

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

BARTKETT, et al,

1:14-cv-01932-DLB (PC)

Plaintiffs,

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS

V.

KRAMER, et al,

(Documents 2-19)

Defendants.

15 Plaintiffs¹ are civil detainees proceeding pro se in a civil rights action pursuant to 42
16 U.S.C. § 1983. Individuals detained pursuant to California Welfare and Institutions Code § 6600
17 et seq. are civil detainees and are not prisoners within the meaning of the Prison Litigation
18 Reform Act. Page v. Torrey, 201 F.3d 1136, 1140 (9th Cir. 2000)

19 In the instant action, Plaintiffs filed applications to proceed in forma pauperis.
20 Examination of these documents reveals that Plaintiffs are unable to afford the costs of this
21 action. Accordingly, the motions to proceed in forma pauperis are GRANTED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **December 12, 2014**

/s/ Dennis L. Beck
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

¹ Plaintiff's name appears at "Barklett" in the caption and "Bartlett" elsewhere.

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