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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 MELVIN JOEL CRAWFORD,) Case No.: 1:15-cv-00544-JLT
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13 Petitioner,) ORDER GRANTING PETITIONER'S MOTION TO
14) AMEND PETITION TO NAME PROPER
15 v.) RESPONDENT
16 ON HABEAS CORPUS,)
17) ORDER DIRECTING CLERK OF THE COURT TO
18) SUBSTITUTE M. E. SPEARMAN AS PROPER
19) RESPONDENT
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21 After conducting a preliminary screening of the petition, the Court, on April 15, 2015, ordered
22 Petitioner to file a motion to name the proper respondent within thirty days. (Doc. 7). On April 27,
23 2015, Petitioner filed the instant motion to name M.E. Spearman as proper Respondent.

24 For the foregoing reasons, the Court **ORDERS**:

- 25 1. Petitioner's motion to name a proper respondent (Doc. 10), is GRANTED.
26 2. The Clerk of the Court is DIRECTED to substitute the name of M.E. Spearman as
27 proper Respondent in place of "On Habeas Corpus."
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 20, 2015

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE