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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CAESAR RAYMOND FONTILLAS,
Petitioner,
v.
ERIC ARNOLD, Warden,
Respondent.

No. 2:16-cv-2799 MCE DB P

ORDER

Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Petitioner paid the filing fee.

Since petitioner may be entitled to relief if the claimed violation of constitutional rights is proved, respondent will be directed to file a response to petitioner’s habeas petition.

In accordance with the above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. Respondent is directed to file a response to petitioner’s habeas petition within sixty days from the date of this order. See Rule 4, 28 U.S.C. foll. § 2254. An answer shall be accompanied by all transcripts and other documents relevant to the issues presented in the petition. See Rule 5, 28 U.S.C. foll. § 2254;


2. If the response to the habeas petition is an answer, petitioner’s reply, if any, shall be filed and served within thirty days after service of the answer;

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1 3. If the response to the habeas petition is a motion, petitioner's opposition or statement
2 of non-opposition to the motion shall be filed and served within thirty days after service of the
3 motion, and respondent's reply, if any, shall be filed and served within fourteen days thereafter;
4 and

5 4. The Clerk of the Court shall serve a copy of this order, the form Consent to Proceed
6 Before a United States Magistrate Judge, and a copy of the petition for writ of habeas corpus
7 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254 on Michael Patrick Farrell, Senior Assistant Attorney General.

8 Dated: March 8, 2017

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12 DEBORAH BARNES
13 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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