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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

TIMOTHY S. TOFAUTE and DAVID  
DIXON,

Plaintiffs,

v.

COUNTY OF MADERA, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:16-cv-01627-DAD-SKO

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF  
TIMOTHY S. TOFAUTE’S AMENDED  
APPLICATION TO PROCEED IN  
FORMA PAUPERIS**

(Doc. 9)

**ORDER**

Plaintiffs Timothy S. Tofaute (“Tofaute”) and David Dixon (“Dixon”), pro se litigants, filed a complaint on October 28, 2016, along with applications to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. (Docs. 1, 2 & 3.) On November 16, 2016, the Court ordered Plaintiff Tofaute to file an amended application to proceed in forma pauperis that indicate the amount he has received and is receiving in disability compensation. (Doc. 6.) Plaintiff Tofaute filed his amended application to proceed *in forma pauperis* on December 15, 2016. (Doc. 9.)

Plaintiff Tofaute’s amended application demonstrates entitlement to proceed without prepayment of fees. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff Tofaute’s application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is GRANTED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 4, 2017

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE