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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SCOTT K. RICKS,)	Case No.: 1:15-cv-01147-AWI-BAM (PC)
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Plaintiff,)	ORDER DENYING PLAINTIFF’S MOTION
)	FOR CHANGE OF VENUE, AS MOOT
v.)	
)	[ECF No. 62]
A. AUSTRIA,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
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Plaintiff Scott K. Ricks is a state prisoner proceeding *pro se* and *in forma pauperis* in this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Currently before the Court is Plaintiff’s motion for change of venue, filed on July 6, 2018. (ECF No. 62.)

On March 22, 2018, this Court granted summary judgment to Defendant A. Austria in this case, and directed the Clerk of the Court to enter judgment and close this action. (ECF No. 57.) Judgement was entered that same day. (ECF No. 58.)

Accordingly, Plaintiff’s motion for the appointment of counsel (ECF No. 62) is HEREBY DENIED, as moot, because this action is currently closed.
IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: July 17, 2018

/s/ Barbara A. McAuliffe
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE