

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
VALDOSTA DIVISION

VONDA ADAMS and	)	
WALTER ADAMS, individually	)	
and as husband and wife,	)	
	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
v.	)	CIVIL ACTION FILE NO.
	)	7:11-cv-116-HL
WAL-MART STORES, INC.	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**ORDER**

It appearing to the Court that Wal-Mart Stores East, LP is the correct corporate Wal-Mart Defendant, by consent of the parties and for good cause show, it is hereby

ORDERED that Wal-Mart Stores East, LP shall be substituted as a Defendant in lieu of Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. The caption shall be amended to reflect that Wal-Mart Stores East, LP is the sole corporate Wal-Mart Defendant. Plaintiffs need not file an Amended Complaint or Summons to reflect this substitution, and Defendant Wal-Mart Stores East, LP need not file any further Answer. The previously filed Complaint by Plaintiffs naming Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. shall be deemed the Complaint against Wal-Mart Stores East, LP. The previously filed Answer of Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. shall be binding on Wal-Mart Stores East, LP. Defendant Wal-Mart Stores East,

LP has waived any defense based on service of process or insufficiency of process,  
and the Complaint does not have to be served on the new defendant.

SO ORDERED this 27th day of October, 2011.

s/Hugh Lawson  
The Honorable Hugh Lawson  
U.S. District Court, Middle District of  
Georgia, Valdosta Division

CONSENTED TO:

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