

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

EARL SIMPSON,

Plaintiff,

V.

STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF  
CALIFORNIA, et al.,

## Defendants.

1:13-cv-01701-JLT (PC)

ORDER DISREGARDING PLAINTIFF'S  
MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA  
PAUPERIS AND ORDER FOR PLAINTIFF TO  
SUBMIT SIGNED APPLICATION  
TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS OR  
PAY FILING FEE WITHIN 30 DAYS

(Doc. 3)

Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed a civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983, together with an application to proceed in forma pauperis pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. However, plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis was deficient in that it did not include plaintiff's required original signature. Each document submitted for filing must include the original signature of the filing party or parties. Local Rule 131; F.R.C.P. 11(a). Accordingly, the Court ORDERS:

1. Plaintiff's unsigned

(Doc. 3), is disregarded. Within 30 days of the date of service of this order, plaintiff **SHALL** resubmit the enclosed application to proceed in forma pauperis, bearing plaintiff's original signature, or in the alternative, pay the \$400.00 filing fee for this action.

1                   **Failure to comply with this order will result in dismissal of this action.**

2                   IT IS SO ORDERED.

3                   Dated: November 4, 2013

4                   /s/ Jennifer L. Thurston  
5                   UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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