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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

STEPHEN GARCIA,

CASE NO. 1:11-cv-01612-AWI-SMS

Plaintiff,

v.

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S
MOTION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA*
PAUPERIS

FRESNO COUNTY,

Defendant.

(Doc. 1)

By a motion filed September 15, 2011, Plaintiff Stephen Garcia seeks to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Plaintiff has submitted a declaration that makes the showing required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a).

Accordingly, the Court GRANTS Plaintiff's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

Notwithstanding this order, the Court does not direct that service be undertaken until the Court screens the complaint in due course and issues its screening order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 28, 2011

/s/ Sandra M. Snyder
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE