

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS  
PINE BLUFF DIVISION**

**MIKE McCARTY**

**PLAINTIFF**

**VS.**

**5:12-CV-00148-BRW**

**FARM BUREAU MUTUAL INSURANCE  
COMPANY OF ARKANSAS, INC., *et al.***

**DEFENDANTS**

**ORDER**

Pending is Plaintiff's Motion for Declaratory Judgment (Doc. No. 15). Defendants have responded,<sup>1</sup> and Plaintiff has replied.<sup>2</sup> Also pending are the parties' Requests for Oral Arguments (Doc. Nos. 25, 28).

After reviewing the parties' filings, I believe Plaintiff's Motion is premature. The parties are still in the thick of discovery, and this could reveal information relevant to determining Plaintiff's Motion. Accordingly, Plaintiff's Motion (Doc. No. 15) is DENIED without prejudice. Consequently, the parties' Requests for Oral Arguments (Doc. Nos. 25, 28) are also DENIED without prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2012.

/s/Billy Roy Wilson  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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<sup>1</sup>Doc. No. 24.

<sup>2</sup>Doc. No. 27.