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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11 RAS HEZEKIAH TAFARI,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE;  
15 MEGAN J. BRENNAN, Postmaster  
General,

16 Defendants.  
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No. 2:17-cv-113-MCE-EFB PS

ORDER

18 Plaintiff has requested authority under 28 U.S.C. § 1915 to proceed *in forma pauperis*,  
19 and has submitted an affidavit purporting to demonstrate that he is unable to prepay fees and costs  
20 or give security for them. ECF No. 2. However, a review of the affidavit reveals that it has not  
21 been signed. Accordingly, plaintiff is directed to file, within fourteen days of this order, a further  
22 affidavit which is dated and signed under penalty of perjury. The court will then resume  
23 consideration of plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

24 DATED: January 23, 2017.

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26 EDMUND F. BRENNAN  
27 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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