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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

EDWARD J. JOHANNECK
Plaintiff,
v.
PAM AHLIN, et al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 1:18-cv-00051-EPG (PC)
New Case No. 1:18-cv-00051-LJO-MJS (PC)
**ORDER RELATING CASES AND
REASSIGNING ACTION TO DISTRICT
JUDGE LAWRENCE J. O'NEILL AND
MAGISTRATE JUDGE MICHAEL J. SENG**

On January 11, 2018, Plaintiff filed this Civil Rights Complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. section 1983 challenging emergency amendments to Cal. Code Regs. tit. 9, § 4350 as violating the U.S. Constitution. (ECF No. 1.)

The Court's review of this case reveals that it is related under Local Rule 123 to the action entitled Rainwater v. Allen, 1:18-cv-00049-LJO-MJS. Both actions are based on the same underlying facts and involve overlapping questions of law and fact.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The Office of the Clerk shall relate this case with case 1:18-cv-00049-LJO-MJS;
2. This case shall be assigned to the docket of District Judge Lawrence J. O'Neill and reassigned to the docket of Magistrate Judge Michael J. Seng
3. The new case number shall be:

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and all future pleadings and/or correspondence must be so numbered.
Use of an incorrect case number or incorrect judge's initials may result in
delay in processing documents and distribution of copies to the judge
assigned.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 16, 2018

1st Michael J. Seng
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE