## United States Court of Appeals

For the Eighth Circuit No. 15-3463 Randy Teter Plaintiff - Appellant v. Michael Bowersox, Warden; John Doe **Defendants** Daniel Bettes, CO I; John Christian, CO I Defendants - Appellees Jeff Allen, CO I Defendant Billy Lee, CO II Defendant - Appellee Sarah Merriett, CO I; Dennis Sazonov, CO **Defendants** 

Appeal from United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri - Springfield

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Before WOLLMAN, ARNOLD, and MURPHY, Circuit Judges.

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PER CURIAM.

Missouri inmate Randy Teter appeals the district court's<sup>1</sup> denial of his motion for a new trial after the district court entered judgment for defendants following a jury trial. We conclude that the district court did not abuse its discretion in denying the motion. See Patterson v. City of Omaha, 779 F.3d 795, 800-01 (8th Cir. 2015) (standard of review). Accordingly, we affirm. See 8th Cir. R. 47B.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The Honorable Beth Phillips, United States District Judge for the Western District of Missouri.