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3 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
4 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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6 DAVID WATSON,

7 Plaintiff,

8 vs.

9 ROSEMARY NDOH, et al.,

10 Defendants.
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1:17-cv-00063-GSA-PC

ORDER STRIKING MOTION FOR LACK
OF SIGNATURE
(ECF No. 5.)

12 David Watson ("Plaintiff") is a state prisoner proceeding pro se with this civil rights
13 action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983.

14 On December 20, 2016, Plaintiff filed a motion for appointment of counsel. (ECF No.
15 5.) The motion is not signed by Plaintiff. All filings submitted to the court must bear the
16 signature of the filing party. Local Rule 131; Fed. R. Civ. P. 11(a). Therefore, the motion shall
17 be stricken from the record for lack of signature.¹

18 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's motion for appointment of
19 counsel, filed on December 20, 2016, is STRICKEN from the record for lack of Plaintiff's
20 signature.

21 IT IS SO ORDERED.
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23 Dated: January 20, 2017

/s/ Gary S. Austin
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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28 ¹ A document which is "stricken" will not be considered by the Court for any purpose. (Informational Order, ECF No. 7 at 2:7-8.)