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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO

Civil Action No. 10-cv-02098-BNB

ERIC HOUSTON,

Plaintiff,

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DENVER, COLORADO

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WARDEN CHARLES DANI[E]LS, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER DENYING MOTION TO RECONSIDER

This matter is before the Court on the motion to reconsider that Plaintiff, Eric Houston, filed *pro se* with the Court on September 24, 2010. In the motion, Mr. Houston asks the Court to reconsider its order filed on September 22, 2010, which denied the motion for a preliminary injunction and temporary restraining order he filed with the Court on September 10, 2010. Mr. Houston is a prisoner in the custody of the United States Bureau of Prisons who currently is incarcerated at the United States Penitentiary in Florence, Colorado.

The Court must construe the motion to reconsider liberally because Mr. Houston is not represented by an attorney. **See Haines v. Kerner**, 404 U.S. 519, 520-21 (1972); **Hall v. Bellmon**, 935 F.2d 1106, 1110 (10th Cir. 1991). However, the Court should not be an advocate for a **pro se** litigant. **See Hall**, 935 F.2d at 1110. For the reasons stated below, the motion to reconsider will be denied.

The motion to reconsider is incomprehensible, as was the motion for injunctive

relief that Mr. Houston filed on September 10. Because Mr. Houston's motion to reconsider is incomprehensible, he fails to allege specific facts that convince the Court the motion to reconsider should be granted. Therefore, the motion for reconsideration will be denied. Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the motion to reconsider that Plaintiff, Eric Houston, filed *pro se* with the Court on September 24, 2010, is denied.

DATED at Denver, Colorado, this <u>25th</u> day of <u>October</u>, 2010.

BY THE COURT:

CHRISTINE A. ARGUELLO

Christine Magnello

United States District Judge, for ZITA LEESON WEINSHIENK,

Senior Judge, United States District Court

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I hereby certify that I have mailed a copy of the ORDER to the above-named individuals on 10 25 10

GREGORY CLANGHAM, CLERK

Deputy Clerk