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

JUSTIN MERRIMAN,  
Plaintiff,

No. C 15-01715 WHA

v.


GOVERNOR JERRY BROWN,  
WARDEN RON DAVIS, OFFICER  
SMITH, OFFICER TIERNEY, DOES 1 to  
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Defendants.

**REQUEST FOR RESPONSE**

Plaintiff timely sought leave to add the State of California as a defendant in this action and to file an amended complaint accordingly. Defendants did not respond to the motion. By **JUNE 1 AT NOON**, defendants will please state whether they oppose this motion.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: May 27, 2016.

  
WILLIAM ALSUP  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE