

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

ANTHONIQUE LA'ARMON FINLEY,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	CV 324-073
	)	
JERMAINE WHITE, Warden;	)	
MS. HARVEY, CO I; V. STEWARD; and	)	
JOHNSON, Chief Counselor,	)	
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Defendants.	)	

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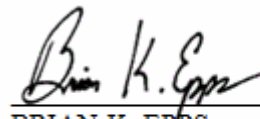
**MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

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Plaintiff, incarcerated at Telfair State Prison in Helena, Georgia, commenced the above-captioned civil rights case *pro se* and requested permission to proceed *in forma pauperis* ("IFP"). On October 16, 2024, the Court directed Plaintiff to return his Prisoner Trust Fund Account Statement and Consent to Collection of Fees forms within thirty days and advised Plaintiff all prisoners, even those proceeding IFP, must pay the filing fee of \$350.00 in full. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1). Plaintiff was cautioned failure to respond would be an election to have this case voluntarily dismissed without prejudice. (See doc. no. 4.) The time to respond has passed, and Plaintiff has not submitted the documents required by the Court's October 16th Order. Although Plaintiff returned an account statement verifying the money in his trust account that was signed by a prison official, (doc. no. 5), he did not return the Consent to Collection of Fees form. Nor has he provided the Court with any explanation why he has not complied with the Court's Order that he return both forms.

Plaintiff cannot proceed IFP unless he submits the requisite Trust Fund Account Statement and consents to collection of the entire \$350.00 filing fee in installments. Wilson v. Sargent, 313 F.3d 1315, 1319, 1321 (11th Cir. 2002) (citing 28 U.S.C. § 1915). Plaintiff has been warned that failing to return the necessary IFP papers would be an election to have his case voluntarily dismissed. As Plaintiff has neither fulfilled the requirements for proceeding IFP, nor paid the full filing fee, the Court **REPORTS** and **RECOMMENDS** this case be **DISMISSED** without prejudice and this civil action be **CLOSED**.

SO REPORTED and RECOMMENDED this 22nd day of November, 2024, at Augusta, Georgia.



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