

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

MARIA MENDOZA,

CASE NO. 1:13-cv-01213-SKO

Plaintiff,

V.

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

CAROLYN W. COLVIN,

Acting Commissioner of Social Security,

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Defendant.

Plaintiff Maria Mendoza filed a complaint on August 5, 2013, along with an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. Plaintiff's application demonstrates entitlement to proceed without prepayment of fees.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is GRANTED;
2. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to issue a summons; and
3. The United States Marshal is DIRECTED to serve a copy of the complaint, summons, and this order upon the defendant as directed by the plaintiff.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 5, 2013

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE