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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MICHAEL E. SCHERFFIUS,

Plaintiff,

v.

CHRISTOPHER SMITH, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:13-cv-1277 DB P

ORDER

Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis with a civil rights action under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. He alleges defendants were deliberately indifferent to his medical needs. Plaintiff moves for a stay of these proceedings based on his current medical issues and on medical procedures he will undergo shortly. (ECF No. 51.) Within ten days of the filed date of this order, defendants shall file a response.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: August 28, 2017

/s/ DEBORAH BARNES  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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