United States Court of Appeals FOR THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT

	No. 08-3270
Diabate Amadou,	*
Appellant,	*
	 * Appeal from the United States * District Court for the
V.	* District Court for the* District of Minnesota.
J. B. Hunt Transport, Inc.,	* * [UNPUBLISHED]
Appellee.	*

Submitted: October 26, 2009 Filed: December 14, 2009

Before MURPHY, COLLOTON, and SHEPHERD, Circuit Judges.

PER CURIAM.

Diabate Amadou appeals the district court's¹order dismissing his civil action for failure to state a claim for relief, and denying his motion to amend the complaint. Following de novo review, <u>see O'Neil v. Simplicity, Inc.</u>, 574 F.3d 501, 503 (8th Cir. 2009), we conclude that dismissal was proper for the reasons stated by the district court, and that the court did not abuse its discretion in denying leave to amend as

¹The Honorable Donovan W. Frank, United States District Judge for the District of Minnesota.

futile. <u>See Marmo v Tyson Fresh Meats, Inc.</u>, 457 F.3d 748, 755 (8th Cir. 2006). Accordingly, we affirm. <u>See 8th Cir. R. 47B.</u> We also deny the pending motion.²

²We decline to address the numerous issues that Amadou raises for the first time on appeal. <u>See Flynn v. Chater</u>, 107 F.3d 617, 620 (8th Cir. 1997).