1 2 3 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 4 5 ROBERT CUNNINGHAM, 6 Plaintiff, Case No. 2:08-CV-1215-MJP 7 vs. C/O RODRIGUEZ, et al., 8 9 Defendants. ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO PROCEED IN 10 FORMA PAUPERIS 11 12 On August 18, 2009, the Court received Plaintiff's motion to proceed in forma pauperis 13 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. (Dkt. No. 14.) Plaintiff's complaint seeks relief pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The Court orders as follows: 14 15 (1) Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis is GRANTED. Plaintiff does 16 not appear to have the funds available to afford the filing fee. 17 (2) The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order to Plaintiff and to issue 18 summonses to Plaintiff to enable proper service of the complaint on the 19 appropriate parties. Plaintiff shall note that it is his and/or his attorney's 20 responsibility to properly serve copies of the complaint along with appropriate 21 summonses as required by Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. 22 Dated this 16th day of September, 2009. 23 24 25 United States District Judge 26