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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

CHARLES R. BRAND,  
Petitioner,

No. 2:16-cv-2550-JAM-CMK-P

vs.

ORDER

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF  
CALIFORNIA,  
Respondent.

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Petitioner, a pretrial detainee in the Rio Consumnes Correctional Center, is proceeding pro se. Petitioner seeks leave to proceed in forma pauperis. Petitioner has submitted the affidavit required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a) showing that petitioner is unable to prepay fees and costs or give security therefor. The request will be granted.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that petitioner’s motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis (Doc. 6) is granted.

DATED: May 2, 2017

  
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**CRAIG M. KELLISON**  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE