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8 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

9 DONALD L. STEVENS,

Plaintiff,

No. CIV S-09-2111 GGH P

VS.

12 MATT FUCHS, et al.,

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Defendants. FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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By an order filed August 10, 2009, plaintiff was ordered to file a completed in forma pauperis affidavit within thirty days and was cautioned that failure to do so would result in a recommendation that this action be dismissed. The thirty-day period has now expired, and plaintiff has not responded to the court's order and has not filed an in forma pauperis affidavit or paid the appropriate filing fee. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY RECOMMENDED that this action be dismissed without prejudice. The Clerk of Court is directed to assign a district judge to this case.

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These findings and recommendations are submitted to the United States District Judge assigned to the case, pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(l). Within twenty days after being served with these findings and recommendations, any party may file written objections with the court and serve a copy on all parties. Such a document should be captioned "Objections to Magistrate Judge's Findings and Recommendations." Any reply to the objections

shall be served and filed within ten days after service of the objections. The parties are advised that failure to file objections within the specified time may waive the right to appeal the District Court's order. Martinez v. Ylst, 951 F.2d 1153 (9th Cir. 1991). DATED: October 30, 2009 /s/ Gregory G. Hollows UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE stev2111.fifp