IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS HARRISON DIVISION

MARY A. CRAIG-BRITTON

v.

CIVIL NO. 10-3048

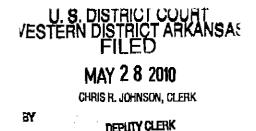
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner Social Security Administration

<u>order</u>

On May 19, 2010, Plaintiff submitted a complaint for filing in this district, together with a request for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (Doc. # 1). Subsequently, an order was issued directing the clerk to provisionally file the complaint prior to a determination regarding Plaintiff's status as an indigent. (Doc. # 3). Pursuant to the order, Plaintiff submitted an amended *in forma pauperis* application on May 27, 2010. (Doc. # 4). After review, it is found that Plaintiff is unable to pay for the costs of commencement of suit and, accordingly, the following order is entered:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiff's motion for leave to proceed *informa pauperis* be granted. The clerk is hereby directed to file the complaint *nune pro tune* as of May 18, 2010. Additionally, the court hereby directs that a copy of the complaint filed herein, along with a copy of this order, be served by Plaintiff by certified mail, return receipt requested, on Defendant, Michael J. Astrue, Commissioner, Social Security Administration, as well as Eric H. Holder, Jr., U.S. Attorney General, and Mark W. Webb, Assistant U.S. Attorney, without prepayment of fees and costs. Defendant is ordered to answer within sixty (60) days from the date of service.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 27th day of May 2010.



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ÉÓN. JAMES R. MARSCHEWSKI CHIEF U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

DEFENDANT

PLAINTIFF