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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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| WESLEY W. HUNTER, |) | 1:07-cv-00674-AWI-NEW (DLB) HC |
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| Petitioner, |) | |
| |) | ORDER GRANTING |
| v. |) | IN FORMA PAUPERIS STATUS |
| |) | |
| HABEAS CORPUS, |) | |
| |) | |
| Respondent. |) | |

Petitioner is a state prisoner proceeding pro se with a petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, petitioner is hereby AUTHORIZED to proceed *in forma pauperis*. The petition will be screened in due course.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 17, 2007

/s/ Dennis L. Beck
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE