1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 WILLIAM SOTO, G-49875, 12 Petitioner, No. C 16-0578 CRB (PR) 13 **ORDER GRANTING** VS. LEAVE TO PROCEED IFP 14 SONOMA COUNTY, 15 (Dkt. #7) Respondent. 16 Based solely on petitioner's affidavit of poverty, his request for leave to 17 18 proceed in forma pauperis (IFP) (dkt. #7) is GRANTED. 19 SO ORDERED. DATED: Feb. 25, 2016 20 CHARLES R. BREYER 21 United States District Judge 22 23 24 25 26 27 28