

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

10 LARRY WILLIAM CORTINAS, Case No. 1:14-cv-02015-SKO (PC)

11 Plaintiff, ORDER DENYING MOTION TO  
12 v. SUPPLEMENT COMPLAINT AS MOOT  
IN LIGHT OF SCREENING ORDER

13 JOE SCALIA, et al., (Doc. 7)

14 Defendants.

16 Plaintiff Larry William Cortinas, a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis,  
17 filed this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 on December 18, 2014. On November 9,  
18 2015, Plaintiff filed a motion seeking leave to supplement his complaint. In light of the order  
19 issued on November 10, 2015, dismissing Plaintiff's complaint, with leave to amend, for failure to  
20 state a claim, Plaintiff's motion is HEREBY DENIED as moot. Plaintiff may add his  
21 supplemental claims in his amended complaint, as long as he heeds the admonition that claims and  
22 parties must be properly joined in the same action. Fed. R. Civ. P. 18(a), 20(a)(2); *Owens v.*  
23 *Hinsley*, 635 F.3d 950, 952 (7th Cir. 2011); *George v. Smith*, 507 F.3d 605, 607 (7th Cir. 2007).

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

26 Dated: **November 16, 2015**

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE