

of all matters adjudicated by the Magistrate Judge's Recommended Decision. I concur with the recommendations of the United States Magistrate Judge for the reasons set forth in his Recommended Decision and determine that no further proceeding is necessary.

It is therefore **ORDERED** that the Recommended Decision (ECF No. 31) of the Magistrate Judge is hereby **ACCEPTED**, such that the Defendant's Counterclaim is **DENIED** without prejudice. The Defendant is hereby **DIRECTED** to file an answer to the complaint within 14 days of the Court's order on the Defendant's Motion to Dismiss, which is being published concurrently with this order. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(a)(4)(A). The Defendant may attach his counterclaim to that pleading. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 13. The Clerk is directed to provide the Defendant with a list of legal aid service providers.

SO ORDERED.

Dated this 15th day of January, 2020.

/s/ Jon D. Levy
CHIEF U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE