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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**
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9 David Thomas Rhodes,
10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 Ricardo E Chavez, et al.,
13 Defendants.
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No. CV-12-01971-PHX-DGC

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

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16 Following dismissal of Plaintiff Thomas Rhodes' most recent appeal, Defendant
17 Hoffman sought a renewed scheduling order (Doc. 71) and the Court set a status
18 conference for today at 2:00 p.m. to discuss Defendant's request (Doc. 72). The Court's
19 docket shows that Defendant's motion and the Court's order were mailed to Plaintiff's
20 address in California.

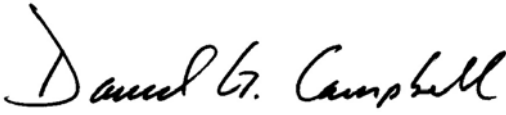
21 Plaintiff did not appear for today's conference, nor did he call in. Counsel for
22 Defendant informed the Court that he has made at least four attempts to contact Plaintiff
23 since the appeal was dismissed, and has received no response from Plaintiff.

24 On or before **May 19, 2017**, Plaintiff shall file a memorandum with the Court
25 showing cause why this case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute – explaining
26 why he has not communicated with defense counsel regarding the status and scheduling
27 of this case and why he did not appear at today's hearing. Plaintiff is warned that the
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Court will dismiss this case if he fails to respond as required by this order.

Dated this 26th day of April, 2017.



David G. Campbell
United States District Judge