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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RAUL ARELLANO,  Petitioner,  v.  DANIEL PARAMO,  Respondent.
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Case No.: 16-cv-2337-WQH-MDD

**ORDER**

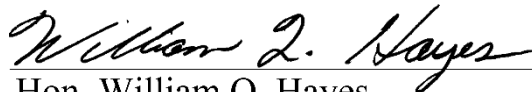
HAYES, Judge:

On September 13, 2016, Petitioner Raul Arellano initiated this action by filing the Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (ECF No. 1). In the Petition, Arellano requests the appointment of counsel. *Id.* at 24. On March 12, 2018, United States Magistrate Judge Mitchell Dembin issued a Report and Recommendation (ECF No. 15). The Report and Recommendation recommends that the Court deny the Petition and states “this Court need not exercise discretion to appoint counsel because there has been no finding of exceptional circumstances.” *Id.* at 25–26. The Report and Recommendation provides that Arellano may file written objections to the Report and Recommendation no later than April 11, 2018. *Id.* at 25.

1 On August 23, 2017, Respondent Daniel Paramo lodged twenty-four documents  
2 (ECF Nos. 10-1 through 10-34). On March 12, 2018, Paramo lodged four more documents  
3 (ECF Nos. 14-1 through 14-4). On March 20, 2018, Arellano filed a Motion requesting  
4 copies of all of the documents lodged in this case. (ECF No. 17). On March 23, 2018, the  
5 Court entered an Order granting Arellano's request for copies of ECF Nos. 14-1 through  
6 14-4, denying Arellano's request for copies of ECF Nos. 10-1 through 10-34, and granting  
7 Arellano leave to file a motion on or before April 6, 2018 identifying his need for a copy  
8 any of ECF Nos. 10-1 through 10-34.

9 On April 10, 2018, Arellano filed a Motion requesting (1) an additional sixty days  
10 to object to the Report and Recommendation, (2) an additional sixty days to file a motion  
11 for copies of any of ECF Nos. 10-1 through 10-34, and (3) appointment of counsel. (ECF  
12 No. 22). Arellano's requests for extensions of time are GRANTED. Arellano shall file  
13 any Objections to the Report and Recommendation and any motion for copies of any of  
14 ECF Nos. 10-1 through 10-34 on or before June 18, 2018. Arellano's request for  
15 appointment of counsel is DENIED for the reasons stated in the Report and  
16 Recommendation.

17 Dated: April 17, 2018

  
18 Hon. William Q. Hayes  
19 United States District Court  
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