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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
9	FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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11	ROBERT WILLIAMS,	No. 2:17-cv-1377 CKD P
12	Plaintiff,	
13	v.	
14	GERARDO ALCALA, et al.,	ORDER
15	Defendants.	
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17	Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed a civil rights action pursuant to 42	
18	U.S.C. § 1983. In his complaint, plaintiff alleges violations of his civil rights by defendants. The	
19	alleged violations took place in Fresno County, which is part of the Fresno Division of the United	
20	States District Court for the Eastern District of California. See Local Rule 120(d).	
21	Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in the proper	
22	division of a court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper division of the	
23	court. Therefore, this action will be transferred to the Fresno Division of the court. In light of	
24	1996 amendments to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, this court will not rule on plaintiff's request to proceed in	
25	forma pauperis.	
26	Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:	
27	1. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of	
28	California sitting in Fresno; and	

1		ilings shall reference the new Fresno case number assigned and shall be
2	filed at:	United States District Court
3		Eastern District of California 2500 Tulare Street
4		Fresno, CA 93721
5	Dated: July 11, 2017	C 1 1 Dala
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7		CAROLYN K. DELANEY UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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