

1 of limitations on Douglas’s § 1983 claims is two years.”); Taylor v. Regents of Univ. of Cal., 993
2 F.2d 710, 711-12 (9th Cir. 1993) (per curiam), cert. denied, 510 U.S. 1076 (1994) (limitations
3 period that governs § 1983 claims also governs claims under § 1985); Scheerer v. Rose State
4 College, 950 F.2d 661, 664 (10th Cir. 1991), cert. denied, 505 U.S. 1205 (1992) (same statute of
5 limitations governs claims under §§ 1982 and 1983). Similarly, the statute of limitations for
6 plaintiffs’ Fair Housing Act claim is two years, 42 U.S.C. § 3613(a)(1)(A), while the statute of
7 limitations for claims brought pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1981 is either two or four years depending
8 upon the nature of the claim asserted. See Jones v. R.R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 541 U.S. 369,
9 381–84, 124 S.Ct. 1836, 1845-46 (2004); Cross v. The Home Depot, 390 F.3d 1283, 1288-89
10 (10th Cir. 2004).

11 Here, since plaintiffs’ Complaint relies almost entirely on factual allegations occurring more
12 than two years before the Complaint was filed, plaintiffs shall, no later than **July 27, 2011**, show
13 cause in writing why their claims under 42 U.S.C. §§ 1981, 1982, 1983 and 1985, and the Fair
14 Housing Act should not be dismissed as untimely. Plaintiffs’ failure to timely file a written response
15 to this Order may result in the dismissal of their §§ 1981, 1982, 1983, 1985 and Fair Housing Act
16 claims as untimely.

17 Defendants shall also submit briefs on the timeliness of plaintiffs’ §§ 1981, 1982, 1983,
18 1985 and Fair Housing Act claims by no later than **July 27, 2011**.

19 IT IS SO ORDERED.

20 Dated the 13th day of July, 2011.

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22 /s/
23 Fernando M. Olguin
24 United States Magistrate Judge
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