UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA CIVIL MINUTES - GENERAL

CASE NO.: CV 13-1236-CJC (PJW) Date: January 30, 2014

TITLE: Lovell Brown v. Verdesoto, et al.

PRESENT:

HON. PATRICK J. WALSH, MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Celia Anglon-Reed

Deputy Clerk Court Reporter

ATTORNEYS PRESENT FOR PLAINTIFF: ATTORNEYS PRESENT FOR DEFENDANTS:

None None

PROCEEDINGS: Order to Show Cause Regarding Plaintiff's Failure to File First Amended Complaint (In Chambers)

On August 30, 2013, the Court dismissed the Complaint with leave to file a First Amended Complaint ("FAC") by October 5, 2013. (Doc. No. 16.) Plaintiff requested two extensions of time in which to do so. The Court granted both requests, giving Plaintiff until December 27, 2013 to file the FAC. (Doc. Nos. 18, 20.) As of the date of this Order, however, Plaintiff has still not done so.

Under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b), an action may be involuntarily dismissed for failure of the plaintiff to prosecute or comply with any order of the Court. See Omstead v. Dell, 594 F.2d 1081, 1084 (9th Cir. 2010). A plaintiff's failure to file an amended complaint, despite being told of the consequences, warrants dismissal. See Ferdik v. Bonzelet, 963 F.2d 1258, 1262 (9th Cir. 1992).

Plaintiff now has until February 21, 2014 to file the FAC or, alternatively, to show good cause for his failure to timely file the FAC by filing one or more declarations under penalty of perjury and supporting documents, if needed.

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Plaintiff is warned that if he does not respond to this Order within the time allowed, or if he fails to show good cause for the failure to timely file the FAC, this action may be dismissed under Rule 41(b).

cc:

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