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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JORDACHE L. STEPTER, F57784,	)	
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Plaintiff(s),	)	No. C 11-5733 CRB (PR)
	)	
vs.	)	ORDER OF TRANSFER
	)	
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF	)	(Docket # 2)
CORRECTIONS, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendant(s).	)	
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Plaintiff, a prisoner at Avenal State Prison, has filed a pro se civil rights complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. A substantial part of the events or omissions giving rise to the claim(s) occurred, and the defendants named reside, in the Counties of Kings and Sacramento, which lie within the venue of the Eastern District of California. See 28 U.S.C. § 84(b). Venue therefore properly lies in the Eastern District. See id. § 1391(b).

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that, in the interest of justice and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a), this action be TRANSFERRED to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California.

The clerk shall transfer this matter and terminate all pending motions as moot.

SO ORDERED.

DATED: Dec. 7, 2011

  
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 CHARLES R. BREYER  
 United States District Judge