Wells v. Petit et al

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

SAVANNAH DIVISION

DONALD WEBSTER WELLS,)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	
)	Case No. CV408-253
ROMEL PETIT, SPD;)	
DAVID BAREFIELD, CCP; and)	
CHATHAM COUNTY)	
COURTS, DW,)	
) .	
Defendants.)	

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Plaintiff Donald Webster Wells filed the above-captioned 42 U.S.C. § 1983 civil rights action against the defendants on December 17, 2008. Doc. 1. The Court granted him leave to proceed in forma pauperis ("IFP") but directed him to complete and return both a Prison Trust Fund Account Statement form and a Consent to Collection of Fees from Trust Account form before the case could proceed. Doc. 3. The Order further advised plaintiff that if he failed to return the forms within thirty days, the Court would presume that he desired to voluntarily dismiss his complaint without prejudice. *Id.* at 4-5. He never returned the required

forms. Because the thirty-day deadline expired, plaintiff's § 1983 complaint should be **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

SO REPORTED AND RECOMMENDED this <u>23rd</u> day of April, 2009.

/s/ G.R. SMITH
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA