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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ROBERT GONZALES SAENZ,

CASE NO. 1:09-cv-00557-SMS PC

Plaintiff,

ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT’S MOTION
FOR LEAVE TO DEPOSE PLAINTIFF BY
VIDEO CONFERENCE

v.

SGT. D. REEVES,

(ECF No. 41)

Defendant.

Plaintiff Robert Gonzales Saenz (“Plaintiff”) is a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis in this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. This action was filed on March 26, 2009, and a discovery and scheduling order was issued on February 22, 2011. This action is currently in the discovery phase, and on May 19, 2011, Defendant filed a motion seeking leave to depose Plaintiff and other incarcerated witnesses by video conference. Fed. R. Civ. P. 30(b)(4).

Good cause having been shown, Defendant’s motion is HEREBY GRANTED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 20, 2011

/s/ Sandra M. Snyder
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE