

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RICHARD JOSE DUPREE, JR.,  
Plaintiff,  
v.  
PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
CALIFORNIA, et al.,  
Defendants.

No. 2:15-cv-0645 KJN P

## ORDER

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
CALIFORNIA, et al.,

18 Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed a civil rights action pursuant to 42  
19 U.S.C. § 1983, together with a request to proceed in forma pauperis. In the complaint, plaintiff  
20 alleges violations of his civil rights by defendants. The alleged violations took place in Fresno  
21 County, which is part of the Fresno Division of the United States District Court for the Eastern  
22 District of California. See Local Rule 120(d).

23 Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in the proper  
24 division of a court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper division of the  
25 court. Therefore, this action will be transferred to the Fresno Division of the court. In light of  
26 1996 amendments to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, this court will not rule on plaintiff's request to proceed in  
27 forma pauperis.

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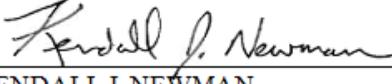
1 Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

2 1. This court has not ruled on plaintiff's request to proceed in forma pauperis;  
3 2. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of  
4 California sitting in Fresno; and

5 3. All future filings shall reference the new Fresno case number assigned and shall be  
6 filed at:

7 United States District Court  
8 Eastern District of California  
2500 Tulare Street  
Fresno, CA 93721

9 Dated: April 2, 2015

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11 KENDALL J. NEWMAN  
12 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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