

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

AUGUSTA DIVISION

JOSEPH TIGER PRINCE; RICO PARKER; )  
ANTHONY CUNNINGHAM; WILLIAM E. )  
WEST, IV; ISAAH WALKER; HENRY )  
JONES; DAVID NATIONS; KAWASKI )  
BUSH; FREDDIE HILTON; and WESLEY )  
GILLESPIE, )

Plaintiffs, )

v. )

CV 121-009

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF )  
CORRECTION; MR. EDWARD )  
PHILBIN, Warden; MS. TAMIKA HARVEY, )  
Deputy Warden of Security; MS. )  
MELCHERT, Health Service Administrator; )  
MS. RUTH SHELTON, Deputy Warden of )  
Care and Treatment; and MS. JAQULYN )  
CHAMPION, Food Director, )

Defendants. )

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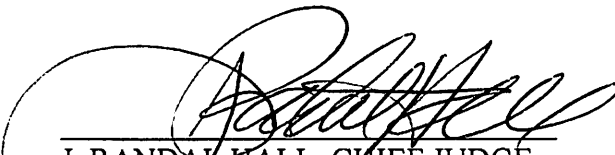
**ORDER**

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After a careful, *de novo* review of the file, the Court concurs with the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation, to which no objections have been filed. Accordingly, the Court **ADOPTS** the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge as its opinion, **DENIES** Plaintiffs' joint motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*, (doc no. 2), **DISMISSES** Plaintiffs' complaint without prejudice, and **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file and docket this Order and the instant complaint in ten new lawsuits, with the same filing dates and ten separate case

numbers. Once the ten new lawsuits are opened, Plaintiffs must submit their own individual motions to proceed *in forma pauperis* or pay the full filing fee within twenty-one days of the date the Clerk opens the case.

SO ORDERED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021, at Augusta, Georgia.



J. RANDAL HALL, CHIEF JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA