Jones v. Kern High School District et al

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6	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT				
7	EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA				
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9	KRISTA JONES,) 1	:07-cv-1628 OWW	TAG	
10	Plaintiff,	•	RDER SETTING AS: ISMISSAL OF ENT:		
11	v .))	ISMISSAL OF ENT.	IRE ACTION	
12	KERN HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT, FRANCISCO GONZALEZ, JAIME)			
13	3 QUINONEZ, CONNIE SACK, BRUCE) HILL, PATRICK BLAKE, ABELARDO)				
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18	Defendants.)			
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21	Before the Court is Plaintiff's Application to Set Aside				
22	Dismissal pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 60(a)(b) to				
23	correct the dismissal of the entire action arising from a				
24	clerical mistake.				
25	On December 11, 2007, Plaintiff, through counsel, filed a				
26	"Notice of Voluntary Dismissal of Defendant Adrianna Reyna				
27	Without Prejudice," in which Plaintiff Krista Jones voluntarily				
28	"dismisses the above-caption	ed action a	gainst Defendan	t Adrianna	

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As counsel's Declaration in support of the Application to Set Aside establishes, Plaintiff did not intend to dismiss the entire action as to the remaining Defendants.

5 By inadvertence and clerical error, the entire action was dismissed. Because Plaintiff was authorized to dismiss some or 6 all of the Defendants, through a Rule 41(a)(1) notice, the entire 7 action should not have been dismissed. Dismissal of one of 8 9 several Co-Defendants terminates the action only as to the one dismissed, the case continues as to the other Defendants. Concha 10 v. London, 82 F.3d 1493, 1506 (9th Cir. 1995); cert. dismissed, 11 517 U.S. 1183 (1996). 12

Under the further authority of Fed. R. Civ. Proc. 60(b)(1)
and (6) this action is reinstated as to all Defendants except
Adrianna Reyna.

16 Further, the dismissal without prejudice of Defendant17 Adrianna Reyna remains unaffected by this order.

19 IT IS SO ORDERED.

20	Dated:	/s/ Oliver W. Wanger UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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