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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
9	FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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11	CIRON B. SPRINGFIELD,	No. 2:12-CV-2552 AC P
12	Plaintiff,	
13	v.	ORDER
14	VISMAL J. SINGH,	
15	Defendants.	
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17	Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis in an action pursuant	
18	to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. As set forth in the Order filed on June 27, 2013 (ECF No. 24), this court	
19	found certain of plaintiff's claims in his first amended complaint to be colorable. However,	
20	plaintiff's conspiracy claims were dismissed with leave to amend within 28 days. Plaintiff was	
21	also provided the option to proceed on the amended complaint without delaying service of	
22	process by consenting to the dismissal of his claims of conspiracy. ECF No. 24 at 5. Plaintiff	
23	was provided the forms necessary for the completion of service of process upon sixteen	
24	defendants named in his first amended complaint. Id. Although plaintiff has not yet returned the	
25	form indicating his consent to the dismissal of those claims, such consent appears to be implicit in	
26	his recent request filed on July 15, 2013. ECF No. 25. Plaintiff states that he is housed at Salinas	
27	Valley State Prison Department State Hospital [sic], where there is no access to a paging system,	
28	the law library or a copy machine. <u>Id.</u> Plaintiff asks the court to provide the copies necessary	
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"for summons." Id. Plaintiff's first amended complaint (FAC) is 103 pages in length including exhibits. ECF No. 21. However, the body of the FAC is comprised of 24 pages. Therefore, plaintiff need only provide to the court, in addition to the copy the court has previously provided plaintiff, sixteen copies of the first 24 pages of his FAC in order for the court to be able to order service upon the defendants. He must provide only one completed summons itself, as well as the completed USM-285 forms. If plaintiff cannot obtain the requisite copies of the FAC by contacting the prison official responsible for ensuring that inmates at plaintiff's institution retain their ability to access the courts, then plaintiff must provide the name and location of any such individual to the court and the reason stated for denying plaintiff's copies. The Clerk of the Court will also provide plaintiff with information regarding the process and cost for the Clerk's Office to provide copies of documents. DATED: July 19, 2013

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ALLISON CLAIRE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE