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

FRANCISCO DOMIGUEZ,)	No. C 12-5896 RMW (PR)
)	
Petitioner,)	ORDER GRANTING
)	EXTENSION OF TIME TO
v.)	FILE APPLICATION TO
)	<u>PROCEED IN FORMA</u>
MATTHEW CATE,)	<u>PAUPERIS</u>
)	
Respondent.)	
)	
)	(Docket No. 5)

On November 19, 2012, petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, filed a writ of habeas corpus challenging a criminal conviction and judgment pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. (Doc. No. 1.) On the same day the clerk of the court sent a notice to petitioner directing him to file a completed application to proceed in forma pauperis (“IFP”) or pay the filing fee within thirty days. (Doc. No. 2.) Petitioner has filed a request for an extension of time in which to file an IFP application. (Doc. No. 5.)¹ Petitioner indicates that he did not receive the clerk’s notice until December 3, 2012, and that he has not received his legal materials since arriving at VSP. Petitioner requests a thirty day extension of time from the date he receives his property.

Good cause showing, petitioner’s motion is GRANTED. Petitioner shall file a complete

¹ Petitioner's request indicates that he is housed at Valley State Prison (“VSP”) in Chowchilla, a different prison than he was housed when the writ was filed. Although Petitioner did not notify the court of this change of address, the clerk shall update the court docket to reflect his current address.