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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

8 ERNEST MILLER,

v.

Plaintiff,

CASE NO. 1:07-cv-01416-LJO-DLB PC ORDER DENYING MOTION AS MOOT (Doc. 67)

CDC WARDEN AND STAFF, et al.,

Defendants.

15 Plaintiff Ernest Miller ("Plaintiff") is a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis in this civil rights action. This action was closed on September 8, 2009, when the Court 16 17 dismissed this action for failure to state a claim upon which relief may be granted. On 18 September 11, 2009, Plaintiff filed a motion for an answer to docket 55, which was the Court's 19 February 13, 2009 order directing the United States Marshal to serve the first amended 20 complaint, filed June 9, 2008, on defendant Ortize. Defendant Ortize was never served, and on 21 September 11, 2009, the United States Marshal returned the summons unexecuted. Plaintiff filed 22 a second amended complaint on May 11, 2009, which became the operative pleading. Because 23 the first amended complaint was no longer the operative pleading, the Court's February 13, 2009 24 order is moot. Accordingly, Plaintiff's motion, filed September 11, 2009, is DENIED as moot. 25 IT IS SO ORDERED. 26 Dated: April 19, 2010

/s/ Dennis L. Beck UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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