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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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9 MICHAEL J. CLAMP, Case No. 1:16-cv-00248-SMS
10 Plaintiff,
11 v. ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION
12 CAROLYN W. COLVIN, ACTING TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*
13 COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,
14 Defendant. (Doc. 2)

15 By motion filed February 22, 2016, Plaintiff Michael J. Clamp seeks to proceed *in forma*
16 *pauperis*. Plaintiff has submitted a declaration that makes the showing required by 28 U.S.C. §
17 1915(a).

18 Accordingly, the Court GRANTS Plaintiff's motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*.
19 The Clerk of Court is directed to issue the summons and new case documents. The United States
20 Marshal is directed to serve a copy of the complaint, summons, and this order upon the defendant if
21 requested by the plaintiff.

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23 IT IS SO ORDERED.
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25 Dated: February 23, 2016

/s/ Sandra M. Snyder
26 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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