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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA
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10 WILLIAM THOMAS SMITH,

11 Plaintiff,

12 v.

13 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of
Social Security,

14 Defendant.
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CASE NO. C11-5203 JRC

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF'S
APPLICATION TO PROCEED *IN*
FORMA PAUPERIS

16 Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 1) is **GRANTED**. Plaintiff
17 does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$350.00 filing fee.
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19 The clerk is directed to issue summonses submitted by plaintiff to enable plaintiff to
20 properly serve copies of the complaint on the appropriate parties. **Plaintiff shall note that it is**
21 **his responsibility to properly serve copies of the complaint along with an appropriate**
22 **summons as required by Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.**

23 The clerk is directed to mail a copy of this order to plaintiff.

24 DATED this 18th day of March, 2011.
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J. Richard Creatura
United States Magistrate Judge