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

JOE LOUIS VALENTINE, JR.,	)	No. C 10-3836 RMW (PR)
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	ORDER DENYING
	)	PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO
v.	)	DENY DEFENDANTS'
	)	WAIVER OF REPLY;
	)	DENYING RENEWED
D. MILLIGAN and J. SILVEIRA,	)	MOTION FOR PRODUCTION
	)	OF DOCUMENTS;
Defendants.	)	GRANTING DEFENDANTS'
	)	MOTION TO STAY
	)	DISCOVERY

Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, filed an amended civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. The court screened plaintiff's amended complaint and found that he stated cognizable claims of violations to his First Amendment rights. Before the court is plaintiff's motion to deny defendants' waiver of reply, a renewed motion for production of documents for inspection by the court, and a motion to stay discovery pending disposition of the motion for summary judgment.

Plaintiff's motion to deny the defendants' waiver of reply is DENIED. Plaintiff's renewed motion for production of documents for inspection by the court is DENIED. Defendants' motion to stay discovery pending disposition of the motion for summary judgment is GRANTED. See Crawford-El v. Britton, 523 U.S. 574, 598 (1998) (noting that a district court should stay discovery until the threshold question of qualified immunity is settled). Relatedly,

1 plaintiff's "motion that defendants' motion to stay be denied" is DENIED. Discovery is  
2 STAYED pending further order of the court.

3 This order terminates docket numbers 25, 26, 32, and 35.

4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

5 DATED: 7/28/11

  
RONALD M. WHYTE  
United States District Judge

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JOE L. VALENTINE JR,  
Plaintiff,

Case Number: CV10-03836 RMW

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

v.

J. YERENA et al,  
Defendant.

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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 July 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.

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Dated: July 29, 2011

Richard W. Wieking, Clerk  
By: Jackie Lynn Garcia, Deputy Clerk