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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JESUS CHIPREZ,
Plaintiff,
v.
M.E. SPEARMAN,
Defendant.

1:18-cv-00727-DAD-SKO (PC)

ORDER TRANSFERRING CASE TO THE
SACRAMENTO DIVISION OF THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed a civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983, together with a request to proceed in forma pauperis pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

In his complaint, plaintiff alleges violations of his civil rights by defendants. The alleged violations took place in Lassen County, which is part of the Sacramento Division of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California.¹ Therefore, this action should have been filed in the Sacramento Division.

Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in the proper court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper court. Therefore, this action will be transferred to the Sacramento Division.

¹ Plaintiff opened this action via writ of habeas corpus. (Doc. 1.) Upon election to proceed under § 1983, Plaintiff filed the Complaint, which now indicates that the events he bases this action on occurred at High Desert State Prison, which is located in Lassen County. (Doc. 19, p. 1.)

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Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California sitting in Sacramento; and

2. All future filings shall refer to the new Sacramento case number assigned and shall be filed at:

United States District Court
Eastern District of California
501 "I" Street, Suite 4-200
Sacramento, CA 95814

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 9, 2019

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE