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

LEONARD J. JONES,

Case No. 1:13-cv-01990-LJO-SKO

Plaintiff,

**ORDER DIRECTING PLAINTIFF TO  
PAY THE \$400 FILING FEE OR SUBMIT  
A COMPLETED APPLICATION TO  
PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS  
WITHIN 30 DAYS OF SERVICE OF THIS  
ORDER**

v.

MERCED POLICE DEPARTMENT, et al.,

Defendants.

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Plaintiff Leonard Jones ("Plaintiff") is a prisoner at a Merced County correctional facility and is proceeding pro se in a civil rights action pursuant to Title 42 of the United States Code section 1983. Plaintiff has not paid the \$400.00 filing fee, nor has he submitted an application to proceed in forma pauperis pursuant to Title 28 of the United States Code section 1915.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

**Within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this order**, Plaintiff shall submit the attached application to proceed in forma pauperis, completed and signed, or, in the alternative, he shall pay the \$400.00 filing fee for this action. No requests for extension will be granted without a showing of good cause. If Plaintiff elects to submit the application to proceed in forma pauperis, within sixty (60) days of the date of service of this order, Plaintiff shall submit a certified copy of his prison trust statement for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint.

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Failure to comply with this order will result in a recommendation that this action be dismissed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 10, 2013

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE