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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MARIANNE NEIDIGH,
Plaintiff

v.

ROXANNE LORAIN SLAUGH AND
DOES 1 THROUGH 10, INCLUSIVE,
Defendants.

No. 2:16-cv-01664-MCE-GGH

ORDER

Presently before the Court is Defendant ROXANNE SLAUGH’s timely motion to remand the above case to the California Superior Court for the County of El Dorado, based on a defect in her initial removal procedure. Defendant originally removed the case under 28 USC § 1332 based on diversity of citizenship between the parties (ECF No. 1). As Defendant explains in her unopposed motion, however, because Defendant is a citizen of California, such removal was improper under 28 USC § 1441(b)(2) (more commonly known as the “forum defendant rule”).

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1 Good cause having been shown, the Court hereby GRANTS Defendant's motion
2 (ECF No. 4). The Clerk of the Court is directed to remand this case to the originating
3 state court, the Superior Court of California, County of El Dorado, for final adjudication
4 and to close this case.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 Dated: November 1, 2016

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9 MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR.
10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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