

The Honorable John C. Coughenour

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

TOVIA LAFAELE,

Plaintiff,

CASE NO. CIV 08-0958-JCC

vs.

J. ARNOLD, J. L. HERRERA,

Defendants.

ORDER AND ORDER DIRECTING SERVICE
BY THE UNITED STATES MARSHAL
WITHOUT PREPAYMENT OF COSTS

Plaintiff is proceeding in forma pauperis pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. By order filed April 21, 2009, the court determined that plaintiff's complaint states a cognizable claim for relief against defendants J. Arnold and J.L. Herrera, and ordered plaintiff to provide information for service of process on form USM-285, a completed summons, sufficient copies of the complaint for service, and a notice of compliance. Plaintiff has filed the required papers. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The Clerk of the Court is directed to forward the instructions for service of process, the completed summons, copies of the complaint, and copies of this order to the United States Marshal.

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1 2. Within ten days from the date of this order, the United States Marshal is
2 directed to notify defendants J. Arnold and J.L. Herrera of the commencement of this action
3 and to request a waiver of service of summons in accordance with the provisions of Fed. R.
4 Civ. P. 4(d) and 28 U.S.C. § 566(c).

5 3. The United States Marshal is directed to retain the sealed summons and a
6 copy of the complaint in their file for future use.

7 4. The United States Marshal shall file returned waivers of service of summons
8 as well as any requests for waivers that are returned as undelivered as soon as they are
9 received.

10 5. If a waiver of service of summons is not returned by a defendant within sixty
11 days from the date of mailing the request for waiver, the United States Marshal shall:

12 a. Personally serve process and a copy of this order upon the defendant
13 pursuant to Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and 28 U.S.C.
14 § 566(c) and shall command all necessary assistance from the California
15 Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDC) to execute this
16 order. The United States Marshal shall maintain the confidentiality of
17 all information provided by the CDC pursuant to this order.

18 b. Within ten days after personal service is effected, the United States
19 Marshal shall file the return of service for the defendant, along with
20 evidence of any attempts to secure a waiver of service of summons and
21 of the costs subsequently incurred in effecting service on said defendant.
22 Said costs shall be enumerated on the USM-285 form and shall include
23 the costs incurred by the Marshal's office for photocopying additional
24 copies of the summons and complaint and for preparing new USM-285
25 forms, if required. Costs of service will be taxed against the personally
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1 served defendant in accordance with the provisions of Fed. R. Civ. P.
2 4(d)(2).

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4 6. Defendants shall reply to the complaint within the time provided by the
5 applicable provisions of Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a).

6 7. Unless otherwise ordered, all motions to dismiss, motions for summary
7 judgment, motions concerning discovery, motions pursuant to Rules 7, 11, 12, 15, 41, 55, 56,
8 59 and 60 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and motions pursuant to Local Rule 11-110
9 shall be briefed pursuant to Local Rule 78-230(m). Failure to oppose such a motion timely
10 may be deemed a waiver of opposition to the motion. Opposition to all other motions need be
11 filed only as directed by the court.

12 8. If plaintiff is released from prison at any time during the pendency of this
13 case, any party may request application of other provisions of Local Rule 78-230 in lieu of
14 Local Rule 78-230(m). In the absence of a court order granting such a request, the provisions
15 of Local Rule 78-230(m) will govern all motions described in #7 above regardless of plaintiff's
16 custodial status. See Local Rule 1-102(d).

17 9. Pursuant to Wyatt v. Terhune, 315 F.3d 1108, 1120 n.14 (9th Cir. 2003),
18 plaintiff is advised of the following requirements for opposing a motion to dismiss for failure
19 to exhaust administrative remedies made by defendant pursuant to non-enumerated Rule 12(b)
20 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Such a motion is a request for dismissal of
21 unexhausted claims without prejudice. The defendant may submit affidavits or declarations
22 under penalty of perjury and admissible documentation to support the motion to dismiss. To
23 oppose the motion, plaintiff may likewise file declarations under penalty of perjury and
24 admissible documentation. Plaintiff may rely upon statements made under the penalty of
25 perjury in the complaint if the complaint shows that plaintiff has personal knowledge of the
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1 matters stated and plaintiff calls to the court's attention those parts of the complaint upon
2 which plaintiff relies. Plaintiff may serve and file one or more affidavits or declarations by
3 other persons who have personal knowledge of relevant matters. Plaintiff may also rely upon
4 written records, but plaintiff must prove that the records are what plaintiff claims they are. If
5 plaintiff fails to contradict defendant's evidence with admissible evidence, the court may rely
6 on the defendant's evidence. In the event both sides submit matters outside the pleadings, the
7 court may look beyond the pleadings and decide disputed issues of fact. If plaintiff does not
8 serve and file a written opposition to the motion, the court may consider the failure to act as a
9 waiver of opposition to the defendant's motion. If the defendant's motion to dismiss, whether
10 opposed or unopposed, is granted, plaintiff's unexhausted claims will be dismissed without
11 prejudice.

12 10. Pursuant to Rand v. Rowland, 154 F.3d 952, 957 (9th Cir. 1998) (en banc),
13 cert. denied, 527 U.S. 1035 (1999), and Klinge v. Eikenberry, 849 F.2d 409 (9th Cir. 1988),
14 plaintiff is advised of the following requirements for opposing a motion for summary judgment
15 made by defendants pursuant to Rule 56 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Such a
16 motion is a request for an order for judgment in favor of defendants without trial. A
17 defendant's motion for summary judgment will set forth the facts that the defendants contend
18 are not reasonably subject to dispute and that entitle the defendants to judgment. To oppose a
19 motion for summary judgment, plaintiff must show proof of his or her claims. Plaintiff may do
20 this in one or more of the following ways. Plaintiff may rely upon statements made under the
21 penalty of perjury in the complaint if the complaint shows that plaintiff has personal
22 knowledge of the matters stated and plaintiff calls to the court's attention those parts of the
23 complaint upon which plaintiff relies. Plaintiff may serve and file one or more affidavits or
24 declarations setting forth the facts that plaintiff believes prove plaintiff's claims; the person
25 who signs an affidavit or declaration must have personal knowledge of the facts stated.
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1 Plaintiff may rely upon written records, but plaintiff must prove that the records are what
2 plaintiff claims they are. Plaintiff may rely upon all or any part of the transcript of one or more
3 depositions, answers to interrogatories, or admissions obtained in this proceeding. If plaintiff
4 fails to contradict the defendants' evidence with counteraffidavits or other admissible evidence,
5 the defendants' evidence may be taken as the truth and the defendants' motion for summary
6 judgment granted. If there is some good reason why such facts are not available to plaintiff
7 when required to oppose a motion for summary judgment, the court will consider a request to
8 postpone considering the defendants' motion. If plaintiff does not serve and file a written
9 opposition to the motion or a request to postpone consideration of the motion, the court may
10 consider the failure to act as a waiver of opposition to the defendants' motion. If the
11 defendants' motion for summary judgment, whether opposed or unopposed, is granted,
12 judgment will be entered for the defendants without a trial and the case will be closed.

13 11. A motion or opposition supported by unsigned affidavits or declarations
14 will be stricken.

15 12. Each party shall keep the court informed of a current address at all times
16 while the action is pending. Any change of address must be reported promptly to the court in a
17 separate document captioned for this case and entitled "Notice of Change of Address." A
18 notice of change of address must be properly served on other parties. Pursuant to Local Rule
19 83-182(f), service of documents at the record address of a party is fully effective. Failure to
20 inform the court of a change of address may result in the imposition of sanctions including
21 dismissal of the action.

22 13. The Clerk of the Court shall serve upon plaintiff a copy of the Local Rules
23 of Court.

24 14. The failure of any party to comply with this order, the Federal Rules of
25 Civil Procedure, or the Local Rules of Court may result in the imposition of sanctions
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1 including, but not limited to, dismissal of the action or entry of default. Fed. R. Civ. P. 11;
2 Local Rule 11-110.

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4 DATED this 14th day of September, 2009.

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7 A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John C. Coughenour", is written over a horizontal line.

8 John C. Coughenour
9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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