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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

13 ABDUL MALIK MUHAMMAD, } 1:10-cv-00094 MJS HC
14 Petitioner, }
15 v. } ORDER REQUIRING PETITIONER TO
16 JAMES D. HARTLEY, Warden, } SUBMIT SIGNED DECLARATION
17 Respondent. }

19 Petitioner is a state prisoner proceeding pro se with a petition for writ of habeas corpus
20 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.

Upon examination of the petition, the Court has discovered that the petition does not contain an original signature. Local Rule 131 requires a document submitted to the Court for filing to include an original signature. In addition, Rule 2(c)(5) of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases requires a petition for writ of habeas corpus to "be signed under penalty of perjury by the petitioner."

26 In light of the difficulty in having Petitioner submit a new habeas corpus petition,
27 Petitioner is ordered to submit a document stating that he submitted the instant petition to the
28 Court and sign that document under penalty of perjury. The document must contain an

1 original signature. Petitioner is granted twenty (20) days from the date of service of this order
2 to comply with the Court's directive.

3 Petitioner is forewarned that failure to comply with a Court order may result in dismissal
4 of the petition pursuant to Local Rule 110.

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7 IT IS SO ORDERED.

8 Dated: June 25, 2010

/s/ Michael J. Seng
9 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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