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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
9	FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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11	DONNY STEWARD,	No. 2:16-cv-2289 CKD P
12	Plaintiff,	
13	v.	<u>ORDER</u>
14	NGOZI O. IGBINOSA, et al.,	
15	Defendants.	
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17	Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se and in forma pauperis, seeks relief pursuant to	
18	42 U.S.C. § 1983. On January 20, 2017, the complaint was dismissed, and plaintiff was granted	
19	leave to amend. (ECF No. 13.) Plaintiff's amended complaint is now before the court for	
20	screening. (ECF No. 20.) See 28 U.S.C. § 1915A(a). Plaintiff has consented to Magistrate Judge	
21	jurisdiction over all proceedings this action. (ECF No. 6.)	
22	Having reviewed the amended complaint, the undersigned concludes that it fails to cure	
23	the defects of the original complaint as discussed in the January 20, 2017 screening order, or state	
24	a cognizable claim against any defendant. Because it appears that another round of amendment	
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would be futile, the undersigned will dismiss this action without prejudice. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this action is dismissed without prejudice. Dated: March 20, 2017 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE 2 / stew2289.fac