## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS WESTERN DIVISION

DONOVAN FORD, CARRIE GALAN, JAMES GILMER, JUDY MILLS, and BILLIE J. NORRIS, and SHEILA ARNOLD on behalf of themselves and others similarly situated

**PLAINTIFFS** 

v.

Case No. 4:08CV00509-BSM

TOWNENDS OF ARKANSAS, INC., and TOWNSENDS, INC.

**DEFENDANTS** 

## <u>ORDER</u>

Defendant Townsends, Inc. moves to dismiss the claims of Sheila Arnold and a putative class of persons in North Carolina (Doc. No. 108), arguing that this court lacks personal jurisdiction. In response (Doc. No. 119), Arnold agrees to dismiss her claims without prejudice. Townsends's motion to dismiss (Doc. No. 108) is therefore granted and the claims of Arnold and the putative class of persons in North Carolina are dismissed without prejudice.

The motion to dismiss Arnold's claims for failing to join an indispensable party (Doc. No. 106) is denied as moot.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 21st day of January, 2010

INITED STATES DISTRICT HIDGE