize themselves with Zoom in advance of the
3 Discovery Conference.² There is a cost-free option for creating a Zoom account.

4 2. Prior to the start of the Discovery Conference, the Court will e-mail each
5 participant an invitation to join a Zoom video conference. No later than **August 16,**
6 **2023**, at **12:00 p.m.**, counsel for each party shall send an e-mail to the Court at
7 efile_berg@casd.uscourts.gov containing the **names, email addresses, and contact**
8 **telephone numbers** for all attorneys who plan to attend the Discovery Conference.

9 3. After they have thoroughly met and conferred regarding their dispute and
10 no later than **August 16, 2023**, at **12:00 p.m.**, counsel for Class Plaintiffs and counsel for
11 Defendant must exchange **discovery position statements of no more than two pages**
12 and **up to ten pages of exhibits**, outlining their respective positions regarding the
13 discovery dispute. These statements must also be submitted to the Court by the
14 deadline via email to efile_berg@casd.uscourts.gov.

15 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

16 Dated: August 10, 2023

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18 Honorable Michael S. Berg
19 United States Magistrate Judge
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² For help getting started with Zoom, visit: <https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/categories/200101697-Getting-Started>.