1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 SEAN MICHAEL PELTON, No. 2:21-CV-1968-TLN-DMC-P 12 Plaintiff, 13 **ORDER** v. 14 AMADOR COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, 15 Defendant. 16 17 Plaintiff, a pre-trial detainee proceeding pro se, brings this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Pending before the Court is Plaintiff's "Motion to Delay," which 18 19 the Court construes as a motion for an extension of time to file an opposition to Defendant's 20 motion for summary judgment. 21 In his motion, Plaintiff states that he has not received Defendant's motion for 22 summary judgment. According to Plaintiff, mail directed to Plaintiff at or about the time 23 Defendant's motion for summary judgment was served was not delivered to Plaintiff because it contained a foreign object, specifically a CD. A review of the docket reflects that Defendant has 24 25 lodged with the pending motion for summary judgment a video exhibit on CD. It thus appears 26 that this was the mail which was not delivered to Plaintiff. /// 27 /// 28 1

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Good cause appearing therefor, the Court will direct that Defendant re-serve its notion for summary judgment without the video exhibit on CD in order to allow the mail to be eceived by Plaintiff. Defendant shall also be required to coordinate with staff at the Fresno County Jail to facilitate Plaintiff's viewing of the video exhibit so that Plaintiff may prepare his pposition brief. The Court will also extend the time for Plaintiff to file his opposition brief and ny supporting exhibits.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

- 1. Plaintiff's "Motion to Delay" is construed as a motion for an extension of ime to file an opposition to Defendant's motion for summary judgment and, so construed, is GRANTED.
- 2. Defendant is directed to re-serve its motion for summary judgment on laintiff without the video exhibit on CD within 10 days of the date of this order.
- 3. Defendant is further directed to coordinate with staff at the Fresno County ail to facilitate Plaintiff's viewing of the video exhibit within 20 days of the date of this order.
- 4. Within 5 days of Plaintiff's viewing of the video exhibit, Defendant shall ile a notice of compliance.
- 5. Plaintiff's opposition to Defendant's motion for summary judgment is due within 30 days of the date of Defendant's notice of compliance.
- 6. Defendant may file a reply brief within 20 days of the date of service of Plaintiff's opposition brief.

Dated: June 3, 2024

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE