

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

17 Plaintiff is a civil detainee proceeding pro se in a civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §
18 1983. Individuals detained pursuant to California Welfare and Institutions Code § 6600 et seq. are
19 civil detainees and are not prisoners within the meaning of the Prison Litigation Reform Act. *Page*
20 *v. Torrey*, 201 F.3d 1136, 1140 (9th Cir. 2000).

21 In the instant action, plaintiff filed an application to proceed in forma pauperis.

23 Accordingly, the motion to proceed in forma pauperis, filed June 15, 2010, is GRANTED.

24 Plaintiff's motion to proceed in forma pauperis, filed June 9, 2010, is DISREGARDED.

25 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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/s/ Dennis L. Beck
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE