

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

OMAR MEDINA ALEJANDRO,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	Civil Action No. 22-526 (UNA)
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GAVIN NEWSOM)	
<i>Governor of California,</i>)	
)	
Defendant.)	

MEMORANDUM OPINION

Plaintiff, appearing *pro se*, has filed a form Complaint for a Civil Case, ECF No. 1, and an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, ECF No. 2. The Court will grant the application and dismiss the case.

Plaintiff is a resident of San Pedro, California, who has sued California Governor Gavin Newsom. He demands “56 Million dollars . . . for having another near-death experience.” Compl. at 4. Under Statement of Claim, Plaintiff writes:

Instead of I going to sleep first before going into deep sleep. my body is shutting down. I may have to go to the ER (EMERGENCY CARE UNIT) at the hospital. I am showing signs of having epilepsy. I am deprived of regular sleep and my body is going directly to deep sleep because people are harassing me at home. I have to go to this court in Washington DC. NOTE: I don't wear Halloween face masks so please don't blame me for people putting anthrax in my mail. I don't wear Halloween hand masks either. “I am not paying the street tax.”

Id.

“[F]ederal courts are without power to entertain claims otherwise within their jurisdiction if,” as here, “they are so attenuated and unsubstantial as to be absolutely devoid of merit, wholly insubstantial, [or] obviously frivolous[.]” *Hagans v. Lavine*, 415 U.S. 528, 536–37 (1974)

(internal quotation marks and citations omitted). Consequently, this action will be dismissed. A separate order accompanies this Memorandum Opinion.

/s/
AMIT P. MEHTA
United States District Judge

Date: March 29, 2022