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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CIRON B. SPRINGFIELD,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
L. BENDER, et al.,  
Defendants.

No. 2:13-cv-1442 KJN P

ORDER

Plaintiff is a state prisoner, proceeding pro se, with a civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Both parties consented to proceed before the undersigned for all purposes. See 28 U.S.C. § 636(c). The court has determined that this case would benefit from a settlement conference. Therefore, this case will be referred to Magistrate Judge Craig M. Kellison to conduct a settlement conference at the U. S. District Court, 501 I Street, Sacramento, California 95814 in Courtroom #4 on October 22, 2015, at 9:00 a.m.

A separate order and writ of habeas corpus ad testificandum will issue concurrently with this order.

In accordance with the above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. This case is set for a settlement conference before Magistrate Judge Craig M. Kellison on October 22, 2015, at 9:00 a.m., at the U. S. District Court, 501 I Street, Sacramento, California 95814 in Courtroom #4.

1           2. A representative with full and unlimited authority to negotiate and enter into a binding  
2 settlement on the defendants' behalf shall attend in person.

3           3. Those in attendance must be prepared to discuss the claims, defenses and damages.  
4 The failure of any counsel, party or authorized person subject to this order to appear in person  
5 may result in the imposition of sanctions. In addition, the conference will not proceed and will be  
6 reset to another date.

7           4. Judge Kellison or another representative from the court will be contacting the parties  
8 either by telephone or in person, approximately one week prior to the settlement conference, to  
9 ascertain each party's expectations of the settlement conference.

10 Dated: August 3, 2015

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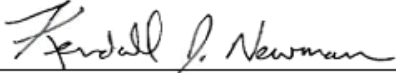
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KENDALL J. NEWMAN  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE