1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 ETUATE SEKONA, No. 2:17-cv-0346-EFB P 12 Plaintiff. 13 **ORDER** v. 14 JOE A. LIZARRAGA, et al., 15 Defendants. 16 17 Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding without counsel in an action brought under 42 18 U.S.C. § 1983. To proceed with a civil action a plaintiff must pay the \$400 filing fee required by 19 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a) or request leave to proceed in forma pauperis and submit the affidavit and 20 trust account statement required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a). Plaintiff has neither paid the fee nor 21 submitted a proper application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis. 22 Accordingly, plaintiff has 30 days from the date of service of this order to submit either 23 the filing fee or the application required by § 1915(a). The Clerk of the Court is directed to mail 24 to plaintiff a form application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis. Failure to comply with this 25 order may result in the dismissal of this action. 26 So ordered. 27 Dated: February 21, 2017. EDMUND F. BRENNAN 28 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE