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8 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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12 **LAWRENCE R. VALENTINE,**

13 **Petitioner,**

14 **vs.**

15 **NEIL ADLER,**

16 **Respondent.**
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) **ORDER DENYING MOTION**
) **FOR COURT ORDER**
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21 Petitioner is a federal prisoner proceeding pro se on a petition for writ of habeas
22 corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 2241. On January 22, 2008, Petitioner filed a motion
23 for the court to order the BOP to release him immediately. Respondent has not yet responded
24 to the petition. The court declines to address the merits of the present petition without
25 allowing Respondent such an opportunity. Accordingly, Petitioner's motion is HEREBY
26 DENIED.

27 IT IS SO ORDERED.

28 **Dated: February 8, 2008**

/s/ William M. Wunderlich

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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