

1 For screening purposes, the complaint appears to state a cognizable claim for relief under
2 The Americans with Disabilities Act and comparable state laws. If the allegations of the
3 complaint are proven, plaintiff has a reasonable opportunity to prevail on the merits of this action.

4 II. CONCLUSION

5 For the reasons stated above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

6 1. Plaintiff's request for leave to proceed in forma pauperis (ECF No. 2), is GRANTED.

7 2. Service is appropriate for the following defendants:

- 8 o California Department of Fair Employment and Housing
- 9 o Sonja Thurman

10 3. The Clerk of the Court is directed to issue forthwith, and the U.S. Marshal is directed
11 to serve within ninety days of the date of this order, all process pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil
12 Procedure 4, without prepayment of costs.

13 4. The Clerk of the Court shall send plaintiff the above: one USM-285, one summons, a
14 copy of the complaint, and an appropriate form for consent to trial by a magistrate judge.

15 5. Plaintiff is directed to supply the U.S. Marshal, within 15 days from the date this order
16 is filed, all information needed by the Marshal to effect service of process, and shall promptly file
17 a statement with the court that said documents have been submitted to the United States Marshal.

18 The court anticipates that, to effect service, the U.S. Marshal will require, for each defendant in
19 ¶ 3, above, at least:

- 20 a. One completed summons;
- 21 b. One completed USM-285 form;
- 22 c. One copy of the endorsed filed complaint, with an extra copy for the U.S.
23 Marshal;
- 24 d. One copy of the instant order; and
- 25 e. An appropriate form for consent to trial by a magistrate judge.

26 6. In the event the U.S. Marshal is unable, for any reason whatsoever, to effect service on
27 any defendant within 90 days from the date of this order, the Marshal is directed to report that
28 fact, and the reasons for it, to the undersigned.

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7. The Clerk of the Court is directed to serve a copy of this order on the U.S. Marshal,
501 "I" Street, Sacramento, Ca., 95814, Tel. No. (916) 930-2030.

8. Failure to comply with this order may result in a recommendation that this action be
dismissed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: August 7, 2017



ALLISON CLAIRE
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

LEONARDO RAMOS,

Plaintiff,

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FAIR EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSING
and SONJA THURMAN,

Defendants.

No. 2:17-cv-1610 TLN AC (PS)

NOTICE OF SUBMISSION

Plaintiff has submitted the following documents to the U.S. Marshal, in compliance with the court's order filed _____:

- _____ completed summons form
- _____ completed USM-285 form
- _____ copy of the complaint
- _____ completed form to consent or decline to consent to magistrate judge jurisdiction

Date

Plaintiff's Signature