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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
8 AT SACRAMENTO  
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10 CHRISTOPHER COULTER,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 THE DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR  
14 FORCE, DEBORAH LEE JAMES,  
15 SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT  
16 OF THE AIR FORCE, UNITED STATES  
17 OF AMERICA, AND DOES 1-20,

18 Defendants.  
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No. 2:16-cv-02076-SB

**ORDER RE: STIPULATION**

20 Before the Court is the parties' Stipulation Withdrawing United States'  
21 Motion to Dismiss; Permitting Filing of Amended Complaint; and Setting  
22 Responsive Deadline, ECF No. 13.

23 The parties indicate the United States is withdrawing its Motion to Dismiss  
24 and ask that Plaintiff be permitted to file his First Amended Complaint and that the  
25 deadline for filing a responsive pleading be set. Good cause exists to grant the  
26 parties' request.

27 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

28 1. The parties' Stipulation Withdrawing United States' Motion to Dismiss;

**ORDER RE: STIPULATION ~ 1**

1 Permitting Filing of Amended Complaint; and Setting Responsive Deadline, ECF  
2 No. 13, is **GRANTED**.

3 2. Defendant's pending Motion to Dismiss, ECF No. 8, is withdrawn and  
4 any related dates are vacated.

5 3. Plaintiff is granted leave to file First Amended Complaint.

6 4. Any responsive pleading shall be filed on or before April 20, 2017.

7 5. The due date for the Joint Status Report is continued until 7 days after  
8 Any Answer is filed in this action.

9 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk of Court is directed to enter this Order  
10 and forward copies to counsel.

11 **DATED** this 29th day of March 2017.

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17 Stanley A. Bastian  
18 United States District Court Judge  
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