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

PAUL WELDON,

Plaintiff,

v.

RUDY ANAYA,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 1:15-CV-856-DAD-SMS

ORDER SCREENING PLAINTIFF'S  
FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT AND  
DIRECTING CLERK TO ISSUE  
SUMMONS AND NEW CASE  
DOCUMENTS

Plaintiff Paul Weldon proceeds in pro se in this action against defendant Rudy Anaya, a police officer. His first amended complaint is before the Court for screening. Taking the allegations as true and construing the pleadings liberally, Plaintiff's first amended complaint states cognizable claims for a civil rights violation under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and false imprisonment under California law. See Doc. 5.

Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED:

1. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to issue summons as to the defendant, Rudy Anaya;
2. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to issue and serve Plaintiff with New Case Documents, including setting an Initial Scheduling Conference;
3. Plaintiff is cautioned that he must achieve service of process within the time period set forth in Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 or the matter may be dismissed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 9, 2015

/s/ Sandra M. Snyder  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE