1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 MATTHEW JAMES GRIFFIN, 1:11-cv-00210-AWI-GSA-PC 12 Plaintiff, ORDER STRIKING PLAINTIFF'S DECLARATION FOR LACK OF 13 SIGNATURE vs. (Doc. 30.) 14 FERNANDO GONZALES, et al., 15 Defendants. 16 17 Matthew James Griffin ("Plaintiff") is a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis with this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On November 20, 2013, 18 Plaintiff filed a Declaration titled "Plaintiff's First Declaration in Support of his Motions, Inter 19 Alia." (Doc. 30.) The Declaration is unsigned. All filings submitted to the court must bear the 20 signature of the filing party. Local Rule 131; Fed. R. Civ. P. 11(a). Accordingly, IT IS 21 HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's Declaration, filed on November 20, 2013, is STRICKEN 22 from the record for lack of signature. 23 24 25 26 IT IS SO ORDERED. 27 /s/ Gary S. Austin Dated: **December 2, 2013** 28

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE