1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 10 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 11 THEODORE SHOVE, 12 No. C 12-0211 RMW (PR) 13 Plaintiff. ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE 14 v. 15 EDMUND G. BROWN, et al., 16 Defendants. 17 18 Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, filed a civil rights complaint pursuant to 42 19 U.S.C. § 1983 seeking damages and injunctive and declaratory relief for alleged civil rights 20 violations. Plaintiff has also filed an application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis ("IFP") (dkt. nos. 2, 8), two motions for the Chief Judge of the Northern District to remove the 21 22 undersigned judge from this action (dkt. nos. 7, 11), two motions for clarification of record and 23 compliance to legislative demands (dkt. nos. 10, 13), a motion for findings and conclusions (dkt. 24 no. 19), and a variety of other communications. 25 The Prison Litigation Reform Act of 1995 ("PLRA") was enacted, and became effective, 26 on April 26, 1996. It provides that a prisoner may not bring a civil action IFP under 28 U.S.C. 27 § 1915 "if the prisoner has, on 3 or more prior occasions, while incarcerated or detained in any 28 facility, brought an action or appeal in a court of the United States that was dismissed on the Order To Show Cause G:\PRO-SE\SJ.Rmw\CR.12\Shove211osc1915.wpd

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