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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

ANDREW A. CEJAS,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
MYERS, et al.,  
Defendants.

Case No. 1:12-cv-00271-AWI-DLB PC  
ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTION TO JOIN OPPOSITIONS  
(Document 162)

Plaintiff Andrew A. Cejas ("Plaintiff") is a California state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis in this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. This action is proceeding on Plaintiff's Third Amended Complaint for violation of the First Amendment against numerous Defendants.

Defendants' January 11, 2016, motions for summary judgment are pending.<sup>1</sup>

On March 16, 2016, Plaintiff filed a motion requesting that his oppositions to the two motions be joined, as he believes that the facts overlap and support each motion. Defendants Foston, Van Leer and Pimentel opposed the motion on March 24, 2016. The Court deems the matter suitable for decision without additional briefing.

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<sup>1</sup> There are seven Defendants in this action, though they are not represented by the same counsel. Defendants Myers, Trimble, McGee and Fisher are represented by Janine K. Jeffrey. Defendants Foston, Van Leer and Pimentel are represented by Shanan L. Hewitt. As a result, there are two separate motions for summary judgment.

