

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

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4 STEPHEN LIEBB, No. C 10-02377 CW (PR)
5 Petitioner, ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
6 v.
7 VINCENT CULLEN, Acting Warden,
8 Respondent.

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10 Petitioner, a state prisoner, has filed this petition for a
11 writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. He has paid
12 the \$5.00 filing fee. It does not appear from the face of the
13 petition that it is without merit. Good cause appearing, the Court
14 hereby issues the following orders:

15 1. The Clerk of the Court shall serve a copy of this Order
16 and the petition and all attachments thereto upon Respondent and
17 Respondent's attorney, the Attorney General of the State of
18 California. The Clerk shall also serve a copy of this Order on
19 Petitioner at his current address.

20 2. Respondent shall file with this Court and serve upon
21 Petitioner, within one-hundred twenty (120) days of the issuance of
22 this Order, an Answer conforming in all respects to Rule 5 of the
23 Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases, showing cause why a writ of
24 habeas corpus should not be issued. Respondent shall file with the
25 Answer a copy of all portions of the relevant state records that
26 have been transcribed previously and that are relevant to a
27 determination of the issues presented by the petition.

28 3. If Petitioner wishes to respond to the Answer, he shall
do so by filing a Traverse with the Court and serving it on

1 Respondent within sixty (60) days of his receipt of the Answer.
2 Should Petitioner fail to do so, the petition will be deemed
3 submitted and ready for decision sixty (60) days after the date
4 Petitioner is served with Respondent's Answer.

5 4. Respondent may file with this Court and serve upon
6 Petitioner, within sixty (60) days of the issuance of this Order, a
7 motion to dismiss on procedural grounds in lieu of an Answer, as
8 set forth in the Advisory Committee Notes to Rule 4 of the Rules
9 Governing Section 2254 Cases. If Respondent files such a motion,
10 Petitioner shall file with the Court and serve on Respondent an
11 opposition or statement of non-opposition to the motion within
12 sixty (60) days of receipt of the motion, and Respondent shall file
13 with the Court and serve on Petitioner a reply within fifteen (15)
14 days of receipt of any opposition.

15 5. It is Petitioner's responsibility to prosecute this case.
16 Petitioner must keep the Court and Respondent informed of any
17 change of address and must comply with the Court's orders in a
18 timely fashion. Petitioner must also serve on Respondent's counsel
19 all communications with the Court by mailing a true copy of the
20 document to Respondent's counsel.

21 6. Extensions of time are not favored, though reasonable
22 extensions will be granted. Any motion for an extension of time
23 must be filed no later than ten (10) days prior to the deadline
24 sought to be extended.

25 IT IS SO ORDERED.

26 Dated: 6/25/2010



CLAUDIA WILKEN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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4 STEPHEN LIEBB,

5 Plaintiff,

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7 VINCENT CULLEN et al,

8 Defendant.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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

11 That on June 25, 2010, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said
12 copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing
13 said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery
14 receptacle located in the Clerk's office.

15 Stephen Liebb
16 C-60825
17 San Quentin State Prison
18 San Quentin, CA 94974

19 Dated: June 25, 2010

20 Richard W. Wieking, Clerk
21 By: Nikki Riley, Deputy Clerk
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