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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TAMPA DIVISION**

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MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TAMPA, FLORIDA

DENNIS HUNT,
Plaintiff,

vs.

Case No. 8:07-cv-1168-T-30TBM

LAW LIBRARY BOARD,
a Board created by
Hillsborough County, Florida;

**JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
INJUNCTIVE RELIEF REQUESTED**

NORMA J. WISE,
In her official capacity as Director
of the James J. Lunsford Law Library,
and individually; and,

DAVID L. PILVER,
individually,
Defendants.

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**PLAINTIFF'S FIRST AMENDED RESPONSE
TO DEFENDANT LAW LIBRARY BOARD'S
MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGEMENT**

COMES NOW, DENNIS HUNT, the Plaintiff In this cause of action, appearing PRO-SE and filing this First Amended Response to Defendant Law Library Board's Motion for Summary Judgement, and in support therefore states as follows:

I. INTRODUCTION

Plaintiff's Amended Complaint pled causes of action against three defendants: The Law Library Board ("Law Library Board"), Norma J. Wise ("Wise"), individually and in her official capacity, and David L. Pilver ("Pilver"), individually, alleging that the respective defendants had violated Plaintiff's rights protected by the First and Fourteenth Amendments to the United States Constitution.

Each of the three defendants has filed a motion for summary judgement. (Dkt. #40 Law Library Board; Dkt. #32 Wise; Dkt. #28 Pilver) As to claims against the Law Library Board, defense counsel moves for summary judgement on three grounds: (1) Plaintiff has failed to identify a custom or policy adopted and practiced by the Law Library that confers liability under Section 1983; (2) Plaintiff's claims are both "Heck-barred" and precluded by the Rooker-Feldman doctrine; and (3) Plaintiff's claims for injunctive relief are not justiciable, as his request for prospective relief lacks a ripened claim. (Dkt. #40 Law Library Board)

Plaintiff's Response To Defendant Wise's Motion For Summary Judgement and all subsequent amended versions, are incorporated here by reference. Plaintiff's First Amended Response To Defendant Pilver's Motion For Summary Judgement and all subsequent amended versions, are incorporated here by reference.

II. BACKGROUND

The Plaintiff Dennis Hunt (herein "Plaintiff" or "Hunt") was a patron of the James J. Lunsford Law Library (herein, "Law Library") during the years of 2002 and 2003. The Plaintiff is now, and was at all times relevant to this lawsuit, a "Qualified Individual with Disabilities" and "Disabled", pursuant United States Social Security Administration Disability Determination. Additionally, the Plaintiff is now, and was at all times relevant to this lawsuit, a recipient of Federal Housing Assistance, commonly referred to as "Section-8".

Plaintiff's claims arise from his use of the James J. Lunsford Law Library ("Law Library"). The Law Library is a public library created by Hillsborough County Ordinance No. 01-16. It is funded by occupational license taxes collected from attorneys and court filing fees collected by the Hillsborough County Clerk of Court and pursuant to Hillsborough County Ordinance No. 01-16. Defendant Law Library Board ("Law Library Board") was created with

full power and authority to maintain the Law Library for the use by the courts, members of the bench and bar, and the general public (Dkt. #21 Order). At all times relevant to this action, Defendant Norma J. Wise (herein "Wise") a.k.a. Norma J. Brown of Clearwater, FL was and is now an employee of the Law Library Board serving as "Director" of the Law Library. Defendant David L. Pilver (herein "Pilver") of 5520 Gun Hwy #208, Tampa, FL 33624 was at all times relevant to this action, an employee of Defendant Law Library Board and was hired by the Law Library Board and/or Wise as a library assistant.

Sandra M. Kellaheer, (herein "Kellaheer") of Brandon, FL was in the year of 2003 and for 14 years prior, a Member of the Law Library Board, and in 2003 was Chair of the Law Library Board.

During 2003, the Plaintiff was patronizing the Law Library several times each week, mostly during the evening hours on weekdays, and during the afternoon hours on weekends. During the same time period and for years following, Plaintiff regularly visited and sat-in on various Court Hearings and Trials of the Thirteenth Judicial District, in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, to self-educate himself in the Judicial System and Laws of Florida. Plaintiff's initial goal was to enable himself to recover the value of his automobile through the Judicial System. 1

1 During a period of time when the Plaintiff was out-of-state, Plaintiff lost Title and Ownership of his automobile due to wrongful acts by the Board of Directors of the Condominium Association where Plaintiff resided. The Board of Directors ordered the removal of Plaintiff's automobile from a reserved parking space assigned for the exclusive use of Plaintiff's residence. After removing Plaintiff's automobile from the property, the Secretary member of the Board of Directors used Plaintiff's reserved parking space to park her automobile, leaving her reserved parking space open for the parking of her overnight and weekend guests.

Plaintiff believes the action taken by the condominium Board of Directors was to evict Plaintiff because his application revealed he was disabled and receiving Section-8 housing assistance. The condominium board's motivation to act against the Plaintiff, was akin to the ingrained hatred and ignorance that Defendant Pilver in the present case holds against Section-8 people: "Those Section-8 people don't even work, pay any rent, or anything else, and they are not even allowed in the apartment building that I live in." In the present case, Pilver and Wise took action to evict the Plaintiff from the Law Library.

III. STANDARDS FOR SUMMARY JUDGEMENT

A motion for summary judgment should be granted when "the pleadings, depositions, answers to interrogatories, and admissions on file, together with affidavits, if any, show that there is no genuine issue as to any material fact and that the moving party is entitled to judgment as a matter of law." Fed. R.Civ.P. 56(c). "In making this assessment, we view the evidence and all factual inferences therefrom in the light most favorable to the party opposing the motion, and resolve all reasonable doubts about the facts ... in favor of the non-movant." *Hyman v. Nationwide Mut. Fire Ins. Co.*, 304 F.3d 1179, 1185 (11th Cir.2002) (internal quotation marks, citations, and brackets omitted); *Lee v. Ferraro*, 284 F.3d at 1190.

IV. PLAINTIFF HAS NOT FAILED TO IDENTIFY A CUSTOM OR POLICY ADOPTED AND PRACTICED BY THE LAW LIBRARY ADOPTED AND PRACTICED BY THE LAW LIBRARY THAT CONFERS LIABILITY UNDER SECTION 1983

"A State or its instrumentality may, of course, regulate the use of its libraries or other public facilities. But it must do so in a reasonable and nondiscriminatory manner, equally applicable to all and administered with equality to all. . . . it may not invoke regulations as to use — whether they are ad hoc or general — as a pretext for pursuing those engaged in lawful, constitutionally protected exercise of their fundamental rights." *Brown*, 383 U.S. at 143. 2

The Law Library Board, between the 1st and 5th of July 2003 delegated authority to Pilver to take action against the Plaintiff via ad-hoc policy to trespass and bar the Plaintiff from the Law Library.

2 When a person seeks to use government property for expressive conduct, different rules apply depending on the type of property involved. "In balancing the government's interest in limiting the use of its property against the interests of those who wish to use the property for expressive activity, the Court has identified three types of fora: the traditional public forum, the public forum created by government designation, and the nonpublic forum."

Board of Airport Comm'rs v. Jews for Jesus, Inc., 482 U.S. 569, 573 (1987)(citing *Perry Ed. Assn. v. Perry Local Educators' Assn.*, 460 U.S. 37, 45-46 (1983)).

"In these quintessential public forums, the government may not prohibit all communicative activity. For the State to enforce a content-based exclusion it must show that its regulation is necessary to serve a compelling state interest and that it is narrowly drawn to achieve that end The State may also enforce regulations of the time, place, and manner of expression which are content-neutral, are narrowly tailored to serve a significant government interest, and leave open ample alternative channels of communication." *Perry*, 460 U.S. at 45. "We have further held, however, that access to a nonpublic forum may be restricted by government regulation as long as the regulation 'is reasonable and not an effort to suppress expression merely because officials oppose the speaker's view.' *Jews for Jesus, Inc.*, 482 U.S. at 573 (quoting *Perry*, 460 U.S. at 46).

The Supreme Court has defined the term "custom" to include "persistent and wide-spread ... practices," "permanent and well settled" practices, and "deeply embedded traditional ways of carrying out policy." *Adickes v. S.H. Kress & Co.*, 398 U.S. 144, 167-68, 90 S.Ct. 1598, 1613-14, 26 L.Ed.2d 142 (1970). Although not necessarily adopted by a person or body with rulemaking authority, customs can become so settled and permanent as to have the force of law. *Monell*, 436 U.S. at 690-691, 98 S.Ct. at 2035-2036. To have this effect, the custom must be "created" by those whose "edicts or acts may fairly be said to represent official policy." *Id.* at 694, 98 S.Ct. at 2037; see *Hearn v. City of Gainesville*, 688 F.2d 1328, 1334 (11th Cir.1983).

In *Monell v. Department of Social Services*, 436 U.S. 658, 98 S.Ct. 2018, 56 L.Ed.2d 611 (1978), the Supreme Court held that although municipalities can be sued under section 1983, liability must be predicated upon more than a theory of respondeat superior. It held, however, that liability may be predicated upon a showing that a government employee's unconstitutional action "implements or executes a policy statement, ordinance, regulation, or decision officially adopted and promulgated by that body's officers," or is "visited pursuant to governmental 'custom' even though such custom has not received formal approval through the body's official decision-making channels." 436 U.S. at 690-691, 98 S.Ct. at 2035-2036. Regardless whether the basis of the claim is an officially promulgated policy or an unofficially adopted custom, it must be the "moving force behind the constitutional deprivation before liability may attach." *City of*

Oklahoma City v. Tuttle, --- U.S. ----, 105 S.Ct. 2427, 2434, 85 L.Ed.2d 791 (1985) (plurality opinion) (quoting Polk County v. Dodson, 454 U.S. 312, 326, 102 S.Ct. 445, 454, 70 L.Ed.2d 509 (1981)). Thus, not only must there be some degree of "fault" on the part of the municipality in establishing or tolerating the custom or policy, but there also must exist a causal link between the custom or policy and the deprivation. Tuttle, 105 S.Ct. at 2435-36.

Like municipalities, supervisors cannot be held liable for the acts of employees solely on the basis of respondeat superior. McLaughlin v. City of LaGrange, 662 F.2d 1385, 1388 (11th Cir.1981), cert. denied, 456 U.S. 979, 102 S.Ct. 2249, 72 L.Ed.2d 856 (1982). Supervisory liability is not limited, however, to those incidents in which the supervisor personally participates in the deprivation. Goodson v. City of Atlanta, 763 F.2d 1381, 1389 (11th Cir.1985); Wilson v. Attaway, 757 F.2d 1227, 1241 (11th Cir.1985); Sims v. Adams, 537 F.2d 829, 831 (5th Cir.1976). There must be a causal connection between the actions of the supervisory official and the alleged deprivation. Wilson, 757 F.2d at 1241; Henzel v. Gerstein, 608 F.2d 654, 658 (5th Cir.1979). This causal connection can be established when a history of widespread abuse puts the responsible supervisor on notice of the need for improved training or supervision, and the official fails to take corrective action. Wilson, 757 F.2d at 1241; Sims, 537 F.2d at 832.

The Law Library Board had a custom of making ad-hoc rules and policy through the Law Library Board Chair, Sandra M. Kellaheer. On June 8, 2005 Kellaheer testified as a state-witness in the trial of the Plaintiff on the charge of Trespassing at the James J. Lundsford Law Library. Kellaheer was chair of the Law Library Board for 14 plus years (Doc 28 p.110 lines 7-10) . One of Kellaheer's duties as Chair of the Law Library Board was that if there were any complaints about the law library or personnel problems or any problems within the library, Kellaheer handled them individually for the Law Library Board because it was impossible to get the Law Library

Board together (Doc 28 p.111). Between the 1st and 5th of July 2003, Kellaheer enacted an ad-hoc policy to trespass and permanently bar the Plaintiff from the Law Library without any Due Process protection for the Plaintiff. It was a custom of the Law Library Board to delegate this duty to the Law Library Board Chair, Sandra M. Kellaheer, as it was impossible to get the board members together. Kellaheer's ad-hoc policy barring the Plaintiff from the Law Library was enacted on behalf of the Law Library Board, by Kellaheer, as was the custom. Kellaheer enacted the ad-hoc policy barring the Plaintiff from the Law Library on the request of Wise via telephone between the 1st and 5th of July 2003. (Doc 28, p. 111, lines 22-24)

Plaintiff was not provided any due process notice or hearing before barring Plaintiff's access to the Law Library and its forty-three-thousand volume collection. After barring Plaintiff's access to the Law Library and its collection, the Plaintiff was not provided any due process hearing to appear in person to contest or appeal the barring, or to present evidence and testimony, or to confront his accusers, Wise and Pilver. The Law Library Board has no concern for the rights of the Plaintiff. To Wise, Pilver, and the Law Library Board, the Plaintiff was nothing more than an undesirable patron, one not worthy of the protections of our nation's constitution. The Plaintiff was treated like Pilver loudly expressed one evening in the Law Library: "Those Section-8 people don't even work, pay any rent or anything else, and they are not even allowed in the apartment building I live in." Although reality is entirely diametrical to Pilver's accusations and beliefs, with the encouragement and support of Wise, Pilver's accusations and beliefs are validated through the Law Library Board custom of not recognizing or extending any of the rights and protections of our great nation's constitution to undesirable patrons. Certainly the Law Library Board would provide due process and first amendment rights and protections to an attorney patron before permanently barring access to the Law Library, but

in this case where the patron is an undesirable, indigent, an individual with disabilities and one of those Section-8 people that David L. Pilver despises, the evidence points entirely opposite. The Plaintiff in this case is denied of his right to equal treatment.

The Plaintiff has a right to petition for a change in Law Library policies and customs, and bring his grievances before his government to petition for change. Wise's and Pilver's retaliation in permanently barring the Plaintiff from the Law Library for bringing his grievances to the attention of the Law Library Board, violates the Plaintiff's First and Fourteenth Amendment rights.

Even if Kellaher's ad-hoc policy is subject to meaningful review, the Law Library Board has had more than ample time, nearly six years to review the ad-hoc policy implemented through custom of the Law Library Board delegating the duty of making policy to Kellaher as the chair of the Law Library Board. As defense counsel argues, the Law Library Board has not made any decisions regarding the ad-hoc policy barring the Plaintiff from the Law Library to this date.

The Law Library Board exhibits a persistent indifference to the protection of law library patron Substantive and Procedural Due Process and First Amendment rights. The Law Library Board has exhibited a persistent failure to enact any rule or procedure to make available or provide any due process for the protection of patron rights before permanently trespassing and barring patron access to the Law Library. For nearly 6 years, the Law Library has maintained the trespass and barring of the Plaintiff from the Law Library and without providing any due process protection to the Plaintiff. The Law Library does not provide any procedure to appeal a Trespass Warning. (Dkt. #9, Exh. # 9, Amended Complaint) The Law Library does not provide a patron any due process hearing before or after the Law Library issues a Trespass Warning. The Plaintiff was not provided any due process hearing or any opportunity to appeal the Trespassing and

barring of the Plaintiff from the Law Library. The Plaintiff was stripped of any access whatsoever to the forty-three thousand volumes of legal information and ideas provided free to the bench, bar and general public. (Dkt. #9, Exh. #9; see also Trespass Warning)

IV. PLAINTIFF'S CLAIMS ARE NOT PRECLUDED BY THE ROOKER-FELDMAN DOCTRINE

Rooker v. Fidelity Trust Co., No. 295, SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, Motion to dismiss or affirm submitted November 26, 1923, December 10, 1923 Decided. Overview: Appellants were barred from seeking direct review of a decision reached by a state's highest court in a federal district court because the state court's decision was an exercise of jurisdiction and was an effective and conclusive adjudication. *Id.*

In *Rooker* Appellants were barred from seeking direct review of a decision reached by a state's highest court in a federal district court because the state court's decision was an exercise of jurisdiction and was an effective and conclusive adjudication. *Rooker v. Fidelity Trust Co.*, 263 U.S. 413 (1923); 44 S.Ct. 149; 68 L.Ed. 362.

In the present case, the Plaintiff is not seeking a direct review in federal district court of a decision reached by a state's highest court. The present case was filed in the U.S. District Court, Middle District of Florida, Tampa Division on July 3, 2007. (Dkt. #1 Complaint) The related state criminal court case for trespassing was still residing in the Circuit Court of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, Appellate Division, pending that court's decision. The Plaintiff's Appellant Brief (Dkt. #-- Exh. #--) was filed on June 16, 2008 and his Motion For Written Opinion filed on February 17, 2009. Presently, the related state criminal case is still pending in the Circuit Court of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, Appellate Division. The state circuit court appellate division only just issued a per cerium decision on January 27, 2009, and the case is currently stayed in that court by a

Motion for Written Opinion. (see Exh.#21, Motion). Plaintiff's state court motion for written opinion has not to this date been decided in the state circuit court. (see Exh. #22, State Docket Report) Furthermore, the related state criminal case has not been submitted to or decided by the Florida Supreme Court, nor has the case been submitted to or decided by the state court of appeals, the Second District Court of Appeals, State of Florida. To date, there has been no conclusive final adjudication of the related state criminal case for trespassing, and therefore Defendant Law Library Board's arguments under the Rooker-Feldman Doctrine fail under the scope of *Rooker v. Fidelity Trust Co.*, 263 U.S. 413 (1923); 44 S.Ct. 149; 68 L.Ed. 362.

In *Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp.* 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, (reversed and remanded), the Supreme Court expressed the sacristy of application of the *Rooker-Feldman* Doctrine: "The *Rooker-Feldman* doctrine, at issue in this case, has been applied by this Court only twice, in *Rooker v. Fidelity Trust Co.*, 263 U.S. 413, and in *District of Columbia Court of Appeals v. Feldman*, 460 U.S. 462."

In expounding the limits of the *Rooker-Feldman* Doctrine the Supreme Court stated: "*Rooker* and *Feldman* exhibit the limited circumstances in which this Court's appellate jurisdiction over state-court judgments, §1257, precludes a federal district court from exercising subject-matter jurisdiction in an action it would otherwise be empowered to adjudicate under a congressional grant of authority. In both cases, the plaintiffs, alleging federal-question jurisdiction, called upon the District Court to overturn an injurious state-court judgment."

Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp. 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.

In the present case, the Plaintiff's is not calling upon the District Court to overturn an injurious state-court judgment. The Plaintiff is presently pursuing a criminal appeal in the state

courts for his arrest for trespassing under Florida State Law on July 5, 2003. The Plaintiff's state court case has not been adjudicated to finality.

Rooker:

In *Rooker*, plaintiffs previously defeated in state court filed suit in a Federal District Court alleging that the adverse state-court judgment was unconstitutional and asking that it be declared “null and void.” 263 U.S., at 414—415. Noting preliminarily that the state court had acted within its jurisdiction, this Court explained that if the state-court decision was wrong, “that did not make the judgment void, but merely left it open to reversal or modification in an appropriate and timely appellate proceeding.” *Id.*, at 415. Federal district courts, *Rooker* recognized, are empowered to exercise only original, not appellate, jurisdictions. *Id.*, at 416. Because Congress has empowered this Court alone to exercise appellate authority “to reverse or modify” a state-court judgment, *ibid.*, the Court affirmed a decree dismissing the federal suit for lack of jurisdiction, *Id.*, at 415, 417.

Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp. 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.

In the present case before this court, Hunt has not file suit alleging that an adverse state-court judgement was unconstitutional, nor is Hunt asking that an adverse state-court judgement be declared “null and void”. Hunt is pursuing his state-court case through the state-courts. (see Exh. #21, and Exh. #22) In the case before this court, the Plaintiff filed suit alleging that the respective defendants have violated the Plaintiff's rights protected by the First and Fourteenth Amendments to the United States Constitution. Defendant Law Library Board's arguments fail under *Rooker*.

Feldman:

In *Feldman*, two plaintiffs brought federal-court actions after the District of Columbia's highest court denied their petitions to waive a court Rule requiring D.C. bar applicants to have graduated from an accredited law school. Recalling *Rooker*, this Court observed that the District Court lacked authority to review a final judicial determination of the D.C. high court because such review "can be obtained only in this Court." 460 U.S., at 476. Concluding that the D.C. court's proceedings applying the accreditation Rule to the plaintiffs were "judicial in nature," *id.*, at 479—482, this Court ruled that the Federal District Court lacked subject-matter jurisdiction, *id.*, at 482. However, concluding also that, in promulgating the bar admission Rule, the D.C. court had acted legislatively, not judicially, *id.*, at 485—486, this Court held that 28 U.S.C. § 1257 did not bar the District Court from addressing the validity of the Rule itself, so long as the plaintiffs did not seek review of the Rule's application in a particular case, 460 U.S., at 486. *Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp.* 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.

In the present case before this court, Plaintiff's state-court case has not been adjudicated to finality and has not gone to either the Second District Court of Appeals for the State of Florida, or the Florida Supreme Court. Plaintiff's state-court case is stayed pending decision on Hunt's Motion for Written Opinion in the Circuit Court of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, Appellate Division. (see Exh. #21, and Exh. #22)

Since *Feldman*:

Since *Feldman*, this Court has never applied *Rooker-Feldman* to dismiss an action for want of jurisdiction. However, the lower federal courts have variously interpreted the *Rooker-Feldman* doctrine to extend far beyond the contours of the *Rooker* and *Feldman* cases, overriding Congress' conferral of federal-court jurisdiction concurrent with jurisdiction exercised by state

courts, and superseding the ordinary application of preclusion law under 28 U.S.C. § 1738. (*Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp.* 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.)

Held: The *Rooker-Feldman* doctrine is confined to cases of the kind from which it acquired its name: cases brought by state-court losers complaining of injuries caused by state-court judgments rendered before the federal district court proceedings commenced and inviting district court review and rejection of those judgments. *Rooker-Feldman* does not otherwise override or supplant preclusion doctrine or augment the circumscribed doctrines allowing federal courts to stay or dismiss proceedings in deference to state-court actions. Pp. 10—13.

Rooker and *Feldman* exhibit the limited circumstances in which this Court's appellate jurisdiction over state-court judgments, §1257, precludes a federal district court from exercising subject-matter jurisdiction in an action it would otherwise be empowered to adjudicate under a congressional grant of authority. In both cases, the plaintiffs, alleging federal-question jurisdiction, called upon the District Court to overturn an injurious state-court judgment.

Because §1257, as long interpreted, vests authority to review a state-court judgment solely in this Court, *e.g.*, *Feldman*, 460 U.S., at 476, the District Courts lacked subject-matter jurisdiction, *see, e.g.*, *Verizon Md. Inc. v. Public Serv. Comm'n of Md.*, 535 U.S. 635, 644, n. 3.

When there is parallel state and federal litigation, *Rooker-Feldman* is not triggered simply by the entry of judgment in state court. *See, e.g.*, *McClellan v. Carland*, 217 U.S. 268, 282.

Comity or abstention doctrines may, in various circumstances, permit or require the federal court to stay or dismiss the federal action in favor of the state-court litigation. *See, e.g.*, *Colorado River Water Conservation Dist. v. United States*, 424 U.S. 800.

But neither *Rooker* nor *Feldman* supports the notion that properly invoked concurrent jurisdiction vanishes if a state court reaches judgment on the same or a related question while the case remains *sub judice* in a federal court.

Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp. 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.

The *Rooker-Feldman* doctrine is confined to cases of the kind from which it acquired its name: cases brought by state-court losers complaining of injuries caused by state-court judgments rendered before the federal district court proceedings commenced and inviting district court review and rejection of those judgments. *Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp.* 544 U.S. 280 (2005) Such is not the case before this court in Plaintiff's complaint.

Governed by Preclusion Law:

Disposition of the federal action, once the state-court adjudication is complete, would be governed by preclusion law. Under 28 U.S.C. § 1738 federal courts must “give the same preclusive effect to a state-court judgment as another court of that State would give.” *Parsons Steel, Inc. v. First Alabama Bank*, 474 U.S. 518, 523. Preclusion is not a jurisdictional matter. See Fed. Rule Civ. Proc. 8(c).

In parallel litigation, a federal court may be bound to recognize the claim - and issue - preclusive effects of a state-court judgment, but federal jurisdiction over an action does not terminate automatically on the entry of judgment in the state court. Nor does §1257 stop a district court from exercising subject-matter jurisdiction simply because a party attempts to litigate in federal court a matter previously litigated in state court.

If a federal plaintiff presents an independent claim, even one that denies a state court's legal conclusion in a case to which the plaintiff was a party, there is jurisdiction and state law determines whether the defendant prevails under preclusion principles. Pp. 10-12.

The Rooker-Feldman doctrine does not preclude the federal court from proceeding in this case. ExxonMobil has not repaired to federal court to undo the Delaware judgment in its favor, but appears to have filed its federal-court suit (only two weeks after SABIC filed in Delaware and well before any judgment in state court) to protect itself in the event it lost in state court on grounds (such as the state statute of limitations) that might not preclude relief in the federal venue. Rooker-Feldman did not prevent the District Court from exercising jurisdiction when ExxonMobil filed the federal action, and it did not emerge to vanquish jurisdiction after ExxonMobil prevailed in the Delaware courts. The Third Circuit misperceived the narrow ground occupied by Rooker-Feldman, and consequently erred in ordering the federal action dismissed. Pp. 12—13.

364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.

Ginsburg, J., delivered the opinion for a unanimous Court.

Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp. 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.

The Plaintiff's claims in the present case are not barred by the Rooker-Feldman Doctrine. Neither Rooker nor Feldman supports the notion that properly invoked concurrent jurisdiction vanishes if a state court reaches judgment on the same or a related question while the case remains *sub judice* in a federal court. Exxon Mobil Corp. et al. v. Saudi Basic Industries Corp. 544 U.S. 280 (2005), 364 F.3d 102, reversed and remanded.)

V. PLAINTIFF'S CLAIMS ARE NOT "HECK-BARRED"

In *Heck v. Humphrey*, 512 U.S. 477, 114 S. Ct. 2364, 129 L. Ed. 2d 383 (1994), the Supreme Court held that a civil rights plaintiff suing to recover damages for an allegedly unconstitutional conviction or imprisonment must prove that the conviction or sentence has been invalidated. See *Heck v. Humphrey*, 512 U.S. at 486-87, 114 S. Ct. at 2372. A claim for damages relating to a conviction or sentence that has not been invalidated is not cognizable under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. *Id.* at 487, 114 S. Ct. at 2372. The Supreme Court has applied the Heck analysis to claims made by prisoners challenging prison disciplinary actions. See *Edwards*, 520 U.S. at 648, 117 S. Ct. at 1589.

The Plaintiff in the present case, Hunt, is not a prisoner suing for an allegedly unconstitutional conviction or imprisonment. Therefore, the present case before this court is not Heck-Barred. Plaintiff's prevailing in his 1983 claims, will not necessarily negate Plaintiff's arrest for trespassing on July 5, 2003 by TPD Officer Charles Hathcox. Plaintiff is not suing the Tampa Police Department or TPD Officer Charles Hathcox. Alternatively, if the Plaintiff prevails on his claims and tends to negate the state-court, his claims are not barred under the scope of Heck. Plaintiff's state-court case is still pending and has not been adjudicated to finality.

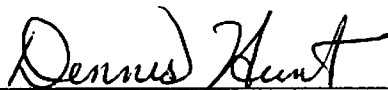
VI. PLAINTIFF'S CLAIMS FOR INJUNCTIVE RELIEF ARE JUSTICIABLE AND HIS REQUEST FOR PROSPECTIVE RELIEF IS A RIPENED CLAIM

Plaintiff's claims for injunctive relief are justiciable and his request for relief is a ripened claim. Plaintiff has a right to receive the information contained in the forty-three-thousand volumes of legal information provided free to the court bench, bar and general public by the Law Library Board and through access to the Law Library.

VII. CONCLUSION

The Law Library Board is not entitled to summary judgement, as a matter of law.

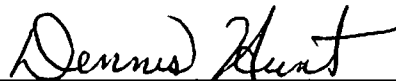
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing has been forwarded via U.S.P.S First Class Mail to Stephen M. Todd, Senior Assistant County Attorney, P.O. Box 1110, Tampa FL 33601-1110, on this 4th day of May, 2009.

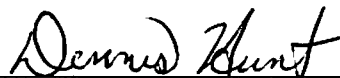


DENNIS HUNT, PRO-SE

SWORN STATEMENT

I have read the foregoing Motion and under the penalties of perjury, I state the facts stated therein are true and correct.

May 4, 2009
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Filing Date	Party	Description	Text
02/17/2009	General	CASE STATUS UPDATED	
02/17/2009	D001	*****FILE SENT TO***** JUDGE D. PERRY	
02/13/2009	D001	MOTION APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR WRITTEN OPINION filed by JEFFREY SULLIVAN, Esq. sent for consideration to JUDGE D. PERRY	
02/12/2009	D001	COPIES SENT TO: SAO, JEFFREY SULLIVAN ESQ HON DANIEL SLEET HON. LAWRENCE LEFLER/ ked	
02/12/2009	D001	DEFENDANT CLOSED	
02/12/2009	D001	MANDATE FILED AFFIRMING	
01/28/2009	D001	***FILE SENT TO APPEALS DEPT** TO PREPARE THE MANDATE	# 22
01/27/2009	D001	COPIES SENT TO: STATE ATTORNEY and JEFFREY SULLIVAN, Esq. (OPINION filed on 27-FEB-09)	
01/27/2009	D001	OPINION FILED BY JUDGE D. PERRY: AFFIRMED	
07/28/2008	D001	*****FILE SENT TO***** JUDGE D. SLEET (Re: Opinion)	
07/01/2008	D001	APPELLEE'S BRIEF FILED	
07/01/2008	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT APPELLANT'S REPLY BRIEF: 21-JUL-08	
04/09/2008	D001	COPIES OF ORDER SENT TO: SAO, PD & REGIONAL COUNSEL'S OFFICE (ORDER filed on 09-APR-08)	
04/09/2008	D001	ORDER APPOINTING SPECIAL PD REGIONAL COUNSEL SIGNED BY DANIEL SLEET	
04/09/2008	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT APPELLANT'S BRIEF DUE: 09-MAY-08	
04/08/2008	D001	COPIES OF ORDER SENT TO: PA- JOSEPH DATO, ESQ, OFFICE OF ATTY GENERAL, PD	
04/07/2008	D001	EVENT MODIFIED DANIEL H., Room:CR11, Room Location:AN, User ID = GILBERTJ	
04/07/2008	D001	ORDER GRANTING DEF COUNSEL'S MOTN TO WITHDRAW (JOSEPH DATO,ESQ)	
04/04/2008	D001	STATUS REVIEW SET & NOTICE SEN Event Scheduled,SRP,10-APR-2008,08:30, Judge:SLEET, DANIEL H., Room:CR11, Room Location:AN, User ID = JONESM	
04/01/2008	D001	STATUS REVIEW SET & NOTICE SEN Event Scheduled,SRP,03-APR-2008,08:30, Judge:SLEET, DANIEL H., Room:CR11, Room Location:AN, User ID = GILBERTJ	
03/27/2008	D001	*****FILE SENT TO***** JUDGE D. SLEET (Re: APPELLANT'S RESPONSE TO STATE'S MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION)	
03/25/2008	D001	MOTION/PENDING CASE SET Event Scheduled,MOP,01-APR-2008,08:30, Judge:SLEET, DANIEL H., Room:CR11, Room Location:AN, User ID = BAKKEG	
03/24/2008	D001	MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTY OF RECORD FILED BY JOSEPH GARDNER DATO	

03/24/2008	D001	NOTICE OF HEARING	FOR 04-01-08
03/24/2008	D001	RESPONSE	JURISDICTION
01/24/2008	D001	ORDER GRANTING	ORDER GRANTING, IN PART, MOTION FOR 90 DAY EXTENSION OF TIME FOR APPELLANT TO RESPOND TO APPELLEE (SIC) MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL LACK OF JURISDICTION signed by JUDGE D. SLEET; Copies sent to SAO and DENNIS HUNT, pro se.
01/24/2008	D001	ORDER GRANTING	ORDER GRANTING, IN PART, MOTION FOR 90 DAY EXTENSION OF TIME FOR APPELLANT TO RESPOND TO APPELLEE'S RESPONSE TO APPELLANT'S MOTION FOR CIRCUIT COURT TO ORDER ADDITIONAL COUNTY COURT RECORD AND TRANSCRIPTS". Copies sent to SAO & DENNIS HUNT, Pro se.
01/24/2008	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	APPELLANT'S RESPOND DUE: 24-MAR-08 APPELLANT is GRANTED an extension of 60 DAYS from the date of this ORDER in which to respond to Appellee's response.
01/17/2008	D001	COPIES SENT TO:	CONFLICT COUNSEL, PD, SAO & JAC
01/17/2008	D001	ORDER	APPOINTING ARTICLE V CONFLICT COUNSEL - SIGNED BY JUDGE SLEET.
12/27/2007	D001	CIVIL AFF APP INDIGENT STATUS	COPY
12/26/2007	D001	CIVIL AFF APP INDIGENT STATUS	Determined to be Indigent. Form filed.
12/26/2007	D001	MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT	OF APPELLANT COUNSEL
10/04/2007	D001	MOTION	FOR 90 DAY EXTENSION OF TIME FOR APPELLANT TO RESPOND TO APPELLEE'S RESPONSE TO APPELLANT'S "MOTION FOR CIRCUIT COURT TO ORDER ADDITIONAL COUNTY COURT RECORDS AND TRANSCRIPTS" - UNSIGNED ORDER ATTACHED
09/28/2007	D001	FILE SENT TO	JUDGE D. SLEET
09/27/2007	D001	MOTION TO DISMISS	MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION filed by STATE ATTORNEY sent for consideration to JUDGE D. SLEET
09/27/2007	D001	STATES RESPONSE	RESPONSE TO APPELLANT'S "MOTION FOR CIRCUIT COURT TO ORDER ADDITIONAL COUNTY COURT RECORDS AND TRANSCRIPTS"-filed
09/12/2007	D001	ORDER	ORDER TO RESPOND TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR CIRCUIT COURT TO ORDER ADDITIONAL COUNTY COURT RECORD AND TRANSCRIPTS FOR INCLUSION IN THE JUDGE D. SLEET. It is therefore ORDERED and ADJUDGED that the Office of the STATE ATTORNEY shall respond to defendant's Motion for Circuit Court to Order Additional County Court Records and Transcripts for inclusion in the Record of the Record of the Circuit Court of Appeals within 15 days from the date of this Order.
09/12/2007	D001	COST SUSPENDED	STATE ATTORNEY and PUBLIC DEFENDER (ORDER filed on 12-SEP-07)
09/12/2007	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	APPELLEE'S (SAO) RESPOND DUE: 27-SEP-07
01/29/2007	D001	NOTICE	OF PENDING MOTIONS FILED IN THE LOWER COURT
05/26/2006	D001	FILE SENT TO	FILE RETURN TO LAW CLERK
05/22/2006	D001	LETTER TO JUDGE FROM:	DEF REGARDING A NOTICE OF ADDRESS CHANGE/
05/22/2006	D001	MOTION	PROSE/UNSIGNED MOTION FOR THE COURT TO TAKE NOTICE OF APPELLANT'S CHANGE OF ADDRESS FOR THE RECEIPT OF MAIL AND SERVICE OF COURT PAPERS/

05/22/2006	D001	MOTION	MOTION FOR THE COURT TO TAKE NOTICE OF APPELLANT'S CHANGE OF ADDRESS FOR THE RECEIPT OF MAIL AND SERVICE OF COURT PAPERS. MOTION SENT TO THE JUDGE FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF
03/31/2006	D001	MOTION	FILED AND MOTION SENT TO JUDGE
03/21/2006	D001	*****MOTION*****	FOR COURT TO ORDER ADDITIONAL COUNTY COURT RECORDS AND TRANSCRIPTS FOR INCLUSION IN THE FILE FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS. (FILED 3 ORIGINALS OF THE SAME MOTION)
02/17/2006	D001	COPIES OF ORDER SENT TO:	DEFT DENNIS HUNT AND STATE ATTORNEY
02/17/2006	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	APPELLANT'S BRIEF DUE ON 04-19-06
02/07/2006	D001	ORDER	FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF / GRANTED FOR 60 DAYS FROM TODAY'S DATE / SIGNED 2-7-06 BY DP / MLC
02/06/2006	D001	COPIES SENT TO:	ATTORNEY PEDRO L AMADOR
02/06/2006	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	APPELLANT'S BRIEF DUE ON 02-17-06
02/02/2006	D001	ORDER	ON FAILURE TO FOLLOW RULES SIGNED BY JUDGED
02/01/2006	D001	*****FILE SENT TO*****	JUDGE PERRY
02/01/2006	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	ORDER ON FAILURE TO FOLLOW RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE REASON APPELLANT FAILED TO FILED BRIEF
01/30/2006	D001	*****NOT ENLARGEMENT OF TIME***	TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF / FILED W/O A NOTICE OF HEARING
01/12/2006	D001	NOTICE OF HEARING	FOR 1-11-06/ (MOTN FILED 12-30-05)/(NOT SET, RECEIVED LATE)
12/30/2005	D001	MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY	FILED BY VICTORIA A HOLMBERG
12/15/2005	D001	COPIES OF ORDER SENT TO:	ATTORNEY HOLMBERG
12/15/2005	D001	COPIES OF ORDER SENT TO:	ATTORNEY HOLMBERG, STATE ATTORNEY
12/15/2005	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	APPELLANT'S BRIEF DUE 1-31-06
12/14/2005	D001	ORDER	ORDER FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF -GRANTED-
12/14/2005	D001	ORDER	ORDER APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL PUBLIC DEFENDER
12/07/2005	D001	MOTION	MOTION FOR ENLARGEMENT OF TIME TO FILE INITIAL BRIEF. SENT TO JUDGE
12/06/2005	D001	*****FILE SENT TO*****	FILE AND ORDER APPOINTING PD SENT TO JUDGE FOR CONSIDERATION
11/29/2005	D001	STATUS REVIEW SET & NOTICE SEN	Event Scheduled,SRP,01-DEC-2005,08:30, Judge:PERRY, DANIEL, Room:CR16, Room Location:AN, User ID = GILLETTE
11/23/2005	D001	MOTION TO WITHDRAW	AND APPOINT PRIVATE COUNSEL - UNSIGNED ORDER ATTACHED
11/23/2005	D001	MOTION/PENDING CASE SET	Event Scheduled,MOP,28-NOV-2005,08:30, Judge:PERRY, DANIEL, Room:CR16, Room Location:AN, User ID = DRAKEB
11/23/2005	D001	NOTICE OF HEARING	FOR 11-28-05
11/01/2005	D001	SEE DOCKET TEXT	APPELLANT'S BRIEF DUE 12-3-05
10/31/2005	D001	*****LTR OF TRANSMITTAL FILED**	CONSISTING OF 2 VOL
10/31/2005	D001	LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL	RECORD SENT TO STATE ATTORNEY & PD, NCR
10/26/2005	D001	TRANSCRIPT FILED	9-6-05 AND 6-8-05: ALL TRANSCRIPTS IN APPEALS TO COMPLETE THE RECORD, JCC.

09/09/2005	D001	DESIGNATION TO CT REPORTER	AMENDED DESIGNATIONS. SENT TO APPEALS
08/18/2005	D001	INDEX PREPARED	CAN'T SEND OUT WAITING ON TT'S FILE LOCATED IN DRAWER/ ked
07/08/2005	D001	***FILE SENT TO APPEALS DEPT**	FILE SENT TO APPEALS TO PREPARE THE RECORD -VE
07/06/2005	D001	NOTICE OF APPEAL FILED FROM	MISDEMEANOR REFERENCE CASE NUMBER 03-CM-18502 (L.R.)

Docket

Name: HUNT, DENNIS Person Id: 002731412 Party: P001 Party Closed - Status: 08/15/2003
 UCN: 292003SC014728P001TA Case 03-CC-Number: 014728 Case Created: 06/18/2003 Division: L Case Closed - Status: 08/15/2003

Case Type Description: OTHER CIVIL, SMALL CLAIM Court Type: COUNTY CIVIL

Filing Date	Party	Description	Text
08/15/2003	**General**	DISMISSAL AFTER HEARING	
08/15/2003	**General**	FINAL ORDER OF DISMISSAL	FINAL ORDER OF DISMISSAL 8/14 THE OAK II CONDOMINIUM ASSO. INC.
08/12/2003	**General**	*****	***** JOINT DISMISSAL W/PREJUDICE DEF OAKS II CONDOMINIUM ASSOC INC
07/07/2003	**General**	SUMMONS RET'D SERVED ON	SUMMONS RET'D SERVED ON 07/02/03 THE OAKS UNIT II CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC
06/27/2003	**General**	ORDER OF INDIGENCY	ORDER OF INDIGENCY GRANTED AS TO DENNIS HUNT SIGNED 6/26/03
06/27/2003	**General**	SUMMONS ISSUED	SUMMONS ISSUED AS TO OAKS UNIT II ETC SET 7/28/03 @ 3:30 SH
06/24/2003	**General**	CORRESPONDENCE	CORRESPONDENCE LETTER TO JUDGE FROM DENNIS HUNT
06/23/2003	**General**	ORDER OF INDIGENCY	ORDER OF INDIGENCY DENIED SIGNED 6/23/03
06/18/2003	**General**	**STMT CLAIM \$2500.01-\$5000.00	STMT CLAIM \$2500.01 THRU \$5000
06/18/2003	**General**	AFFIDAVIT OF INDIGENCY	AFFIDAVIT OF INDIGENCY
06/18/2003	**General**	CERTIFICATE OF INDIGENCY	CERTIFICATE OF INDIGENCY
06/18/2003	**General**	NO SUMMONS ISSUED	NO SUMMONS ISSUED

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