

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
ORLANDO DIVISION

GLEN ERIC BROOKS,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 6:17-cv-525-Orl-37DCI

CITY OF APOPKA, FLORIDA,

Defendant.

ORDER

Plaintiff initiated this action alleging, *inter alia*, that Defendant has defamed him. (See Doc. 1, ¶¶ 31-36 (“**Defamation Claim**”).) Thereafter, Defendant moved for dismissal of the Defamation Claim (Doc. 15 (“**MTD**”)) on May 1, 2017. To date, Plaintiff has not responded to the MTD. Local Rule 3.01(b) requires that a “party opposing a motion . . . file within fourteen (14) days after service of the motion . . . a response that includes a memorandum of legal authority in opposition to the request, all of which the respondent shall include in a document not more than twenty (20) pages.” Absent a response, the Court considers the MTD to be unopposed and finds that it is due to be granted.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** as follows:

1. Defendant’s Motion to Dismiss Count III of Plaintiff’s Complaint (Doc. 15) is **GRANTED**.
2. The Defamation Claim set forth in Count III (Doc. 1, ¶¶ 31-36) is **DISMISSED without prejudice**.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers in Orlando, Florida, on May 16, 2017.




ROY B. DALTON JR.
United States District Judge

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