1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 JOHN W. WILLIAMS, No. 2:15-cv-1057-JAM-EFB P 12 Plaintiff. 13 v. ORDER SCREENING COMPLAINT PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. §1915A 14 CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND 15 REHABILITATION, et al., 16 Defendants. 17 18 Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding pro se in this civil action. He has paid the filing 19 fee. Federal courts must engage in a preliminary screening of cases in which prisoners seek 20 redress from a governmental entity or officer or employee of a governmental entity. 28 U.S.C. 21 § 1915A(a). The court must identify cognizable claims or dismiss the complaint, or any portion 22 of the complaint, if the complaint "is frivolous, malicious, or fails to state a claim upon which 23 relief may be granted," or "seeks monetary relief from a defendant who is immune from such 24 relief." Id. § 1915A(b). The court has reviewed the complaint (ECF No. 1) and for the limited 25 purposes of § 1915A screening and liberally construed, finds that it states potentially cognizable 26 claims against all defendants under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act and section 504 27 of the Rehabilitation Act. 28 /////

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Accordingly, it is hereby ordered that: 1. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915A, the complaint states potentially cognizable claims against all defendants under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act and section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act. 2. The Clerk of the Court shall issue a summons and new case civil documents. DATED: June 8, 2015. EDMUND F. BRENNAN UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE