

UNPUBLISHED

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

No. 08-2074

CHARLES W. BIRKS,

Plaintiff - Appellant,

v.

KEITH F. PARK, Esquire; COUGHLIN STOIA GELLER RUDMAN &
ROBBINS LLP; THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA,

Defendants - Appellees.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern
District of West Virginia, at Charleston. Joseph R. Goodwin,
Chief District Judge. (2:07-cv-00742)

Submitted: December 29, 2008

Decided: January 20, 2009

Before NIEMEYER, MICHAEL, and AGEE, Circuit Judges.

Dismissed by unpublished per curiam opinion.

Charles W. Birks, Appellant Pro Se. Kathy Dawn Patrick, GIBBS &
BRUNS, LLP, Houston, Texas, for Appellees.

Unpublished opinions are not binding precedent in this circuit.

PER CURIAM:

Charles W. Birks seeks to appeal the district court's order adopting the recommendation of the magistrate judge and transferring Birks's action to the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division. This court may exercise jurisdiction only over final orders, 28 U.S.C. § 1291 (2000), and certain interlocutory and collateral orders, 28 U.S.C. § 1292 (2000); Fed. R. Civ. P. 54(b); Cohen v. Beneficial Indus. Loan Corp., 337 U.S. 541 (1949). The order Birks seeks to appeal is neither a final order nor an appealable interlocutory or collateral order. Accordingly, we grant Appellees' motion to dismiss the appeal for lack of jurisdiction and deny as moot Birks's motion for injunctive relief. We dispense with oral argument because the facts and legal contentions are adequately presented in the materials before the court and argument would not aid the decisional process.

DISMISSED