

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF  
CALIFORNIA

**Tarrence Woodard v. California Department of Corrections and  
Rehabilitation, et al.**

No. 2:25-cv-2433 CKD P · No. No. 2:25-cv-2433 CKD P · Decided November 21, 2025

SUMMARY

The magistrate judge recommends dismissing the action without prejudice because the plaintiff failed to file a second amended complaint by the court-ordered deadline. The document also orders assignment of a district judge and explains the procedure and deadline for filing objections to the findings and recommendations.

CASE DETAILS

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| COURT              | United States District Court for the Eastern District of California                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| JURISDICTION       | United States District Court for the Eastern District of California                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| DECIDED            | November 21, 2025                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| DOCKET             | No. 2:25-cv-2433 CKD P                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| DISPOSITION        | other                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| PROCEDURAL POSTURE | After plaintiff's amended complaint was dismissed with leave to amend, plaintiff failed to file a required second amended complaint. A magistrate judge issued findings and recommendations recommending dismissal without prejudice and ordered the Clerk to assign a district judge. |
| PRECEDENTIAL VALUE | nonprecedential                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| PARTIES            | Tarrence Woodard v. California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, et al.                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

TOPICS

- pleadings
- civil procedure

PRACTICE AREAS

- civil procedure
- civil rights

## QUESTIONS PRESENTED

1. Whether the action should be dismissed without prejudice after plaintiff failed to file a second amended complaint by the court-ordered deadline.

## KEY QUOTATIONS

“Accordingly, *IT IS HEREBY RECOMMENDED* that this action be dismissed without prejudice.” (at 1)

## FACTUAL BACKGROUND

Plaintiff's amended complaint had been dismissed with leave to amend. Plaintiff was required to file a second amended complaint by November 10, 2025, but did not do so.

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On October 8, 2025, plaintiff's amended complaint was dismissed with leave to amend. The second amended complaint was due November 10, 2025, but plaintiff did not file it. The magistrate judge therefore recommended dismissal without prejudice under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b) and Local Rule 110, subject to objections and review by the assigned district judge.

## DISPOSITION

other

## CASES CITED

- Martinez v. Ylst, 951 F.2d 1153 (9th Cir. 1991)