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

COUNTY OF KERN,

 Plaintiff,

 vs.

GLOBAL EXCEL MANAGEMENT, INC.,

 Defendants.

Case No. 1:16-cv-01063-LJO-JLT

**ORDER CLOSING THE CASE
(Doc. 24)**

The parties have stipulated to dismiss this action with prejudice with the parties bearing their own costs. (Doc. 24) Federal Rules Civil Procedure 41(a) provides, “the plaintiff may dismiss an action without a court order by filing: . . . a stipulation of dismissal signed by all parties who have appeared.” . . .” Once such a notice has been filed, an order of the Court is not required to make the dismissal effective. Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(ii); Wilson v. City of San Jose, 111 F.3d 688, 692 (9th Cir. 1997). Thus, the Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** to close this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 29, 2017

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE