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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

WILLIAM JAMES JOHNSON,
Petitioner,
v.
RALPH M. DIAZ,
Respondent.

No. 2:12-cv-2565-TLN-EFB P

ORDER

Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed this application for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. On March 31, 2014, the court denied respondent’s motion to dismiss petitioner’s claim that the State is currently refusing to refer him to the Board of Parole Hearings for a parole suitability determination.

Accordingly, it is hereby ordered that:


1. Respondent shall file and serve an answer in response to petitioner’s application within 60 days from the date of this order. See Rule 4, Rules Governing § 2254 Cases. Any response shall be accompanied by any and all transcripts or other documents relevant to the determination of the issues presented in the application. See Rules 4, 5, Rules Governing § 2254 Cases.

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2. Petitioner's reply, if any, shall be filed and served within 30 days of service of an answer.

Dated: April 2, 2014.


EDMUND F. BRENNAN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE