

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

AUGUSTA DIVISION

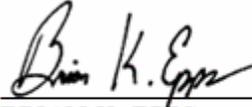
KENDRICK R. MARTIN,)
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 Plaintiff,)
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 v.) CV 117-127
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 SCOTT WILKES, Head Warden; ANTONIO)
 ROSS, Sergeant over CERT; and SERENA)
 CHANCE, Lieutenant,)
)
 Defendants.)

ORDER

Before the Court is Plaintiff’s request for a copy of his complaint. (Doc. no. 39.) Plaintiff is not entitled to free copies of court documents. Wanninger v. Davenport, 697 F.2d 992, 994 (11th Cir. 1983) (“A prisoner’s right of access to the court does not include the right of free unlimited access to a photocopying machine”); see also Jackson v. Florida Dep’t of Fin. Servs., 479 F. App’x 289, 292-93 (11th Cir. 2012) (“This Court has never held that a prisoner’s right of access to the courts entitles a prisoner-plaintiff, even one proceeding *in forma pauperis*, to free copies of court documents, including his own pleadings.”). Nevertheless, as a one-time courtesy, the Court **GRANTS** Plaintiff’s request (doc. no. 39) and **DIRECTS** the **CLERK** to include a copy of Plaintiff’s amended complaint to his

service copy of this Order (doc. no. 6).

SO ORDERED this 9th day of April, 2018, at Augusta, Georgia.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brian K. Epps". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath it.

BRIAN K. EPPS
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA