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1 2 3 4 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 7 MARCUS R. ELLINGTON, CASE NO. 1:09-CV-00054-OWW-DLB 8 РC 9 Plaintiff, ORDER ADOPTING FINDINGS AND 10 RECOMMENDATIONS AND DENYING MOTIONS FOR PRELIMINARY v. 11 INJUNCTIVE RELIEF CLARK, et al., 12 (ECF NOS. 44, 59, 61) Defendants. 13 14 15 Plaintiff Marcus R. Ellington ("Plaintiff") is a prisoner in 16 the custody of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation ("CDCR"). Plaintiff is proceeding pro se in this 17 civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The matter was 18 19 referred to a United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 20 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and Local Rule 302. 21 On June 3, 2010, the Magistrate Judge filed a Findings and 22 Recommendations herein which was served on the parties and which 23 contained notice to the parties that any objection to the 24 Findings and Recommendations was to be filed within twenty days. 25 Plaintiff filed an Objection to the Findings and Recommendations 26 on June 11, 2010. 27 In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1),

this Court has conducted a de novo review of this case.

carefully reviewed the entire file, the Court finds the Findings and Recommendations to be supported by the record and by proper analysis. The Magistrate Judge properly found that the Court lacked jurisdiction in this action to impose preliminary injunctive relief. The Director of the CDCR is not a Defendant in this action; the Director was never named as a Defendant in Plaintiff's second amended complaint, which is the operative pleading in this action. (Second Am. Compl., ECF No. 23.) Plaintiff cites to no legal authority to support his contention that the Director is a Defendant.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The Findings and Recommendations, filed June 3, 2010, is adopted in full; and
- Plaintiff's motions for injunctive relief, filed 2. December 24, 2009 and May 27, 2010, are DENIED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Oliver W. Wanger
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE Dated: <u>June 28, 2010</u>

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