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| 11 | MICHAEL GRESS,  | No. 2:13-cv-0328 KJN P                              |
| 12 | Plaintiff,  |   |
| 13 | v.  | <u>ORDER</u>  |
| 14 | C. SMITH, et al.,   |   |
| 15 | Defendants.   |   |
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| 17 | Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding without counsel. On August 22, 2013, this matter   |   |
| 18 | came on for initial status/mediation conference. Plaintiff appeared telephonically; Deputy  |   |
| 19 | Attorney General Kevin Reager made a special appearance. Good cause appearing, IT IS        |   |
| 20 | HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff shall file, within thirty days from the date of this order, a |   |
| 21 | motion for appointment of counsel.  |   |
| 22 | Dated: August 23, 2013  |   |
| 23 |   | Fordal J. Newman                                    |
| 24 |   | KENDALL J. NEWMAN<br>UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE |
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