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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 RICHARD EDWARD RICHARDSON,

11 Petitioner,

No. CIV S-06-0499 LKK DAD P

12 vs.

13 TOM L. CAREY, Warden, et al.,

14 Respondents.

ORDER15 _____/
16 Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed an application for a writ of
17 habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner has not paid the required filing fee or
18 submitted an application to proceed in forma pauperis.19 Petitioner's application for writ of habeas corpus challenges a judgment of
20 conviction entered by the Kern County Superior Court in Bakersfield, California. Cases arising
21 in Kern County must be filed in the Fresno Division of the United States District Court for the
22 Eastern District of California. See Local Rule 3-120(d). An action that has not been commenced
23 in the proper division of the court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper
24 division of the court. Accordingly, this action will be transferred to the Fresno Division of the
25 court for all further proceedings.

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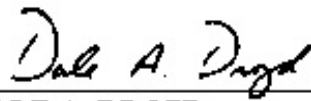
1 Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

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

4 2. All future filings shall reference the new Fresno case number to be assigned
5 and shall be filed at:

6 United States District Court
7 Eastern District of California
8 2500 Tulare Street
9 Fresno, CA 93721

9 DATED: March 17, 2006.

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12 DALE A. DROZD
13 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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