

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

**MEMORANDUM**

Case No. CV 16-8120 DSF (PLAx)

Date 1/12/17

Title Patricio de la Paz v. Ashok Kumar Jayaraman

Present: The  
Honorable

DALE S. FISCHER, United States District Judge

Debra Plato

Not Present

Deputy Clerk

Court Reporter

Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:

Attorneys Present for Defendants:

Not Present

Not Present

**Proceedings:** (In Chambers) Order DENYING Motion to Remand (Dkt. No. 11)<sup>1</sup>

Plaintiff's motion to remand is DENIED. While the notice of removal contains a technical deficiency – “residency” rather than “citizenship” is alleged – there is no dispute that Plaintiff is a citizen of California and Defendant is a citizen of a foreign state not admitted for permanent residency. See 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a)(2). Therefore, the court has diversity jurisdiction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

<sup>1</sup> The Court deems this matter appropriate for decision without oral argument. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 78; Local Rule 7-15. The hearing set for January 23, 2017 is removed from the Court's calendar.