

1 F.2d 952, 954 (9th Cir. 1983).

2 Plaintiff was previously appointed counsel. (Dkt. No. 14.) After four months of representing
3 Plaintiff, appointed counsel withdrew. (Dkt. No. 31.) The Court is not inclined to expend
4 further time and effort, and utilize the limited resources generously offered by the Pro Bono
5 Panel of attorneys, on a second appointed counsel for Plaintiff.

6 The Court advances no opinion on Plaintiff's likelihood of success on the merits, but does
7 find, overall, that this matter does not present the kind of exceptional circumstances that would
8 justify the (second) appointment of counsel in this matter. Plaintiff will proceed *pro se* unless he
9 can retain counsel.

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11 DATED this 4th day of October, 2018.

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15 The Honorable Marsha J. Pechman
16 United States Senior District Court Judge