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

TIMOTHY WATTS,

No. CIV S-09-1515-CMK-P

Plaintiff,

vs.

ORDER

R. RAMOS, et al.,

Defendants.

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Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, brings this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. This matter has now been at issue for sufficient time that it may be ready to be set for trial. The parties shall therefore each submit to the court and serve by mail on all other parties a report on the status of this case. The report must address the following:

1. Whether this matter is ready for trial and, if not, why not;
2. Whether additional discovery is deemed necessary and, if so, the nature and scope of the discovery and the time needed in which to complete it;
3. Whether a pretrial motion is contemplated and, if so, the type of motion and the time needed to file the motion and complete the time schedule set forth in Local Rule 230(m);

- 1 4. A narrative statement of the facts that will be offered by oral or
2 documentary evidence at trial;
- 3 5. A list of all exhibits to be offered into evidence at the trial of the case;
- 4 6. A list of the names and addresses of all witnesses the party intends to call;
- 5 7. A summary of the anticipated testimony of any incarcerated witnesses;
- 6 8. The time estimated for trial;
- 7 9. Whether either party still requests trial by jury;
- 8 10. As to any defendants who remain unserved, the parties shall address
9 whether such defendants should be dismissed under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m); and
- 10 11. Any other matter, not covered above, which the party desires to call to the
11 attention of the court.

12 The parties are warned that failure to file a status report which addresses the
13 issues set forth above may result in the imposition of appropriate sanctions, including dismissal
14 of the action or preclusion of issues or witnesses. See Local Rule 110.

15 The parties are informed that they may, if all consent, have this case tried by a
16 United States Magistrate Judge while preserving their right to appeal to the United States Court
17 of Appeals. An appropriate form for consent to trial by a Magistrate Judge is attached. Any
18 party choosing to consent may complete the form and return it to the clerk of this court. Neither
19 the Magistrate Judge nor the District Judge handling the case will be notified of the filing of a
20 consent form unless all parties to the action have consented.

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