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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Avazian, Gevorg
A070917333,

Plaintiff,

v.

Rand BEERS, Acting Secretary
of Department of Homeland
Security; Alejandro MAYORKAS,
Director, U.S. Citizenship
and Immigration Services;
Mari-Carmen JORDAN, Director,
U.S. Citizenship and
Immigration Services
Sacramento Office; and
Michael C. BIGGS, Field
Officer Director, USCIS,
Sacramento Office,

Defendants.

No. 2:13-cv-02589-GEB-AC

**ORDER IMPOSING MONETARY
SANCTIONS**

An Order to Show Cause ("OSC") filed February 27, 2014, directed Plaintiff to explain in a writing to be filed no later than March 7, 2014, why sanctions should not be imposed against him and/or his counsel for the failure to file a timely status report. (OSC, ECF No. 4.) No response to the OSC has been filed.

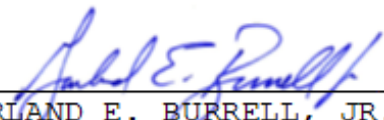
Since Plaintiff's counsel failed to respond to the OSC and failed to file a timely status report without justification, Douglas M. Lehrman, Esq., is sanctioned five hundred dollars

1 (\$500.00). This sanction shall be paid to the Clerk of this Court
2 no later than 4:00 p.m. on March 28, 2014, by a check made
3 payable to the "United States Treasury." Proof of payment shall
4 be filed within five (5) days of payment. This sanction is
5 personal to counsel and shall not be transmitted to counsel's
6 clients.

7 IT IS SO ORDERED.

8 Dated: March 20, 2014

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GARIAND E. BURRELL, JR.
Senior United States District Judge