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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

KENNETH R. WHITE,
Plaintiff,

No. C 09-0067 WHA (PR)
ORDER OF TRANSFER

v.

N. GRANNIS, Chief, Inmate Appeals
Branch; Correctional Officer S.
KNIGHT; R. HALL, Appeal
Coordinator; and KEN CLARK,
Warden,
Defendants.

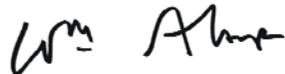
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This is a civil rights case brought pro se by a state prisoner. The acts complained of occurred at the Corcoran Substance Abuse Treatment Facility, which is in the venue of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. Defendants, who are Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation employees, appear to reside there as well. Venue, therefore, properly lies in that district and not in this one. See 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b).

This case is **TRANSFERRED** to the United States District Court for the Easter District of California. See 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a). In view of the transfer, plaintiff's request for leave to proceed in forma pauperis will not be ruled upon.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 13, 2009.



WILLIAM ALSUP
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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