

**UNPUBLISHED**

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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**No. 16-1701**

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ALBERT WILLIAM LACY,

Plaintiff - Appellant,

v.

GEORGE CASTELLE, Kanawha Co. Chief Public Defender; BARBARA  
A. BROWN, Deputy Public Defender; JUSTIN COLLIN, Lawyer Public  
Defender; UNKNOWN PUBLIC DEFENDER,

Defendants - Appellees.

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Appeal from the United States District Court for the Southern  
District of West Virginia, at Charleston. Thomas E. Johnston,  
District Judge. (2:13-cv-18215)

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Submitted: October 13, 2016

Decided: October 17, 2016

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Before NIEMEYER, DUNCAN, and WYNN, Circuit Judges.

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Dismissed by unpublished per curiam opinion.

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Albert William Lacy, Appellant Pro Se.

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Unpublished opinions are not binding precedent in this circuit.

PER CURIAM:

Albert William Lacy seeks to appeal the district court's order adopting the recommendation of the magistrate judge and dismissing without prejudice his 42 U.S.C. §§ 1983, 1985 (2012) complaint. This court may exercise jurisdiction only over final orders, 28 U.S.C. § 1291 (2012), and certain interlocutory and collateral orders. 28 U.S.C. § 1292 (2012); Fed. R. Civ. P. 54(b); Cohen v. Beneficial Indus. Loan Corp., 337 U.S. 541, 545-47 (1949). Because the deficiencies identified by the district court may be remedied by the filing of an amended complaint, we conclude that the order Lacy seeks to appeal is neither a final order nor an appealable interlocutory or collateral order. See Goode v. Cent. Va. Legal Aid Soc'y, Inc., 807 F.3d 619, 623-24 (4th Cir. 2015); Domino Sugar Corp. v. Sugar Workers Local Union 392, 10 F.3d 1064, 1066-67 (4th Cir. 1993). Accordingly, we dismiss this appeal for lack of jurisdiction. We dispense with oral argument because the facts and legal contentions are adequately presented in the materials before this court and argument would not aid the decisional process.

DISMISSED