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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 KATHLEEN MCLAUGHLIN

No. 2:07-cv-02498-MCE-GGH

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

ORDER

14 SOLANO COUNTY, CHRISTINA
15 LINVILE a.k.a. CHRISTINA
16 ARAGUSTO and MICHELE HARRIS
and DOES 1 through 5 inclusive,

17 Defendants.
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19 This matter came on for hearing on January 9, 2009 with
20 respect to the Court's November 12, 2008 Order to Show Cause as to
21 why Plaintiff's lawsuit should not be dismissed given her failure
22 to file a First Amended Complaint. Mr. Williams represented to
23 the Court that he has been unable to communicate with his client
24 since March of 2008, when she informed him that she was
25 terminating him as her attorney and requested that he notify this
26 Court that he was no longer her attorney of record in the present
27 lawsuit. Mr. Williams thereafter sent a Substitution of Attorney
28 form to Plaintiff but to date, has received no response.

1 In light of the time that has now elapsed, counsel for
2 Defendants requested at the time of the hearing that the matter
3 be dismissed for lack of prosecution. Under the circumstances,
4 the Court granted that request. Consequently, this case is
5 hereby dismissed, without prejudice, for failure to prosecute.
6 The Clerk of Court is directed to close the file.

7 IT IS SO ORDERED.

8 Dated: January 12, 2009

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11 MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR.
12 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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