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8	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
9	FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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11	WILLIAM A. PROCTOR,	No. 2:96-CV-1401-JAM-DMC
12	Petitioner,	DEATH PENALTY CASE
13	V.	<u>ORDER</u>
14	RON BROOMFIELD ¹ , et al.,	
15	Respondents.	
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17	Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding with appointed counsel, brings this petition	
18	for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.	
19 20	As outlined in Respondents' October 8, 2020, filing, this matter is ready for merits	
20	briefing on the merits of all remaining claims. See ECF No. 347. The parties are hereby directed	
21 22	to meet and confer and submit to the Court within 30 days of the date of this order a stipulated proposed briefing schedule.	
22	IT IS SO ORDERED.	
23 24	Dated: August 26, 2021	
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26		DENNIS M. COTA UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
27	¹ Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 25(d), Ron Broomfield is substituted	
28	for his predecessor. The Clerk of the Court is directed to update the docket to reflect the above caption.	
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