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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

Fresno Division

LATWAHN McELROY,
CDCR #P-71922,

Plaintiff,

vs.

R. COX; B. COPE; R. ROBLES;
P. ROCHA; T. ACOSTA; S. STINNETT;
M. HANKINS, CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS,

Defendants.

Civil No. 1:08cv1221-JTM-MDD

**ORDER TRANSFERRING CASE TO
U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE IN THE
FRESNO DIVISION OF THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF
CALIFORNIA**


The above-entitled action is currently before this court on assignment from the Eastern District of California, and is scheduled to go to trial on September 6, 2011. (Doc. Nos. 7 & 77.) On June 24, 2011, the court conducted a telephonic status conference with the parties at which time Plaintiff and counsel for Defendants both consented, orally and on the record, to have the case transferred to a United States Magistrate Judge in the Fresno Division of the Eastern District of California for any subsequent pretrial and trial proceedings. Plaintiff had also previously signed a consent to the jurisdiction of a United States Magistrate Judge on September 29, 2008. (Doc. No. 5.)

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1 Therefore, all parties' full and informed consent having been obtained, the court hereby
2 orders that this case be TRANSFERRED to a United States Magistrate Judge in the Fresno
3 Division of the Eastern District of California forthwith. In addition, the upcoming final pretrial
4 conference and trial dates—currently set before this court on July 25, 2011 and September 6,
5 2011, respectively (Doc. Nos. 72 & 77)—are hereby VACATED, and shall be rescheduled by
6 the assigned U.S. Magistrate Judge at his or her discretion.

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

8 DATED: June 24, 2011

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11 Hon. Jeffrey T. Miller
12 United States District Judge
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