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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

LAWTIS DONALD RHODEN,  
Plaintiff,

v.

STEPHEN W. MAYBERG, et al.,  
Defendants.

CASE NO. 1:08-CV-00100-LJO-DLB PC

ORDER REQUIRING PLAINTIFF TO FILE  
STATUS REPORT REGARDING STATE  
CIVIL COMMITMENT PROCEEDINGS

RESPONSE DUE WITHIN 30 DAYS

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Plaintiff Lawtis Donald Rhoden (“Plaintiff”) is a civil detainee in the custody of the California Department of Mental Health. Plaintiff is civilly detained pursuant to California’s Sexually Violent Predators Act (“SVPA”). Cal. Welf. & Inst. Code § 6600. On June 2, 2010, the Court granted a stay of the proceeding pending completion of Plaintiff’s SVPA state civil commitment proceedings. Doc. 20. Because Plaintiff is the only party to appear in this action, the Court will require Plaintiff to update the Court as to the status of his SVPA proceedings. Accordingly, it is HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff is to file a status report regarding his state civil commitment proceedings within thirty (30) days from the date of service of this order. Failure to respond to this order may result in a recommendation of dismissal of this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 3, 2011

/s/ Dennis L. Beck  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE