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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RICHARD LAWRENCE ISGRIGG,

Plaintiff,

No. CIV S-06-2720 GEB EFB P

vs.

CDC,

Defendant.

ORDER

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Plaintiff is a prisoner without counsel seeking relief for alleged civil rights violations. *See* 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The court has reviewed the papers plaintiff filed and, for the reasons stated, finds that this action should have been filed in a different district.

A civil action, other than one based on diversity jurisdiction, must be brought in “(1) a judicial district where any defendant resides, if all defendants reside in the same State, (2) a judicial district in which a substantial part of the events or omissions giving rise to the claim occurred, or a substantial part of property that is the subject of the action is situated, or (3) a judicial district in which any defendant may be found, if there is no district in which the action may otherwise be brought.” 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b).

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1 Here, most defendants are located in Monterey County and the claim arose in Monterey  
2 County, California which is in the Northern District of California. 28 U.S.C. § 84(a). Therefore,  
3 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a), this action is transferred to the United States District Court for  
4 the Northern District of California. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a); *Starnes v. McGuire*, 512 F.2d 918,  
5 932 (D.C. Cir. 1974).

6 So ordered.

7 Dated: December 7, 2006.

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9 EDMUND F. BRENNAN  
10 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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