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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

WILLIAM ALLEN SMITH,

Petitioner,

v.

JOSEPH W. MOSS, Chief, Contract Beds
Unit,

Respondent.

Case No. 1:15-cv-01696-LJO-SKO HC

ORDER DIRECTING CLERK
OF COURT TO AMEND CAPTION

(Doc. 16)

“If the petitioner is currently in custody under a state court judgment, the petition must name as respondent the state officer who has custody.” Rule 2(a) of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts. Respondent has advised the Court that Petitioner is presently incarcerated in Correctional Training Facility, Soledad, California. As a result, Marion Spearman, Warden of the Correctional Training Facility, has custody of Petitioner.

Accordingly, the Court hereby ORDERS the Clerk of Court to amend the caption to reflect the name of Marion Spearman, Warden, Correctional Training Facility, as Respondent.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 9, 2016

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE