

AO 240A (Rev. 1/94)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Eastern

District of

California

RICHARD D. TOWNSEND,

Plaintiff

V.

ORDER ON APPLICATION TO PROCEED WITHOUT PREPAYMENT OF FEES

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY Defendant

CASE NUMBER: 1:10-at-00837

Having considered the application to proceed without prepayment of fees under 28 USC §1915;

IT IS ORDERED that the application is:

X GRANTED.

X The clerk is directed to file the complaint.

X IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk issue summons and the United States marshal serve a copy of the complaint, summons and this order upon the defendant(s) as directed by the plaintiff. All costs of service shall be advanced by the United States.

□ DENIED, for the following reasons:

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ENTER this 19th day of October, 2010.

/s/ Gary S. Austin Signature of Judicial Officer

Gary S. Austin, U.S. Magistrate Judge Name and Title of Judicial Officer