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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

EARNEST CASSELL WOODS, II,
Plaintiff,
v.
TOM L. CAREY, et al.,
Defendants.

No. 2:04-cv-1225 MCE AC P

ORDER

On August 20, 2015, a settlement conference was held in this case and an agreement was reached. ECF No. 352. Several weeks after the conclusion of the settlement conference, defendant filed a motion to enforce the settlement agreement, in which he alleged that plaintiff was refusing to sign the written agreement memorializing the agreed-upon terms or to sign the dismissal paperwork in compliance with the oral agreement because he felt that the agreed settlement amount was insufficient. ECF No. 353. By order filed January 15, 2016, the District Judge adopted findings and recommendations granting defendant's motion and dismissed the case with prejudice. ECF No. 387. By the same order, the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation was required to deposit the settlement funds with the Clerk of the Court pending the resolution of any appeal. Id. at 2. Plaintiff appealed the judgement. ECF No. 389. On March 20, 2018, the Ninth Circuit affirmed the judgment (ECF No. 394) and the mandate has recently been entered (ECF No. 395).

