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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11 LADERICK RICHARDSON,  
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13                   Petitioner,  
14           vs.  
15 RANDY GROUNDS, Warden,  
16                   Respondent.  
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Case No. CV 13-0859-DOC (RNB)

ORDER ACCEPTING FINDINGS  
AND RECOMMENDATIONS  
OF UNITED STATES  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE

18           Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court has reviewed the Petition, records  
19 on file herein, and the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate  
20 Judge. Further, the Court has engaged in a de novo review of those portions of the  
21 Report and Recommendation to which objections have been made. The Court accepts  
22 the findings and recommendations of the Magistrate Judge.

23           IT THEREFORE IS ORDERED that (1) petitioner's requests for leave  
24 to conduct discovery and for an evidentiary hearing are denied; and (2) Judgment be  
25 entered denying the Petition and dismissing this action with prejudice.

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27 DATED: March 21, 2014

*David O. Carter*  
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DAVID O. CARTER  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE