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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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11 ROBERT SYLVESTER HEATLEY, 1:07-cv-01118-OWW-SMS (HC)
12 Petitioner,
13 vs. ORDER GRANTING MOTION
14 JAMES TILTON, et al., (DOCUMENT #2)
15 Respondent.

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17 Petitioner is a state prisoner proceeding with a petition for writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28
18 U.S.C. § 2254.

19 Petitioner has filed a motion to proceed in forma pauperis and a certified copy of petitioner's
20 prison trust account statement. Examination of these documents reveals that petitioner is unable to
21 afford the costs of this action. Accordingly, the motion to proceed in forma pauperis is GRANTED.
22 See 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

23 IT IS SO ORDERED.

24 Dated: August 9, 2007

25 _____ /s/ **Sandra M. Snyder**
26 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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