

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
2 Northern District of California

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4 HOWARD DIXON,

No. C 11-05217 MEJ

5 Plaintiff,

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

6 v.

7 SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT,

8 Defendants.  
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9 On October 25, 2011, Plaintiff Howard Dixon filed the above-captioned complaint, as well  
10 as an application to proceed in forma pauperis. On October 31, 2011, the Court ordered Plaintiff to  
11 either consent or decline magistrate jurisdiction by November 15, 2011. (Dkt. No. 4.) Because  
12 Plaintiff failed to comply with this deadline, the Court again ordered Plaintiff to consent or decline,  
13 with a new deadline of November 28, 2011. (Dkt. No. 6.) Plaintiff failed to respond.

14 Based on Plaintiff's inaction, the Court hereby ORDERS Plaintiff Howard Dixon to show  
15 cause why this case should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute and failure to comply with court  
16 deadlines. Plaintiff shall file a declaration by December 8, 2011. If Plaintiff files a responsive  
17 declaration, the Court shall either issue an order based on the declaration or conduct a hearing on  
18 December 22, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. in Courtroom B, 15th Floor, 450 Golden Gate Avenue, San  
19 Francisco, California. If Plaintiff fails to file a responsive pleading, Plaintiff is hereby informed that  
20 the Court may dismiss the case without a hearing. Thus, it is imperative that Plaintiff file a written  
21 response by the deadline above.

22 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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24 Dated: November 29, 2011

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26 Maria-Elena James  
27 Chief United States Magistrate Judge  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California.

That on November 29, 2011, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle located in the Clerk's office.

Howard Dixon  
2363 Grande Vista Place  
Oakland, CA 94621

Dated: November 29, 2011

Richard W. Wieking, Clerk  
By: Brenda Tolbert, Deputy Clerk