

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

BENJAMIN BECK,

Petitioner, No. 2:11-cv-1991 KJN H

VS.

FRANK CHAVEZ,

Respondent. **ORDER**

16 Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding without counsel, has filed an application for
17 a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, together with a request to proceed in forma
18 pauperis. In his application, petitioner challenges a conviction issued by the Tuolumne County
19 Superior Court. Tuolumne County is part of the Fresno Division of the United States District
20 Court for the Eastern District of California. See Local Rule 120(d).

21 Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in
22 the proper division of a court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper
23 division of the court. Therefore, this action will be transferred to the Fresno Division of the
24 court. This court will not rule on petitioner's request to proceed in forma pauperis.

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1 Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

2 1. This court has not ruled on petitioner's request to proceed in forma pauperis;

3 2. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern

4 District of California sitting in Fresno; and

5 3. All future filings shall reference the new Fresno case number assigned and

6 shall be filed at:

7 United States District Court
8 Eastern District of California
9 2500 Tulare Street
Fresno, CA 93721

10 DATED: August 5, 2011

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12 KENDALL J. NEWMAN
13 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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